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ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ ΙΕΡΩΝ ΑΚΟΥΛΟΥΘΕΙΩΝ - ΠΑΣΧΑ 2016

ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ	23.4.16	ΤΟΥ ΛΑΖΑΡΟΥ—Θεία Λειτουργία, 7.00– 10.00πμ
ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ	23.4.16	Μέγας Εσπερινός τῶν Βαΐων, 5.00μμ
ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ	24.4.16	ΤΩΝ ΒΑΙΩΝ - Θεία Λειτουργία, 7.00—11.00πμ
ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ	24.4.16	Η ΑΚΟΥΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΝΥΜΦΙΟΥ, 7.00μμ Χοροστατοῦντος τοῦ Θεοφιλεστάτου Ἐπισκόπου Δέρβης Κ. Ἰεζεκιήλ
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ	25.4.16	Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία, 8.00—9.30πμ Η ΑΚΟΥΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΝΥΜΦΙΟΥ, 7.00μμ
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΡΙΤΗ	26.4.16	Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία, 8.00—9.30πμ Η ΑΚΟΥΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΝΥΜΦΙΟΥ, 7.00μμ (Τό Τροπάριον της Κασσιανῆς)
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ	27.4.16	Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία, 8.00—9.30πμ
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ	27.4.16	ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΕΥΧΕΛΑΙΟΝ, 6.00μμ, καί ἐν συνεχείᾳ ὁ ΟΡΘΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΗΣ ΠΕΜΠΤΗΣ
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΠΕΜΠΤΗ	28.4.16	Πρωινή Θεία Λειτουργία, 6.00πμ, καί συνέχεια Θεία Κοινωνία
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΠΕΜΠΤΗ	28.4.16	Η ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΩΝ ΑΓΙΩΝ ΠΑΘΩΝ—7.00μμ
ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ	29.4.16	ΑΙ ΜΕΓΑΛΑΙ ΩΡΑΙ, 8.00-10.00πμ, καί ἐν συνεχείᾳ Ο ΣΤΟΛΙΣΜΟΣ ΤΟΥ ΕΠΙΤΑΦΙΟΥ <u>Τό Ἀπόγευμα</u> — ΜΕΓΑΣ ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΠΟΚΑΘΗΛΩΣΙΣ, 3.00μμ <u>Τό Ἑσπέρας</u> — Ο ΕΠΙΤΑΦΙΟΣ ΘΡΗΝΟΣ, 7.00μμ
ΜΕΓΑ ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ	30.4.16	Πρωινή Θεία Λειτουργία καί Τελετή τῆς Πρώτης Ἀναστάσεως, 6.00πμ καί συνέχεια Θεία Κοινωνία
ΜΕΓΑ ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ	30.4.16	<u>Τό Ἑσπέρας</u> — Η ΤΕΛΕΤΗ ΚΑΙ Η ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ ΤΗΣ ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΕΩΣ, 11.00μμ Εἰς τὰς 11.50μμ ΔΕΥΤΕ ΛΑΒΕΤΕ ΦΩΣ καί ἀκολουθῶς τό ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ ΑΝΕΣΤΗ Ἱερουργοῦντος τοῦ Θεοφιλεστάτου Ἐπισκόπου Ἰακώβου, Μιλητουπόλεως
ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΣΧΑ	1.5.16	ΜΕΓΑΣ ΠΑΝΗΓΥΡΙΚΟΣ ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΑΓΑΠΗΣ Εἰς τόν Ἱερόν Ἀρχιεπισκοπικόν Ναόν τοῦ Ἁγίου Εὐσταθίου, SOUTH MELBOURNE προεξάρχοντος του Θεοφιλεστάτου Ἐπισκόπου Δέρβης Κ. Ἰεζεκιήλ τῇ συμμετοχῇ τοῦ Ἱεροῦ Κλήρου Μελβούρνης, 11.00πμ
ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΣΧΑ	2.5.16	ΑΓΙΟΥ ΓΕΩΡΓΙΟΥ, ΜΕΓΑΛΟΜΑΡΤΥΡΟΣ Θεία Λειτουργία, 7.00—9.30πμ
ΤΡΙΤΗ	3.5.16	ΤΩΝ ΑΓΙΩΝ ΡΑΦΑΗΛ, ΝΙΚΟΛΑΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΕΙΡΗΝΗΣ Θεία Λειτουργία, 7.00—9.30πμ
ΠΕΜΠΤΗ	5.5.16	ΑΓ. ΕΙΡΗΝΗΣ, ΜΕΓΑΛΟΜΑΡΤΥΡΟΣ, ΕΦΡΑΙΜ, ΟΣ. Θεία Λειτουργία, 7.00—9.30πμ
ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ	6.5.16	ΤΗΣ ΖΩΟΔΟΧΟΥ ΠΗΓΗΣ - Θεία Λειτουργία, 7.00—9.30πμ

ΠΑΡΑΚΑΛΕΙΣΘΕ ΘΕΡΜΩΣ ὅταν θά ἔλθετε νά κοινωνήσετε νά τηρήσετε τά ἀκόλουθα -

- Νά εἶσθε ντυμένοι εὐπρεπῶς
- Νά προσέλθετε ἐγκαίρως
- Νά μή ἔχετε τά χεῖλη σας βαμμένα μέ μακιάζ (lipstick)
- Νά ἔχετε προετοιμασθεῖ μέ νηστεία, προσευχή καί ἐξομολόγηση.

