

**SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES**  
**APRIL 2021**  
**THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY MOTHER PIDIOTISSA IN ALANYA**

- 1 Thu Martyrs Chrysanthus and Daria, and those with them at Rome: Claudius, Hilaria, Jason, Maurus, Diodorus presbyter, and Marianus deacon (283)  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 2 Fri The Holy Fathers who were slain at the Monastery of St.Sabbas: Venerables John, Sergius, Patrick, and others (796).  
**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**  
**17.00 Small Compline. Akathist to the Mother of God. Commemorial Service**
- 3 Sat Venerable James the Confessor (VIII-IX). Venerable Seraphim Vyritsa (1949). St. Cyril, bishop of Catania. St. Thomas, patriarch of Constantinople (610).  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Divine Liturgy, Commemorial Service**  
**17.00 All-Night Vigil**
- 4 Sun **Adoration of Cross.** Hieromartyr Basil, presbyter of Ancyra (363). Venerable Isaac of Dalmatia (IV)  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Dive Liturgy of St. Basil the Great**  
**17.00 Vespers. Small Compline**
- 5 Mon Monk-martyr Nikon and 199 disciples, in Sicily (251). Martyrs Philetas the Senator, his wife Lydia, their sons Macedon and Theoprepus, the notary Cronides, and Amphilochius the Captain, in Illyria (117-138).  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 6 Tue **Forefeast of the Annunciation.** Venerable Zacharias of Egypt (IV). St. Artemon, bishop of **Pisidian** Seleucia ( I-II)  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Matins of the Annunciation of the Lord**
- 7 Wed *The Annunciation of Our Most Holy Lady, the Theotokos and Ever-Virgin Mary*  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Divine Liturgy**  
**17.00 Vespers of the leavetaking of the Annunciation. Great Compline**
- 8 Thu Leave-Taking of the Annunciation. Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel.  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 9 Fri St. Matrona of Thessalonica (III-IV). Martyrs Manuel and Theodosius (304). Venerable John the Clairvoyant (394-395)  
**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**  
**17.00 Small Compline. Akathist to the Mother of God. Commemorial Service**
- 10 Sat Venerable Hilarion the New (ca. 754). Venerable Stephen the Wonderworker, abbot of Tryglia  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Divine Liturgy, Commemorial Service**  
**17.00 All-Night Vigil**

- 11 Sun Venerable John of the Ladder (649). St. Sophronius, bishop of Irkutsk (1771)  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Dive Liturgy of St. Basil the Great**  
**17.00 Vespers. Small Compline**
- 12 Mon Venerable John (of the Ladder) of Sinai (649).  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 13 Tue Venerable Hypatius, bishop of Gangra (326). Repose of St. Jonah, metropolitan of Kiev, Moscow, and all Russia (1461 St. Innocent of Moscow, enlightener of Alaska and Siberia (1879)  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 14 Wed Venerable Mary the Egyptian (522). Venerable Euthymius, monk, of Suzdal (1404). Venerable Barsanuphius of Optina (1913).  
**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts**  
**17.00 Small Compline with the reading of the Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete**
- 15 Thu Thursday of the Great Canon. Venerable Titus the Wonderworker (IX)  
**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 16 Fri Venerable Nicetas the Confessor, abbot of Medikion (824).  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Small Compline with the Akathist to the Mother of God**
- 17 Sat Laudation of the Mother of God. Venerable Joseph the Hymnographer of Sicily (883). Venerable George, monk, of Mt. Maleon in the Peloponnesus (9th c.).  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Divine Liturgy, Commemorial Service**  
**17.00 All-Night Vigil**
- 18 Sun** Venerable Mary of Egypt  
**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Dive Liturgy of St. Basil the Great**  
**17.00 Vespers. Small Compline**
- 19 Mon St. Eutychius, patriarch of Constantinople (582). 120 Martyrs of Persia (345).  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 20 Tue Venerable George the Confessor, bishop of Mitylene (820). Martyr Calliopos at Pompeiopolis in Cilicia (304 Martyrs Rufinus deacon, Aquilina, and 200 soldiers at Sinope (ca. 310).  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 21 Wed Holy Apostles of the Seventy: Herodion, Agabus, Asyncritus, Rufus, Phlegon, Hermes, and those with them (I).  
**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**  
**17.00 Great Compline**
- 22 Thu Martyr Euppsychius (362). Martyrs Desan bishop, Mariabus presbyter, Abdiesus, and 270 other martyrs in Persia (362-364). Hieromartyr Bademus (Vadim), archimandrite of Persia (376)  
**09.00 Matins. Hours. Typica. Vespers.**

**17.00 Great Compline**

23 Fri Martyrs Terence, Pompeius, Africanus, Maximus, Zeno, Alexander, Theodore, and 33 others, beheaded at Carthage (249-251)

**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**

**17.00 Great Matins.**

24 Sat Lazarus Saturday. Hieromartyr Antipas, bishop of Pergamus (ca. 68). Martyrs Processus and Martinian of Rome (ca. 67).

**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Divine Liturgy**

**17.00 All-Night Vigil of the Entry of Our Lord into Jerusalem (Palm Sunday)**

**25 Sun The Entry of the Lord into Jerusalem (Palm Sunday)**

**08.30 Hours, Confession 09.00 Divine Liturgy**

**17.00 The Service of the Bridegroom (Matins of Great Monday)**

26 Mon **Great Monday.** Hieromartyr Artemon, presbyter of Laodicea (303). Martyr Crescens of Myra in Lycia (III). Martyr Thomais of Alexandria (476).

**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**

**17.00 The Servicer of the Bridegroom (Matins of Great Tuesday)**

27 Tue **Great Tuesday.** St. Martin the Confessor, pope of Rome (655).

**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**

**17.00 The Service of the Bridegroom (Matins of Great Wednesday)**

28 Wed **Great Wednesday.** Martyr Crescens of Myra (250)

**09.00 Hours, Confession. Vespers with the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.**

**17.00 The Mystery of the Holy Unction. Matins of Great Thursday**

29 Thu **Great Thursday.** Virgin-martyrs Agape, Irene, and Chionia in Illyria (304)

**09.00 Vespers and Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great**

**17.00 Matins of Great Friday with the 12 Gospel readings**

30 Fri **Great Friday.** Hieromartyr Simeon, bishop in Persia and those with him (344)

**09.00 1st, 3rd and 6th Royal Hours**

**16.00 9th Royal Hours and Vespers with the procession of the Epitaphios**