

GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE  
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## **PROGRAMME MARCH 2019**



*“We venerate Your most pure image, O Good One, and ask forgiveness of our transgressions, O Christ God. Of Your own will You were pleased to ascend the Cross in the flesh to deliver Your creatures from bondage to the enemy. Therefore with thanksgiving we cry aloud to You: You have filled all with joy, O our Savior, by coming to save the world.”*  
**(Sunday of Orthodoxy)**

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***Every Thursday Evening the program is as follows:***

***6pm: The St Ignatius children's group and choir (primary school age and up)***

***7pm: Paraklesis service to the Theotokos (in English) (During Great Lent the Great Compline)***

***7.45: Bible study group (for all ages), led by Fr Demosthenis***

SATURDAY, 2 March: **SOUL SATURDAY**, Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-10.30am

SUNDAY, 3 March: **MEAT FARE SUNDAY**, Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-11.00am

MONDAY, 4 March: **SAINT GERASIMOS**, Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-9.30am

SATURDAY, 9 March: **40 MARTYRS SEBASTE**, Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-10am

SUNDAY, 10 March: **CHEESEFARE SUNDAY**, Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-11am

MONDAY, 11 March: **CLEAN AND HOLY MONDAY, HOLY LENT BEGINS**

**Every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, The Great Compline will be chanted in Greek from 5-6pm**

WEDNESDAY, 13 March: **Evening:** Service of the Presanctified Gifts, 7-9pm

FRIDAY, 15 March: Service of the Presanctified Gifts, 8-10am

**Evening:** The Salutations of the Theotokos Part 1, 7-8pm

SATURDAY, 16 March: **MIRACLE OF KOLLYVA BY SAINT THEODORE**, 7.30-10pm

SUNDAY, 17 March: **SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY, (1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Great Lent)** Matins, Divine Liturgy, and Procession with the holy icons, 7.30-11.00am

WEDNESDAY, 20 March: **Evening:** Service of the Presanctified Gifts, 7-9pm

THURSDAY, 21 March: **Evening:** Service of the Presanctified Gifts **ENGLISH**, 7.30-9pm

FRIDAY, 22 March: Service of the Presanctified Gifts, 8-10am

**Evening:** The Salutations of the Theotokos Part 2, 7-8pm

SUNDAY, 24 March: **SUNDAY OF GREGORY PALAMAS, (2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Great Lent)** Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-11.00am

MONDAY, 25 March: **THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE THEOTOKOS**, Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-10.30am

WEDNESDAY, 27 March: **Evening:** Service of the Presanctified Gifts, 7-9pm

FRIDAY, 29 March: Service of the Presanctified Gifts, 8-10am

**Evening:** The Salutations of the Theotokos Part 3, 7-8pm

SUNDAY, 31 March: **VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS, (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Great Lent)** Matins and Divine Liturgy, 7.30-11.00am