ΕΥΧΕΤΗΡΙΟΝ

Ὁ π. Ἀθανάσιος, ὁ π. Ἐφραίμ καί τό Ἐκκλησιαστικό Συμβούλιο,
Ἑυχονται σέ ὅλους ΚΑΛΗΝ ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΒΔΟΜΑΔΑ καί μέ ὑγεία καί χαρά Το ΑΓΙΟΝ ΠΑΣΧΑ.

SATURDAY 23 APRIL (LAZARUS SATURDAY)

- Divine Liturgy : 7.00-10.00am

Lazarus was raised from the dead by our Lord. The Church names this day the "Saturday of Lazarus" in remembrance of the resurrection of Lazarus and its promise of universal resurrection for all men.

- Great Vespers (Palm Sunday Vespers) : 5.00pm

SUNDAY 24 APRIL (PALM SUNDAY)

- Divine Liturgy : 7.30 – 11.00am

Jesus enters Jerusalem as King and the people lay palm branches along the road to greet Him.

We receive palm branches on this day to acknowledge that we accept Jesus as our King.

- Evening Service of the Bridegroom (TOY NYMΦΙΟΥ) : 7.00pm - presided by His Grace Bishop Ezekiel of Dervis.

Christ, the Bridegroom (O NYMΦΙΟΣ); the blessed Joseph; the Barren Fig Tree.

MONDAY 25 APRIL (HOLY WEEK BEGINS)

- Pre-sanctified Divine Liturgy : 8.00 – 9.30am

In this ancient and inspired service, we receive Holy Communion which was consecrated at the Divine Liturgy on the previous Sunday

- Evening Service of the Bridegroom (TOY NYMΦΙΟΥ) : 7.00pm – Parable of the Ten Virgins.

TUESDAY 26 APRIL

- Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy : 8.00 – 9.30am

- Evening Service of the Bridegroom (TOY NYMΦΙΟΥ) : 7.00pm

We remember the sinful woman who anointed Christ, in anticipation of His death.

*Her repentance and love for Christ are the theme of the **Hymn of Cassiane**, chanted this night.*

WEDNESDAY 27 APRIL (Christ's betrayal by Judas Iscariot)

- Pre-sanctified Divine Liturgy : 8.00 – 9.30am

- The Sacrament of Holy Unction : 6.00pm

The priest anoints us with Holy Oil (Ευχέλαιον) so that we may be spiritually and physically healed.

- Followed by Matins of Holy Thursday.

THURSDAY 28 APRIL (The Mystic Supper)

- Divine Liturgy : 6.00am, followed by Holy Communion

- The Service of the Passion of our Lord : 7.00pm

The Twelve Readings from the Gospels during which the Crucifix is carried to the front of the altar by the priest.

These selected narratives from the four Gospels, relate to the events of Christ's Holy Passion (ΠΑΘΟΣ) and His last instructions to the twelve disciples.

FRIDAY 29 APRIL (HOLY FRIDAY) (Christ's Crucifixion, Death and Burial)

- The Service of the Great Hours : 8.00 – 10.00am

- Followed by the preparation of the Epitaphion (Bier) by women of the Church.

- Great Vespers and the Taking down of the Body of Christ from the Cross (ΑΠΟΚΑΘΗΛΩΣΙΣ) : 3.00pm

The priest takes down Christ's Body from the Cross, wraps it in a white cloth (shroud) and then places it in the Altar, as a symbol of His Burial by Joseph of Arimathea.

- The Service of Lamentations (ΕΥΚΩΜΙΑ) : 7.00pm

The mourning of Christ's undeserved death to save us from our sins, followed by the procession of the Epitaphion (Bier) symbolizing our Lord's Burial.

SATURDAY 30 APRIL (Christ's descent to Hades, and His Holy Resurrection)

- Divine Liturgy and Service of the Pre-Announcement of the Resurrection : 6.00am, followed by Holy Communion.

- Service and Divine Liturgy of the Resurrection : 11.00pm - officiated by His Grace Bishop Iakovos of Militoupolis

At midnight, in the darkened church, the faithful receive Holy Light (ΑΓΙΟ ΦΩΣ) from the priest. The congregation hears the good news of Christ's triumph; His victory over death, from the Gospel. The joyous hymn of Christ's Resurrection is triumphantly chanted –

"Christ is Arisen!" (ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ ΑΝΕΣΤΗ!) The Divine Liturgy of the Resurrection follows, where we are invited to take part in the feast of

the Resurrection and to receive Holy Communion, ending with receiving the blessing together with the traditional red egg from the priest.

SUNDAY 1 MAY (HOLY PASCHA)

- Great Paschal Vespers of Agape : 11.00am

At our Archdiocese Church of St. Eustathios, South Melbourne, headed by His Grace Bishop Ezekiel, and participated by the clergy of Melbourne. (Bible passage is read in many languages representing the universality of our Lord's Resurrection.)

MONDAY 2 MAY : Divine Liturgy : 7.00 – 9.30am—Commemorating Saint George, Great-Martyr

TUESDAY 3 MAY : Divine Liturgy : 7.00 – 9.30am - Commemorating Saints Raphael, Nicholas and Irene

THURSDAY 5 MAY : Divine Liturgy : 7.00 – 9.30am - Commemorating St Irene, Great-Martyr, Osios Ephrem

FRIDAY 6 MAY : Divine Liturgy : 7.00 – 9.30am—Commemorating Miracle of the Life-Giving Spring

PLEASE NOTE: HOLY COMMUNION

When coming for Holy Communion—be modestly dressed, be present at the Service, don't wear lipstick as this sticks to the Holy Spoon and also stains the Communion cloth. Ensure you prepare yourselves spiritually with prayer, fasting and confession.