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EVERY FRIDAY OF THE MONTH THE MYSTERY OF HOLY CONFESSION 1.00 - 4.00 p.m.

SATURDAY **SATURDAY OF SOULS (COMMEMORATION OF THE DEPARTED)**
2 March Matins and Divine Liturgy 8.00 – 10.45 a.m.

SUNDAY 3 March **MEAT-FARE SUNDAY** - Matins and Divine Liturgy 7.30 – 11.00 a.m.

In the week that follows meat-fare Sunday, we fast from meat only, fish and dairy products are allowed.

SATURDAY 9 March **CHEESE-FARE SATURDAY** - Matins and Divine Liturgy 8.00 – 10.30 a.m.

SUNDAY **CHEESEFARE SUNDAY (FORGIVENESS SUNDAY)**
10 March Matins and Divine Liturgy 7.30 – 11.00 a.m.
VESPERS OF FORGIVENESS
At the church of St. Eustathios (South Melbourne) 6:30 - 8:00 pm
At the completion of Vespers, we enter Great Lent by seeking the forgiveness and blessing of our Clergy as well as from one another.

MONDAY 11 March **CLEAN MONDAY – Beginning of Great Lent (STRICT FAST)**

**DURING GREAT LENT, THE SERVICE OF THE GREAT COMPLINE WILL OCCUR
ON MONDAY, TUESDAY AND THURSDAY 6.30 - 7.30 p.m.**

WEDNESDAY 13 March **LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS** 7.00 - 9.00 p.m.

FRIDAY **LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS, 8.00 – 10.00 a.m.**
15 March **FIRST PART OF THE SALUTATIONS TO THE HOLY THEOTOKOS, 7.00 - 8.30 p.m.**

SATURDAY **COMMEMORATION OF THE 'KOLLYVA' MIRACLE BY ST THEODORE OF TYRON**
16 March Matins and Divine Liturgy 8.00 – 10.45 a.m.

SUNDAY **FIRST SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT (SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY)**
17 March Matins & Divine Liturgy of St Basil the Great and Procession of the Holy Icons 7.30 – 11.45 a.m.

WEDNESDAY 20 March **LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS** 7.00 - 9.00 p.m.

FRIDAY **LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS, 8.00 – 10.00 a.m.**
22 March **SECOND PART OF THE SALUTATIONS TO THE HOLY THEOTOKOS, 7.00 - 8.30 p.m.**
ALL NIGHT VIGIL BY PRIESTMONK FR. DAMASKINOS OF MOUNT ATHOS
AT THE CHURCH OF ST. EUSTATHIOS (South Melbourne) 9 p.m.

SUNDAY **SECOND SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT (ST GREGORY PALAMAS)**
24 March Matins & Divine Liturgy of St Basil the Great, 7.30 – 11.15 a.m.
VESPERS OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD, at the church of the
Holy Annunciation (East Melbourne) 7.00 pm

MONDAY **THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD (Greek National Day) (fish is permitted)**
25 March Matins & Divine Liturgy of St John Chrysostom, Doxology Service, 8.00 – 11.00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY 27 March **LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS** 7.00 - 9.00 p.m.

FRIDAY **LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS, 8.00 – 10.00 a.m.**
29 March **THIRD PART OF THE SALUTATIONS TO THE HOLY THEOTOKOS, 7.00 - 8.30 pm**

SUNDAY **THIRD SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT (VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS)**
31 March Matins & Divine Liturgy of St Basil the Great, 7.30 – 11.30 am