



## CALENDAR OF WORSHIP SERVICES DURING CHRISTMAS 2017 & THEOPHANY 2018

### **DECEMBER 2017**

- 12-17      Sunday      **Sunday of the Holy Forefathers**  
*Also: The Holy Prophet Daniel and the Three Holy Youths, Ananius, Azarius, and Misailis*  
  
8:30 am      Sunday Orthros / 10 am      Divine Liturgy  
  
\* *Greek School students present the Christmas Kalanda program after Divine Liturgy in the church*
- 12-22      Friday      9:00 am      **THE ROYAL HOURS OF CHRISTMAS**
- 12-23      Saturday      **Before the Nativity of Christ**  
4:00 pm      Great Vespers
- 12-24      Sunday      **Sunday before the Nativity of Christ** (*wherein we commemorate all the God-pleasing people through all the ages, from Adam up through Joseph the Betrothed of the Most Holy Theotokos*)  
**Christmas Eve**  
*Also: The Holy Righteous Martyr Eugenia*  
  
8:30 am      Sunday Orthros / 10 am      Divine Liturgy  
  
\* *There are no Church School classes today.*  
  
7:00 pm      **GREAT VESPERS OF CHRISTMAS**
- 12-25      Monday      The Nativity in the Flesh of our Lord, God, and Savior Jesus Christ      (Christmas Day)**  
8:45 am      Orthros of Christmas  
10:00 am      Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great

**SPECIAL NOTE:** -- »Throughout this Twelve Day celebration, at the meal table, there are no fasting restrictions of any kind, except on the Eve of Theophany [1/5], which, when it falls on a Saturday or Sunday, it is permitted to partake of wine and oil.»

- 12-31      Sunday      **Sunday before Theophany & New Year's Eve & Leave-taking of Christmas**  
8:30 am      Sunday Orthros / 10 am      Divine Liturgy  
  
\* *There are no Church School classes today.*



## JANUARY 2018

*Happy New Year!*

1-5      Friday      **Eve of Theophany (Epiphany) STRICT FAST DAY**

9:00 am      The Great Hours of Theophany

6:00 pm      Great Vespers & Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great, & the Great Blessing of the Waters

**1-6      Saturday      The Holy Theophany of our Lord, God, and Savior Jesus Christ**

8:45 am      Orthros (Matins)

10:00 am      Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

11:10 am      The Great Blessing of the Waters

7:00 pm      Great Vespers @ St. John's, Boardman

1-7      Sunday      **The Assembly of the Honorable, Glorious Prophet, Forerunner, and Baptist John**

8:30 am      Sunday Orthros / 10 am      Divine Liturgy

*\* There are no Church School classes today.*

1-10      **Wednesday After the Lights (St. Gregory of Nyssa)**

9:00 am      Divine Liturgy only

1-14      Sunday      **Sunday after the Lights (Theophany) & Leave-taking of Theophany**

8:30 am      Sunday Orthros (Matins)

10:00 am      Divine Liturgy

*\* Church School classes resume today.*

*\* Today the Cutting of the Vasilopita will take place after Liturgy in the church.*