



# ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

*Events To Note -  
Sunday, April 10, 2022*

*Today, on the 5th Sunday of Lent, the Orthodox Church commemorates St. Mary of Egypt, a symbol of repentance, who serves as an inspiration for courage and personal growth.*

## ***Lenten Services this week:***

<b>Monday, April 11</b>	<b>Great Compline</b>	<b>7PM</b>
<b>Wednesday, April 13</b>	<b>Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>6:30PM</b>
<b>Friday, April 15</b>	<b>Little Compline with Canon of the Rising of Lazarus</b>	<b>7PM</b>
<b>Saturday, April 16</b>	<b>Lazarus Saturday Matins Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>9AM 10AM</b>
<b>Sunday, April 17</b>	<b>Palm Sunday Matins Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>9AM 10AM</b>

*The complete schedule of Lenten Services is available in the Narthex.*

- 1. There will be a Women's Guild meeting TODAY during coffee hour. We will meet in the back of the church hall.** Feel free to bring your "coffee and" to the meeting. We look forward to seeing you.
  - Please remember to pay your dues and support our Bakeless Bake Sale as soon as possible
  - Thank each and everyone of you for making our March Women's Month a great success
- 2. "LAST CALL! Delicious sweet and savory Middle Eastern, Slavic and Greek foods to break your fast! Please support the Teen SOYO Pascha Food sale. TODAY IS THE LAST DAY TO ORDER** via order form in bulletin or online via email. Pick-up after services on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday afternoon. Please see Maria Mandalakis-Nola after Liturgy or **contact at 201-370-1615 or [maria.mandalakis@icloud.com](mailto:maria.mandalakis@icloud.com)**
- 3. Each year, our Altar and Epitaphios are beautifully and lovingly decorated on Good Friday. Reminder - turn in your donations** for flowers for Good Friday/Pascha to Helen Chimel or Eve Meyer or you may donate through ParishSoftGiving. **If you would like to help decorate the altar or the Epitaphios, please contact Lisa Fares.**
- 4. Teen SOYO will be holding a Vigil at the Tomb on Great Friday** following the Lamentations Service at 7PM. For more information, please contact Daria Incorvaia ([dedah1964@yahoo.com](mailto:dedah1964@yahoo.com)).
- 5. Join us for a Pascha Breakfast after Rush and Paschal Service - Bring your basket to be blessed and break the Lenten fast together.** Bring your favorite Paschal foods!

6. Saturday, May 21- IOCC (International Orthodox Christian Charities) metropolitan area Orthodox churches annual Wine Tasting benefit will be held at Assumption of the Holy Virgin Orthodox Church, 35 Orange Ave, in Clifton. Vespers at 6pm. Wine, beer, savory, sweet refreshments at 7pm. Visit [IOCC.ORG/NEWJERSEY](http://IOCC.ORG/NEWJERSEY) for advance ticket purchase or to make a donation.

**7. GIANT INDOOR YARD SALE MAY 12, 13 & 14 - BACK & BIGGER THAN EVER!**

**Bring items for the Yard Sale to church on Sunday, May 8** during coffee hour. Manpower is needed that day to help arrange tables. PLEASE, no donations of clothing or unclean items. Many hands are needed to make the Yard Sale a successful fundraiser. Please contact Valerie Joseph (917-597-6503) to assist in the set-up, sale or take-down days.

8. **Test your knowledge again TODAY at the 10-minute Mini Bible Bowl** held every Sunday in coffee hour during Great Lent. Teen and adult team contestants are needed! For more information, contact Nick Nagorny ([nicholas.a.nagorny@usdoj.gov](mailto:nicholas.a.nagorny@usdoj.gov)) (973-953-0360).

9. **Every Thursday night at 8PM during Great Lent, there will be a Bible Study Session** on the Gospel of St. Matthew led by Subdeacon Nicholas Nagorny. *The Zoom link is (791-477-4689).*

10. **The Tricky Tray is scheduled for Friday, April 29, 2022.** Please contact Leslie Carter (201-264-1662) or Hanneh Kalyoussef (201-693-2968) to sign up for manpower for our preview night, Thursday, and event night, Friday.

11. **Let's celebrate with our sister church! St. George Church, Little Falls, has announced their 100th Anniversary Celebration Weekend will be held May 21-22, 2022.** On Saturday, a banquet will be held at the Hanover Manor in East Hanover from 6-11pm. On Sunday, His Eminence Metropolitan JOSEPH will serve a Hierarchical Divine Liturgy followed by a brunch at the church hall. For tickets contact Souhel Shehady (908-400-9377) or Rema Nimrud (908-432-9394). Flyers are available in the Narthex.

12. **Breaking news - the Oratorical Festival is back and has been scheduled for Friday, July 1, 2022.** There are 2 divisions: the Junior Division comprised of 13-15 years olds and the Senior Division with 16-19 years olds. Complete information is posted online ([www.teensoyo.org](http://www.teensoyo.org)). Contact Daria Incorvaia for more information ([deedah1964@yahoo.com](mailto:deedah1964@yahoo.com)).

13. **ALL parishioners are asked to sign up to host at least ONE coffee reception a year, a valuable part of our parish fellowship.** The next open date is April 24th, but many **other dates for 2022 are available.** The process has been streamlined to make it easier for all parishioners to participate. Guidelines are on the church website and handouts available in the coffee room. Just *put your name on the schedule posted outside the coffee room or contact Alice Ziemba (201-664-8068 or [aliceziemba@yahoo.com](mailto:aliceziemba@yahoo.com)).*

14. **Lent is a great time to do some reading about our faith. Visit and borrow from the Church Library downstairs a book** on saints, icons, lent, etc. St. Anthony has one of the largest church libraries in the area, including a room of children's books and Kindles to borrow. Need help, contact Church Catechist and Librarian Nick Nagorny ([nicholas.a.nagorny@usdoj.gov](mailto:nicholas.a.nagorny@usdoj.gov)).

15. **Father Michael is available by appointment for home blessings for our St. Anthony parishioners.** Please contact the church to schedule the visitation. Holy Water is also available throughout the calendar year by request.

16. **A special thank you to Brian & Christeen Scarpa** for hosting today's coffee hour.