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Gospel: Mark 2:1-12
Epistle: Heb.1:10-2:3

March 5, 2023, St. Gregory of
Palamas

Schedule of Services for 3rd Week of Lent

Sunday, March 12, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy of St. Basil 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, March 15, Presanctified Liturgy 6:30 p.m. Confession 5:45 p.m.

Friday, March 17, Akathist 6:30 p.m. To the Most-Holy Lady Theotokos

Saturday, March 18 Great Vespers 6:30 p.m. Confession 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 19, Matins 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy of St. Basil 9:30 a.m. **Mid-Lent Veneration of the Cross of Christ.**

Special Church Committee Meeting will be held this Thursday, March 16, at 6:00 p.m. underneath the Church. **Please make every effort to attend!**

Adult Education Class will be held this Wednesday, March 15, following the celebration of the Presanctified Liturgy. A Lenten meal will be offered. Please see Maryann Dubee this morning and let her know what you will be bringing. **Theme: The Teaching of St. Gregory of Palamas.**

Flowers for the Sunday of the Cross are needed to be donated. Please see Fr. John during Coffee hour and let your intention be known. In loving memory or good health.

Wilkes-Barre Deanery Mission will be held on next Sunday, March 19, at St. Michael's Orthodox Church in Old Forge, Pa at 4:00 p.m. This is being followed by a Lenten Meal and a Concert offered by St. Tikhon's Seminary. Fr. Michael Shepherd is the Pastor.

Please make every effort to attend and participate in all the Lenten services scheduled this week as they are held for our spiritual benefit. **Let us go on our journey to Pascha together.**

Church School will be held this Sunday, March 12, following the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. A Special thank you to the parents who made a commitment to Orthodox Christian Education and provide a spiritual and religious dynamic for their children.

St. Tikhon's Summer Camp: Volunteers Needed. Available positions; Counselors, Kitchen Crew, Nurse, Lifeguard. Must be 18+ an Orthodox Christian in good standing & available July 1-8. For more information contact Fr. Michael Shepherd 570-229-4829 or StTikhonsCamp.org to receive a staff application. Help us spread the word and encourage family & friends to volunteer.

Coffee Hour Hostesses for Sunday; March **12,** Ruth Lasichak & Roxanne Neutts, **March 19,** Vicky Kravetsky and Charrette Radionoff, **March 26,** Maryann Dubee & Susan Schlasta.

Vision Statement: "We seek to rededicate ourselves to the teachings of the Holy Orthodox Catholic and Apostolic Church. We are here to provide a loving and caring community, by participating in the worship services, so we may reach-out to those who are lost and witness the love of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ."

- **Adopted on October 17, 2022.**

Please remember in your prayers; **Irene Leschak** who is home receiving rehab; 229 Lackawanna Ave, Jermyn, Pa. 18433. **John Drutarosky**, who is a patient at the Carbondale Nursing & Rehabilitation Center 10 Heart Place, Carbondale, Pa. 18407 **Peter Senio** is a guest at The Gardens of Green Ridge, 2751 Boulevard Ave, Scranton, Pa. **Nicholas Mattise**, is a guest at the Personal Care at Allied Terrace, 100 Terrace Ln, Scranton, Pa.

Thought for the Day. A bad attitude is like a flat tire. You can't go anywhere until you change it.
