



SAINT JAMES ORTHODOX CHURCH

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October 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
September 2026 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30		November 2026 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30		1 Homeschool Group at 1 pm 6:30 pm Men's Meeting Protection of the Theotokos. Romanos the Melodist.	2 ^{Fast} 7:00 pm Women's Game Night Cyprian and Justina.	3 9: 00 am—1: 00 pm Work Day at St Gabriel's 6:00 PM—Great Vespers . Dionysius the Areopagite.
4 9:00 AM—Matins 10:00—Divine Liturgy Hierotheos of Athens. Stephen(Sziljanovic) of Serbia and His Wife Elena.	5 Charitina. Peter, Alexis, and Jonah, Metropolitans of Moscow.	6 7:00 AM—Morning Hour Prayer & Fellowship Break-fast. Glorification of Innocent, Apostle to America . Apostle Thomas	7 ^{Fast} 8:00 AM Women's Walk & Talk 6:00 PM—Paraklesis Service (Arabic, Assyrian, & English) 7:15 PM—Teen SOYO Sergius and Bacchus of Syria.	8 Homeschool Group at 1 pm Pelagia the Penitent.	9 ^{Fast} Stephen the Blind of Serbia. Apostle James, Son of Alphaeos.	10 6:00 PM—Great Vespers Eulampius and Eulampia. Fourteen Elders of Optina Monastery
11 9:00 AM—Matins 10:00—Divine Liturgy 3:00 pm Nicholes-Patterson Wedding Apostle Philip the Deacon of the Seventy.	12 ^{Fast} Symeon The New Theologian Probus, Tarachus, and Andronicus..	13 7:00 AM—Morning Hour Prayer & Fellowship Break-fast. Carpus and Papyrus Benjamin the Deacon	14 ^{Fast} 8:00 AM Women's Walk & Talk 6:00 PM—Paraklesis Service (Arabic, Assyrian, & English) 7:15 PM—Teen SOYO Paraskeva of Serbia Cosmas the Hymnographer	15 Homeschool Group at 1 pm 6:00 pm Women's Book Club at Casa 6:00 pm Men's Meeting Lucian of Antioch	16 ^{Fast} Longinus the Centurion	17 6:00 PM—Great Vespers 7:00-9:00 pm SOYO Baking Night Propher Hosea
18 9:00 AM—Matins 10:00—Divine Liturgy After Liturgy : SOYO Special Olympics Bake Sale Apostle Philip the Deacon of the Seventy	19 John of Kronstadt , the Wonderworker. Prophet Joel John of Rila	20 7:00 AM—Morning Hour Prayer & Fellowship Break- 5: 00 pm Women's Tea & Talk - 6:00 pm Women's 6:00 pm Parish Council meeting Great Martyr Artemius of Antioch	21 ^{Fast} 8:00 AM Women's Walk & Talk 6:00 PM—Paraklesis Service (Arabic, Assyrian, & English) 7:15 PM—Teen SOYO Hilarion the Great	22 Homeschool Group at 1 pm 6:00 pm Vespers for St. James Feast Day Followed by a festal reception! Our Lady of Kazan Icon Seven Holy Children Martyred at Ephesus	23 ^{Fast (wine & oil)} Oct 23 & 24 DLAW Fall Gathering Feast of St. James Brother of the Lord Ambrose of Optina	24 Oct 23 & 24 DLAW Fall Gathering 6:00 PM—Great Vespers Great Marrrtyr Arethas
25 9:00 AM—Matins 10:00—Divine Liturgy After Liturgy : Chili Cook Off Event Marcian and Martyrius Tabitha the Merciful	26 Great Marrrtyr Demetrius the Myrrh-Streamer	27 7:00 AM—Morning Hour Prayer & Fellowship Break-fast Procla, Wife of Pontius Pilate	28 ^{Fast} 8:00 AM Women's Walk & Talk 6:00 PM—Paraklesis Service (Arabic, Assyrian, & English) 7:15 PM—Teen SOYO Terence and Neonilla	29 Homeschool Group at 1 pm 6:30 pm Men's Meeting Anastasia the Roman	30 ^{Fast} Zenobius and Zenobia	31 6:00 PM—Great Vespers John Kochurov of Chicago Epimachus of Egypt