

By God's Grace through the Holy Spirit, our church is open for Sunday Services. Seating will be limited. Please read the guidelines at our church website, www.goholycross.org, then send an email to reservations@goholycross.org with your name, the names of your guests, and your phone number.

We will continue to webcast our services. / Access the webcast:

1. On your smart phone or tablet, download the "GO Holy Cross" app (available in Apple App store and Google Play Store)
2. On your computer by going to the church's website: www.goholycross.org
3. On your Apple TV, by downloading the "GOARCH" app

May our Lord bless us through the intercessions of the Theotokos and all His Saints.

LAST DAY – TOMORROW!

PHILOPTOCHOS EASTER BAKE SALE - Help Holy Cross Philoptochos fundraise. Order by **Monday, April 19, 2021**; pick-up **Sunday, April 25, 2021** after church. We have TSOUREKI (with or without red egg) or KOULOOURAKIA. Click on the link on the church website.

Tue April 20 **BIBLE STUDY** will resume on Zoom Video after services – go to our website for instructions on how to connect, or send an email to k.konstantine@gmail.com

Wed April 21 **STUDIES IN THE FAITH CLASSES** Please join us at 7 PM on Zoom Video – go to our website for instructions on how to connect, or send an email to k.konstantine@gmail.com

Thur April 22 **THE LIFE OF SAINT JOHN CHRYSOSTOM** will resume at 7 PM. Please email frpeter@goholycross.org or konstantines@goholycross.org for details.

Mon April 26 **PHILOPTOCHOS CHURCH AND COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS** – High school seniors are encouraged to apply for these service awards offered by the Philoptochos. Applications for 2021 awards are available **NOW** by emailing the church office. A typed application is required -- No handwritten applications will be accepted. If you are college-bound or are planning to enter a training program, if you have participated in Church and Community service,

Sat May 15

and if your family is a member of our parish, then you may qualify. Deadline is **Monday, April 26, 2021**.

PHILOPTOCHOS FASHION SHOW: "Zooming into Beauty and Fashion" - Still masked up? Social distancing? No problem! Mary Milionis, beauty expert and author, will share her beauty secrets on how to stay looking young. Chico's designers and models will show the latest in fashion trends and how to accessorize our outfits. Let's get ready to spring back to normal! Get dressed up! Put on makeup! No masks required, all Front Rows, and from the convenience of your Home! Register and donate here: <https://goholycross.org/events/fashion/> **Saturday, May 15** at 11:00AM PDT. \$35 Donation. Raffle! Prizes: 1st \$300, 2nd \$200, 3rd \$100; Book of 5 tickets: \$20, Book of 10:\$40. Other Gift Cards Galore and Surprise Gifts!



STEWARDSHIP 2021

Please send in your pledge card for 2021. Thank you for your support of, and commitment to, Holy Cross Church!



WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS

If you are visiting us for the first time, send us an email and share your thoughts and suggestions. May God bless and keep you well.



HOLY CROSS THREE HIERARCHS BOOKSTORE

With the journey of Great Lent upon us, our Holy Cross Bookstore is well-stocked with the services for these days. Lenten Liturgies, the Akathist Hymn, Holy Week, the Liturgy of Saint James are available. Also, Lenten activities and books for our young people, books for our own personal edification, icons, cards, and many other items for our Orthodox homes are on our shelves. In addition to after services, our bookstore will be open on Wednesday from 10-11 AM and whenever is convenient for you. Please call 650 278-6694 to schedule.



SERVICES

All services are webcasted. Seating is available for Sunday services – with a reservation. Please see details elsewhere in the Bulletin or at our website.

Sunday, April 18 – Sunday of Saint Mary of Egypt – 8:45 AM, Orthros, 10:00 AM,

Divine Liturgy *** Reservations required

Monday, April 19 – Great Compline, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, April 21 – Ninth Hour / Presanctified Liturgy, 5:30 PM

Saturday, April 24 - The Raising of Lazarus – Orthros, 8:30 AM; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Saturday, April 24 – Great Vespers, 5:30 PM

Sunday, April 25 - Palm Sunday - Divine Liturgy and Blessing of the Palms, 10:00

AM *** Reservations required

Sunday, April 25 - The Service of the Bridegroom, 6:30 PM

Monday, April 26 - Great and Holy Monday - The Service of the Bridegroom, 6:30 PM

Tuesday, April 27 - Great and Holy Tuesday - The Service of the Bridegroom, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, April 28 - Great and Holy Wednesday - Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, 8:30 AM

Wednesday, April 28 - The Sacrament of Holy Oil, 3:00 PM *** Reservations required

Wednesday, April 28 - The Service of the Bridegroom / The Sacrament of Holy Oil, 6:30 PM *** Reservations required

Thursday, April 29 - Great and Holy Thursday - Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great, 8:30 AM

Thursday, April 29 - The Service of the Holy Passion, 6:30 PM

Friday, April 30 - Good Friday - The Vigil of the Royal Hours, 8:30 AM

Friday, April 30 - Vespers of the Descent from the Cross, 3:00 PM

Friday, April 30 - The Service of the Lamentations, 6:30 PM *** Reservations required

Saturday, May 1 - Great and Holy Saturday - Divine Liturgy, 8:30 AM

Saturday, May 1 - Resurrection Matins, the Paschal Liturgy, 11:00 PM ***

Reservations required

Sunday, May 2 - Easter Sunday - Vespers of the Resurrection, "Agape", 11:30 AM



GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS

Saint Mary of Egypt - *April 18, 2021*

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