

# Calendar of Services - Projected for 2018

## St. Philip Orthodox Church

Saturday Great Vespers & Confession (6 pm), Sunday Matins (8:45 am) and Divine Liturgy (10 am), Monday-Friday 6th Hour (Noon) [unless office is closed], Wednesday Compline & Class (7 pm), continue as usual unless superseded by Festal services or other events. Be sure to always check the online google calendar for updates.

<u>Day/Date</u>		<u>Service/Event</u>
Sun Dec. 31, 2017 (New Year's Eve)	6:00 pm 7:00 pm ~ 10:00 pm	Vespers & Artoklasia for Circumcision and commemoration of <b>Saint Basil</b> Orthros New Year's Prayers
Mon, Jan. 1, 2018	10:00 am	<b>Circumcision and Saint Basil:</b> Divine Liturgy & New Year's Prayers
Fri, Jan. 5 <i>Strict Fast Day</i>	10:00 am 6:00 pm	<b>Theophany:</b> Royal Hours Vesperal Divine Liturgy & Great Blessing of Water
Sat, Jan. 6	9:00 am 10:00 am	<b>Theophany:</b> Matins Divine Liturgy & Great Blessing of Water
Sun, Jan. 7	1:00 pm	Outdoor Blessing of Water, Lake Lenape Park
Thurs, Feb. 1	6:00 pm	<b>Presentation of Christ:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia (w/ candle blessing)
Fri, Feb. 2	9:00 am 10:00 am	<b>Presentation of Christ:</b> Matins Divine Liturgy (w/ candle blessing)
Sat, Feb. 10	10:00 am	<b>Soul Saturday</b> Divine Liturgy
Sun, Feb. 18	1:00 pm	Forgiveness Vespers
<b>Monday, Feb. 19</b>	<b>GREAT FAST BEGINS</b>	
<b>Clean Week</b> Mon, Tues, Thurs, Feb. 19, 20, 22 Wed, Feb. 21	7:00 pm 12 Noon	Great Compline & Great Canon Sixth Hour & Great Canon
<b>Mondays in the Great Fast</b>	7:00 pm	Great Compline
<b>Wednesdays in the Great Fast</b>	7:00 pm	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts (Mar 14 sung by Youth Choir)
<b>Fridays in the Great Fast</b>	10:00 am	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
<b>First five Fridays in the Great Fast</b>	7:00 pm	Akathist (Mar 2 sung by Youth Choir)
Sun, Feb. 25	4:00 pm	<b>Sunday of Orthodoxy</b> Vespers (locations in Philadelphia and Lehigh Valley to be announced)
Sat, Mar. 10		Choir Retreat
Sun, Mar 11		Choir Concert
Sat, Mar. 17		<b>Parish Lenten Retreat</b> - Dn. Dean Barna "A Christian Ending"
<b>Holy Annunciation (March 25) falls on a Sunday in 2018. Vespers (w/Artoklasia), Matins &amp; Liturgy as usual.</b>		
Sat-Sun, Apr. 1-15	<b>Holy Week, Pascha, and Bright Week</b> schedule similar to previous years - see separate schedule	
Tue, May 1	7:00 pm	<b>Mid-Pentecost:</b> Vespers
Wed, May 2	10:00 am	<b>Mid-Pentecost:</b> Divine Liturgy
Tues/Wed, May 15/16		<b>Leavetaking of Pascha:</b> TBD
Wed/Thu, May 16/17	<b>Feast of Ascension:</b> Service times & location TBD	
Sun, May 27	<b>Holy Pentecost:</b> Soul Saturday Liturgy, Vespers & Artoklasia, Matins, Liturgy and Kneeling Prayers as usual	
<b>June 4-28</b>	<b>Apostles' Fast</b>	
Thurs, Fri June 28/29	<b>Sts Peter &amp; Paul:</b> Service times & location TBD	
Wed-Sun, June 27-July 1	<b>Parish Life Conference:</b> Antiochian Village Bolivar, PA Hosted by St. Philip, St. George, Upper Darby, and Holy Ascension, West Chester	



<u>Day/Date</u>		<u>Service/Event</u>
Mon-Fri, July 30 - Aug. 3	Vacation Church School	
Weekdays, Aug. 1-14	Dormition Fast: Services TBD	
Sun, Aug. 5	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>Holy Transfiguration:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia with Lamentations Blessing of fruit & garden produce Matins
Mon, Aug. 6	9:00 am	<b>Holy Transfiguration:</b> Divine Liturgy Blessing of fruit & garden produce
Sun, Aug. 12		<b>Fr Boniface Black 2-year memorial:</b> Following Divine Liturgy
Tues, Aug. 14	6:00 pm	<b>Dormition of the Theotokos:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia with Lamentations Blessing of herbs & flowers
Wed, Aug. 15	9:00 am 10:00 am	<b>Dormition of the Theotokos:</b> Matins Divine Liturgy Blessing of herbs & flowers
Tues, Aug. 28	7:00 pm	<b>Beheading of the Forerunner:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia
Wed, Aug. 29 <i>Strict Fast Day</i>	10:00 am	<b>Beheading of the Forerunner:</b> Divine Liturgy & Fasting Potluck
Sat, Sep. 1	<b>Ecclesiastical New Year &amp; Day of Creation:</b> Special services TBD	
Fri, Sep. 7	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>Nativity of the Theotokos:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia Matins
Sat, Sep. 8	10:00 am	<b>Nativity of the Theotokos:</b> Divine Liturgy
Thurs, Sep. 13	7:00 pm	<b>Elevation of the Cross:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia
Fri, Sep. 14 <i>Strict Fast Day</i>	9:00 am 10:00 am	<b>Elevation of the Cross:</b> Matins & Cross Procession Divine Liturgy
Fri - Sun, Sep. 28-30	Archpastoral visit of Bp Thomas	
Sat, Oct. 20	10:00 am	<b>St. Demetrius Soul Saturday</b> Divine Liturgy & Memorial
Fri/Sat, Nov 2/3	<b>Saint Raphael:</b> Services TBD	
Tues, Nov. 13	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>Holy Apostle Philip:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia Matins
Wed, Nov. 14	10:00 am	<b>Holy Apostle Philip:</b> Divine Liturgy
Nov. 15 - Dec. 24	<b>Nativity Fast:</b> Services TBD	
Tues, Nov. 20	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>Entry of the Theotokos:</b> Vespers & Artoklasia Matins
Tues, Nov. 21	10:00 am	<b>Entry of the Theotokos:</b> Divine Liturgy
Thurs, Nov. 22	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy for <b>Thanksgiving</b> No Potluck
Wed, Dec. 5	7:00 pm	Vespers & Artoklasia for <b>Saint Nicholas</b> , sung by Youth Choir followed by children's activity
Thurs, Dec. 6	9:00 am 10:00 am	<b>St. Nicholas:</b> Matins Divine Liturgy
Mon/Tues, Dec. 24/25	<b>Nativity of our Lord:</b> Services TBD	
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Tues, Jan. 1, 2019	10:00 am	<b>Circumcision and Saint Basil:</b> Divine Liturgy & New Year's Prayers
<b>Future dates of Pascha</b>	April 28, 2019	April 19, 2020    May 2, 2021

