

# March 2026 Martie

Sunday/Duminică	Monday/Luni	Tuesday/Martă	Wednesday/Miercuri	Thursday/Joi	Friday/Vineri	Saturday/Sâmbătă
Common Abstinence <b>1</b> <b>2nd Sunday of Lent - Gregory Palamas. Liturgy of St. Basil.</b> Tone 5. Res. Gospel 5. Epistle: Heb. 1: 10-14 2:1-4; Gospel: Mark 2:1-12.	Common Abstinence <b>2</b> Hieromartyr Theodotus, Bishop of Cyprus	Common Abstinence <b>3</b> Eutropius, Cleonicus and Basiliscus, Martyrs	Common Abstinence <b>4</b> Presanctified Liturgy Ven. Gerasimus of the Jordan	Common Abstinence <b>5</b> Conon of Isauria, martyr	Common Abstinence <b>6</b> Presanctified Liturgy 42 Martyrs of Amorium	Common Abstinence <b>7</b> <b>Saturday of the Dead</b> Hieromartyrs of Cherson, Basil, Ephrem, Eugenius, Capiton, Aetherius, Eplidius & Agathodorus
Common Abstinence <b>8</b> <b>3rd Sunday in Lent – Veneration of the Holy Cross. Liturgy of St. Basil.</b> Tone 6. Res. Gospel 6. Heb. 4: 14 to 5:6; Gospel: Mark 8:34 - 9:1. <b>Procession with the Holy Cross around the Church &amp; Veneration</b>	Common Abstinence <b>9</b> 40 Martyrs of Sebastea	Common Abstinence <b>10</b> Cedratrus and his companions, martyrs	Common Abstinence <b>11</b> Presanctified Liturgy Ven. Father Sophronius, Archbishop of Jerusalem	Common Abstinence <b>12</b> Ven. Theophan the Confessor, Holy Father Gregory the Dialogist.	Common Abstinence <b>13</b> Presanctified Liturgy Translation of the Relics of our Holy Father Nicephorus, Archbishop of Constantinople	Common Abstinence <b>14</b> <b>Saturday of the Dead</b> Ven. Father of Nursia, Alexander of Pidna, martyr.
Common Abstinence <b>15</b> <b>4th Sunday in Lent – Ven. Father John the Ladder. Liturgy of St. Basil.</b> Tone 7. Res. Gospel 7. Heb. 6: 13-20; Gospel: Mark 9:17-32.	Common Abstinence <b>16</b> Sabinus the Egyptian, martyr	Common Abstinence <b>17</b> Ven. Alexis, the "Man of God"	Common Abstinence <b>18</b> Presanctified Liturgy Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete with Lute of St. Mary of Egypt. H. Father Cyril, Archbishop of Jerusalem	Common Abstinence <b>19</b> <b>Thursday of the Great Canon.</b> Chrysanthus and Daria, martyrs	Common Abstinence <b>20</b> Presanctified Liturgy Akathist Hymn Ven. Fathers martyred at the Monastery of St. Sava in Palestine	Common Abstinence <b>21</b> <b>Saturday of the Akathist Hymn</b> Holy Father James of Catania
Common Abstinence <b>22</b> <b>5th Sunday of Lent – Ven. Mother Mary of Egypt. Liturgy of St. Basil.</b> Tone 8. Res. Gospel 8. Heb. 9: 11-14; Gospel: Mark 10:32-45.	Common Abstinence <b>23</b> Ven. Martyr Nikon and those 199 with him	Common Abstinence <b>24</b> Ven. Father Zachary the Recluse	Dispensation (Harti) <b>25</b> <b>(†) ANNUNCIATION</b> <b>Holy Day of Obligation</b> Epistle 2:11-18; Gospel Lk. 1:24-38.	Common Abstinence <b>26</b> Leave-taking of the Feast of the Annunciation of the Mother of God. Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel	Common Abstinence <b>27</b> Ven. Mother Matrona of Thessalonica	Common Abstinence <b>28</b> <b>Lazarus Saturday</b> Epistle Heb. 12:28-29, 13:1-8 <b>Gospel John 11:1-45</b> Commemoration of our H. Father Stephen and Hilarius the Younger
Common Abstinence <b>29</b> <b>Palm Sunday (Floriile)</b> <b>Liturgy of St. John. Begin Holy Week</b> Epistle: Phil. 4: 4-9, Gospel: Jn. 12:1-18. Tone 1. Res. Gospel 9.	Strict Abstinence <b>30</b> Presanctified Liturgy Great and Holy Monday Ven. John Climacus	Strict Abstinence <b>31</b> Presanctified Liturgy Great and Holy Monday Ven. Hypatius, Bishop of Gangra				

