Church of the Resurrection of Christ - Russian Orthodox Church Abroad

April 2024

		1 st - 4 th April the priests are at the pastoral retreat in	
		Australia	
6	Saturday	Forefeast of the Annunciation	
		Confession and Prayer Rule for Holy Communion	17:30
		Vigil	18:00
		Procession of the Holy Cross with a piece of the True Cross	
7	Sunday	3 rd SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST –	
		ANNUNCIATION OF THE	
		MOST HOLY MOTHER OF GOD	
		VENERATION OF THE CROSS	
		Divine Liturgy	9:00
10	Wednesday	Matins	7:00
		Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts	19:00
12	Friday	Matins for the Departed	19:00
13	Saturday	Ancestral Saturday – Commemoration of the Dead	
		Divine Liturgy and General Panihida	8:00
		Confession and Prayer Rule for Holy Communion	17:30
		Vigil	18:00
14	Sunday	4 th SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST –	
		ST JOHN OF THE LADDER	
		Divine Liturgy	9:00
17	Wednesday	Great Canon and the life of St Mary of Egypt	19:00
18	Thursday	St Andrew's Standing.	
		Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts	19:00
19	Friday	Matins with the singing of the Akathist to the Mother of God	19:00
20	Saturday	Laudation of the Most Holy Mother of God	
		Divine Liturgy	8:00
		Confession and Prayer Rule for Holy Communion	17:30
		Vigil	18:00
21	Sunday	5 TH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST –	
		ST MARY OF EGYPT	
		Divine Liturgy	9:00
		General Unction	17:00
24	Wednesday	Matins	7:00
		Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts	19:00
26	Friday	Matins	19:00
27	Saturday	Lazarus Saturday	
		Divine Liturgy	8:00
		Confession and Prayer Rule for Holy Communion	17:30
		Vigil with the blessing of palms and "verba"	18:00

28	Sunday	ENTRANCE OF THE LORD INTO JERUSALEM.	
		PALM SUNDAY	
		Early Liturgy in English	7:00
		Later Divine Liturgy	9:30
		Matins of Holy Monday	18:00
29	Monday	Matins	19:00
30	Tuesday	Matins	19:00
1a	Wednesday	Hours, Typica, and Presanctified Liturgy	8:00
		Matins	19:00
2	Thursday	Vespers and Divine Liturgy	9:00
		Matins and Reading of the 12 Gospels	18:30
3	Friday	Royal Hours	8:00
		Vespers with the bringing out of the Holy Shroud	15:00
		Matins and the burial of the Holy Shroud	18:30
4	Saturday	Vespers and Divine Liturgy	9:00
		1 st blessing of Paschal foods – after Liturgy	
		2^{nd} blessing of Paschal foods – at 23:00	
		3 rd blessing of Paschal foods – after the Pascha service	
		Midnight Office	
5	Sunday		23:30
	2 j	The Holy Resurrection of Christ	
		Pascha	
		Paschal Matins and	
		Divine Liturgy at midnight	
		Paschal Vespers at 18:00	
6	Monday	Matins and Divine Liturgy	9:00