

## **2015 SCHEDULE OF HOLY WEEK & PASCHAL SERVICES**

### **St. Innocent Orthodox Church**

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### **GREAT & HOLY WEEK OF OUR LORD'S PASSION**

Sat	4/4		<b>LAZARUS SATURDAY</b>
		10am	Divine Liturgy for the Great Feast of Lazarus Saturday ( <i>Resurrection of Lazarus</i> )
		4pm	Great Vespers & Litiya for Palm Sunday; Confessions
Sun	4/5		<b>PALM/WILLOW SUNDAY (Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem)</b>
		9am	Hours & Akathist to the Divine Passion of Christ
		9:30am	General Examination of Conscience ( <i>Please be on time</i> ) Blessing of Palms & Willows
		10am	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom for the Great Feast of Palm/Willow Sunday
		6:30pm	Bridegroom Matins, Holy Transfiguration Church, 36075 W. 7 Mile, Livonia (w/ of Farmington) ( <i>After today, Confessions are by appointment only throughout this week, please.</i> )
Mon	4/6	7pm	<b>GREAT &amp; HOLY MONDAY:</b> Bridegroom Matins ( <i>for Tuesday</i> )
Tues	4/7	7pm	<b>GREAT &amp; HOLY TUESDAY:</b> Bridegroom Matins ( <i>for Wednesday</i> )
Wed	4/8	7pm	<b>GREAT &amp; HOLY WEDNESDAY:</b> Mystery/Sacrament of Holy Unction, for healing
Thurs	4/9	10am	<b>GREAT &amp; HOLY THURSDAY:</b> Vespersal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil ( <i>Christ's Last Supper</i> )
		7pm	Matins with 12 Gospel-Readings of Christ's Passion ( <i>decorating Christ's Tomb follows</i> )
Fri	4/10	3pm	<b>GREAT &amp; HOLY FRIDAY:</b> Vespers & Burial of Christ
		7pm	Matins, Lamentations, Procession with the Shroud; Ezekiel's Prophecy of the Resurrection
Sat	4/11	10am	<b>GREAT &amp; HOLY SATURDAY:</b> Vespersal Liturgy of St. Basil, w/ Old Testament Prophecies

### **THE RESURRECTION SERVICES**

Sat	4/11	11:30pm	Nocturns
Sun	4/12		<b>PASCHA — OUR LORD'S RESURRECTION — THE FEAST OF FEASTS</b>
		Midnight	Procession, Paschal Matins & Divine Liturgy of the Resurrection ( <i>Blessing of baskets &amp; Agape Meal in hall follows</i> )
		11am	Paschal Agape Vespers ( <i>with Gospel read in different languages</i> ) & Agape Fellowship
			<b>BRIGHT WEEK:</b> Monday through Saturday ( <i>no fasting</i> )
Sat	4/18		BRIGHT SATURDAY: Fr. Roman in NJ for Annual Bright Sat. Hierarchal Liturgy
		4pm	NO VESPERS TODAY
Sun	4/19		<b>ST. THOMAS SUNDAY</b>
		9:15am	Hours & Akathist for the Resurrection
		10am	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom for St. Thomas Sunday
		1pm	<b><u>GRAVE-BLESSINGS TODAY</u></b>
			<b>MYRRH-BEARING-WOMEN SUNDAY</b>
Sat	4/25	4pm	Great Vespers for Myrrh-Bearing-Women Sunday
Sun	4/26	9am	Baptism & Chrismation of infant Daria Korniyevskaya
		10am	Divine Liturgy for Myrrh-Bearing-Women Sunday
		1pm	<b><u>GRAVE-BLESSINGS COMPLETED</u></b>

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE YOUR FAMILY'S PASCHAL GRAVE-BLESSINGS DONE ON APRIL 19<sup>th</sup> (Thomas Sun.) OR ON APRIL 26<sup>th</sup> (Myrrh-Bearing-Women Sunday), PLEASE SEE FR. ROMAN & ARRANGE A DAY & TIME FOR THEM.