

Lenten Schedule of Services, 2024

Have a blessed and spiritually beneficial Great Lent!

Sunday, March 17 – Forgiveness Sunday – Cheese-fare Sunday – Bele poklade

Divine Liturgy at 10 am. Forgiveness vespers after Liturgy.

Deanery Vespers at Ascension Church in Rockford, IL at 6 pm. Homilist Fr Nemanja Tesic

Monday, March 18 – Beginning of Great Lent / Clean Week / Početak Posta

Vespers and Canon of St Andrew of Crete at 6 pm, religious discussion after

Wednesday, March 20 – Lenten hours at 8 am, confession at 8:30 am, Presanctified Liturgy at 9 am

Thursday, March 21 – Lenten Vespers and Canon of St Andrew of Crete at 6 pm, religious discussion after

Saturday, March 23 – Vigil / confession at 5 pm

Sunday, March 24 – Sunday of Orthodoxy / Nedelja Pravoslavlja

Divine Liturgy at 10 am

Wednesday, March 27 – Lenten hours at 5 pm, confession at 5:30 pm, Presanctified Liturgy at 6 pm. Religious discussion after

Friday, March 29 – Deanery Presanctified Liturgy at St John church in Bellwood, IL at 6 pm. Homilist Fr Luka Lukic

Saturday, March 30 – Vigil / confession at 5 pm

Sunday, March 31 – Sunday of St Gregory Palamas / Nedelja Sv Grigorija Palame

Divine Liturgy at 10 am

Deanery Vespers at Holy Resurrection Cathedral at 6 pm. Homilist Fr Aleksandar Petrovic

Tuesday, April 2 – Lenten Retreat in our church. Vespers at 6 pm, Lenten dinner (fee-will donation) and the Retreat at 7 pm in upper hall. Speaker Deacon Jovan Anicic. Topic: The Lenten journey: The Cross as a constant Witness and an Inspiration in our lives

Wednesday, April 3 – Lenten hours at 8 am, confession at 8:30 am, Presanctified Liturgy at 9 am

Saturday, April 6 – Vigil / confession at 5 pm

Sunday, April 7 – Veneration of Holy Cross / Poklonjenje Časnome Krstu / Annunciation

Divine Liturgy at 10 am

Deanery Vespers at St Stephen of Decani church, Chicagi, IL at 6 pm, Homilist Fr Dobrivoje Milunovic

Wednesday, April 10 – Lenten hours at 5 pm, confession at 5:30 pm, Presanctified Liturgy at 6 pm. Religious discussion after

Saturday, April 13 – Vigil/confession at 5 pm

Sunday, April 14 – Sunday of St John Climacus / Nedelja Sv Jovana Lestvičnika

Divine Liturgy at 10 am

Deanery Vespers at Old Holy Resurrection church, Chicago, IL at 6 pm. Homilist Fr Milos Zivkovic

Wednesday, April 17 – Lenten hours at 8 am, confession at 8:30 am, Presanctified Liturgy at 9 am

Canon of St Andrew of Crete at 6 pm

Friday, April 19 – Akathist to the Most Holy Theotokos at 6 pm, religious discussion after

Saturday, April 20 – Vigil /confession at 5 pm

Sunday, April 21 – Sunday of St Mary of Egypt / Nedelja Sv Marije Egipćanke

Divine Liturgy at 10 am

Deanery Vespers at St Nikola church in Brookfield, IL at 6 pm. Homilist Fr Nikolaj Kostur

Wednesday, April 24 – Lenten hours at 5 pm, confession at 5:30 pm, Presanctified Liturgy at 6 pm, religious discussion after

Holy Week starts on Lazarus Saturday April 27.

Make time to do your confession and partake of Holy Communion as often as you can. Try to attend as many Lenten services as you are able to and especially the Presanctified Liturgy on Wednesdays.

We are obligated to attend at least one or two Deanery Lenten services. Please make your schedule now.