

April 2012

Date	Fasts & Feasts	Readings
1	Palm Sunday	Song of Songs 1:1-2:3; Zechariah 9:9-15; Philippians 4:4-7; Matthew 20:29-21:17
2	Great Monday	Morning: Matthew 21:18-22:14 Evening: Genesis 1:1-3:24; Proverbs 1:1-9; Isaiah 40:1-8; Matthew 20:17-28
3	Great Tuesday	Morning: Mark 12:13-44 Evening: Genesis 6:9-9:17; Proverbs 9:1-10:6; Isaiah 40:9-17; Matthew 24:1-26:2
4	Great Wednesday	Morning: Mark 14:1-11 Evening: Genesis 18:1-19:30; Proverbs 1:10-19; Zechariah 11:11-14; Matthew 26:3-16
5	Great Thursday	Morning: John 12:27-43 Office of Penitents: Isaiah 60:20-22; Ezekiel 36:24-31; Hebrews 10:19-31; Luke 7:36-50 Holy Eucharist: Genesis 22:1-18; Isaiah 61:1-7; Acts 1:15-26; Mark 14:1-26; 1 Corinthians 11:23-32; Matthew 26:17-30 Washing of the Feet: Exodus 30:17-21; 1 Kings 7:38-40; 2 Chronicles 4:2-6; Isaiah 44:2-6; 1 Corinthians 10:1-4; 1 John 4:7-21; John 13:1-11; John 13:12-15
6	Great Friday	Passion: John 13:16-18:1; Luke 22:1-65; Mark 14:27-72; Matthew 26:31-56; Matthew 26:47-75; John 18:2-27; John 18:28-19:16 Crucifixion: Zechariah 11:11-14; Galatians 6:14-18; Isaiah 3:9-15; Philippians 2:5-11; Isaiah 50:4-9; Romans 5:6-11; Amos 8:9-12; 1 Corinthians 1:18-31; Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Hebrews 2:11-18; Matthew 27:1-56; Isaiah 63:1-6; Hebrews 9:11-28; Mark 15:1-41; Jeremiah 11:18-12:8; Hebrews 10:19-31; Luke 22:66-23:49; Zechariah 14:5-11; 1 Timothy 6:13-16; John 19:17-37 Burial: Jeremiah 11:18-12:8; Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Wisdom 2:1-22; Zechariah 12:8-14; 1 Peter 3:17-20; Matthew 27:57-61
7	Great Saturday – Easter Eve	Morning: Matthew 27:62-66 Easter Eve: Genesis 1:1-3:24; Genesis 22:1-18; Exodus 12:1-24; Jonah 1:1-4:11; Exodus 13:24-15:21; Isaiah 60:1-13; Job 38:1-28; Joshua 1:1-9; 2 Kings 2:1-22; Jeremiah 31:31-34; Ezekiel 37:1-14; Daniel 3:1-90. Divine Liturgy: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Matthew 28:1-20. Readings for the Annunciation of the Holy Mother of God: Song of Songs 1:1-11; Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Isaiah 52:7-10; Zechariah 2:10-13; Malachi 3:1-2; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 1:26-38
8	Easter	Acts 1:15-26; Mark 16:2-8 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:13-36; John 20:1-18; John 5:24-30; John 19:31-37; John 20:19-25
9		Acts 2:22-41; Luke 24:1-12 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:1-12; Mark 16:2-8; Luke 24:1-12

10		Acts 2:42-3:21; Luke 24:13-35 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:1-12; Luke 24:13-35
11		Acts 3:22-4:12; James 1:1-12; Luke 24:36-40 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:13-35; Luke 24:36-40
12		Acts 4:13-31; James 1:13-27; Matthew 5:1-12 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:36-40; Matthew 5:1-12
13		Acts 4:32-5:11; James 2:1-13; John 21:1-14 Evening Gospels: Matthew 5:1-12; John 21:1-14
14	Beheading of St. John the Baptist	Proverbs 8:4-11; Isaiah 40:3-8; Malachi 4:4-6; Acts 13:26-33; Mark 6:14-29 Acts 5:12-33; James 2:14-26; John 21:15-25
15	New Sunday	1) Luke 4:14-30; 2) Acts 5:31-6:7; James 3:1-12; John 1:1-17; 3) John 21:5-25; Matthew 27:50-61; 4) John 20:26-31
16		1) Luke 4:31-41; 2) Acts 6:8-7:29; James 3:13-4:6; John 1:18-28; 3) Matthew 4:12-25; 4) Mark 1:14-20
17		1) Luke 4:42-5:11; 2) Acts 7:30-8:2; James 4:7-17; John 1:29-34; 3) Matthew 5:1-16; 4) Mark 1:21-34
18		1) Luke 5:12-16; 2) Acts 8:3-13; James 5:1-11; John 1:35-42; 3) Matthew 5:17-48 4) Mark 1:35-45
19		1) Luke 5:17-26; 2) Acts 8:14-25; James 5:12-20; John 1:43-51; 3) Matthew 6:1-21; 4) Mark 2:1-12
20		1) Luke 5:27-39; 2) Acts 8:26-40; 1 Peter 1:1-12; John 2:1-11; 3) Matthew 6:22-34; 4) Mark 2:13-22
21		1) Luke 6:1-11; 2) Acts 9:1-22; 1 Peter 1:13-25; John 2:12-22; 3) Matthew 7:1-8:17; 4) Mark 2:23-3:5
22	Green Sunday	1) Luke 6:12-45; 2) Acts 9:23-31; 1 Peter 2:1-10; John 2:23-3:12; 3) Matthew 8:18-9:8 4) Mark 3:6-12
23		1) Luke 7:1-10; 2) Acts 9:32-43; 1 Peter 2:11-17; John 3:13-21; 3) Matthew 9:9-17; 4) Mark 3:13-19
24	Armenian Martyrs' Day	1) Luke 7:11-35; 2) Acts 10:1-23; 1 Peter 2:18-25; John 3:22-36; 3) Matthew 9:18-26; 4) Mark 3:20-30
25		1) Luke 7:36-50; 2) Acts 10:24-48; 1 Peter 3:1-9; John 4:1-23; 3) Matthew 9:27-34; 4) Mark 3:31-35

- Beginning with April 16 until Pentecost (June 4), each day four Gospels are read in the following order: 1) Morning – Luke; 2) Midday – John; 3) Evening – Matthew; 4) Evening dismissal – Mark.

26		1) Luke 8:1-21; 2) Acts 11:1-26; 1 Peter 3:10-22; John 4:24-42; 3) Matthew 9:35-10:15; 4) Mark 4:1-9
27		1) Luke 8:22-56; 2) Acts 11:27-12:24; 1 Peter 4:1-11; John 4:43-54; 3) Matthew 10:16-42; 4) Mark 4:10-20
28		1) Luke 9:1-17; 2) Acts 12:25-13:15; 1 Peter 4:12-19; John 5:1-18; 3) Matthew 11:1-24; 4) Mark 4:21-25
29	Red Sunday	1) Luke 9:18-36; 2) Acts 13:16-43; 1 Peter 5:1-14; John 5:19-30; 3) Matthew 11:25-30; 4) Mark 4:26-24
30		1) Luke 9:37-50; 2) Acts 13:44-14:6; 2 Peter 1:1-11; John 5:31-47; 3) Matthew 12:1-21; 4) Mark 4:35-5:20