

2017 DIOCESAN CALENDAR

JANUARY

- 1 New Year's Day, St. Basil's Church, Simpson
5 Christ the Saviour Church, Harrisburg: Ordination of Edward Hunter to Diaconate
6 *Theophany*
8 Holy Cross, Williamsport. Ordination of Deacon Ignatius (Edward) Hunter to Priesthood
14-16 St. Stephen's Cathedral, Philadelphia
15 Novogodny Ball, Philadelphia
22 Holy Trinity Church, Catasauqua
26-27 Diocesan Assembly, Christ the Saviour, Harrisburg

FEBRUARY

- 2 *Meeting of the Lord*
10-12 Teen Winter Retreat, Spruce Lake
23-24 Pre-Lenten Retreat, Franciscan Center
24-26 Holy Apostles Mission, Mechanicsburg
27 *First Day of Great Lent*

MARCH

- 01 Presanctified Liturgy, Holy Resurrection Cathedral
05 St. Michael Church, Old Forge
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, Holy Resurrection Cathedral, Wilkes-Barre
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, SS Peter & Paul Ukrainian Church, Wilmington, DE
08 Presanctified, St. Nicholas Church, Olyphant
09 Diocesan Council, St. Mark's Church, Wrightstown
12 Holy Ascension Church, Frackville
5 p.m. Mission Vespers, St Herman Church, Shillington
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, St Basil Church, Simpson
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, Holy Trinity Church, Pottstown
15 Presanctified, St. Michael Church, Jermyn
19 Christ the Saviour Church, Harrisburg
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, St. John the Baptist Church Edwardsville
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, SS Peter & Paul, Albanian Orthodox Church, Philadelphia
5 p.m. Mission Vespers, Christ the Saviour Church, Harrisburg
21 Wiles-Barre Deanery Meeting, Diocesan Center
22 Presanctified, SS Peter & Paul Church, Uniondale
24-26 Holy Annunciation Church, Berwick
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, St. Michael Church, Old Forge
5 p.m. Mission Vespers, Holy Ascension Church, Lykens
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, St Mark Church, Wrightstown
28-31 Holy Synod Meeting
30 Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete

APRIL

- 2 All Saints Church, Olyphant
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, SS. Peter & Paul Church, Uniondale
4 p.m. Mission Vespers, St. Herman Church, Gradyville
5 p.m. Mission Vespers, Holy Apostles Mission
- 05 Holy Trinity Church, Wilkes Barre
- 07 Canon of St Lazarus
- 08 Lazarus Saturday
- 9 Palm Sunday, St. Michael Church, Jermyn
4 p.m. Bridegroom Matins, Holy Resurrection Cathedral
4 p.m. Bridegroom Matins, St Stephen's Cathedral
- 10 Holy Monday.
Morning: St. Nicholas Church, Bethlehem
Evening: Holy Assumption Church, Philadelphia
- 11 Holy Tuesday.
Morning: St. Michael Church, Wilmington, DE
Evening: St. Mark Church, Wrightstown
- 12 Holy Wednesday
Morning: St. Mark Church, Wrightstown
Unction, St. Stephen's Cathedral, Philadelphia
- 13 Holy Thursday
Morning: Holy Trinity Church, Pottstown
Evening: St. Michael Church, Mt. Carmel
- 14 Holy Friday:
Royal Hours, Burial Vespers, Matins and Lamentations, St. Herman', Shillington
- 15 Great Saturday, Vespereal Liturgy, Holy Apostles Mission, Mechanicsburg
- 15-16 Pascha, Nocturnes, Matins, Liturgy, Christ the Saviour Church, Harrisburg
- 16 Agape Vespers, Holy Apostles Mission Mechanicsburg
- 17 Pan Orthodox Liturgy, Harrisburg
- 23 Feast Day of St George the Great Martyr, Holy Resurrection Cathedral
- 30 *Myrrh-bearing Women, Holy Apostle James*

MAY

- 14 *Mother's Day*
- 25 *Ascension Day*
- 28 St. John the Baptist Church, Dundaff
- 29 *Memorial Day Pilgrimage, St. Tikhon's Monastery Church*

JUNE

- 3 Parish Council Workshop, Christ the Saviour, Harrisburg, with Bill Marianes
- 4 *Pentecost.* Holy Trinity Church, Stroudsburg
- 11 All Saints Church, Olyphant
- 14 Meet with Parish Councils at Minersville and St. Clair
- 15 Diocesan Council Meeting, Holy Apostles Church, Mechanicsburg
- 18 *Father's Day.* St. John the Baptist Church, Nanticoke
- 19-23 Holy Synod of Bishops Retreat, Rives Junction, MI
- 24-25 *Nativity of St. John the Baptist.* St. Mark Church, Wrightstown

JULY

- 2 St. Tikhon's Monastery Church
- 2-8 St. Tikhon's Summer Camp
- 9 Holy Trinity Church, McAdoo
- 15 St. Vladimir Church, Lopez
- 16 St. Michael Church, Mt. Carmel
- 22-23 Holy Apostles Mission, Mechanicsburg
- 30 Holy Ascension Church, Frackville

AUGUST

- 5-6 *Transfiguration*: St. Nicholas Church, Bethlehem
- 12-15 Holy Trinity Church, Stroudsburg
- 15 *Dormition of the Theotokos*
- 17-19 OCPM, Minneapolis, MN
- 19-20 Holy Trinity Church, Stroudsburg
- 26 Women's Retreat, St. Tikhon's—rescheduled to September 9th
- 26-27 Holy Trinity Church, Stroudsburg

SEPTEMBER

- 3 Labor Day Weekend
- 8 *Nativity of the Theotokos*.
- 9 Women's Retreat at St. Tikhon's Monastery Church
- 10 St. Mary Church, Coaldale
- 14 *Exaltation of the Holy Cross*
- 16-17 Holy Trinity Church, Pottstown
- 24 St. John the Baptist Church, Edwardsville
- 28 Diocesan Council Meeting, Diocesan Center
- 30 St. Stephen's Cathedral, Philadelphia

OCTOBER

- 1 *Protection of the Holy Theotokos. St. Stephen, Philadelphia*
- 3-6 Assembly of Bishops Meeting, New Jersey
- 7-8 St. Herman Church, Shillington
- 14-15 St. Nicholas Church, Coatesville - 100th anniversary celebration
- 22 Holy Ascension Church, Lykens
- 23-26 Fr. Patrick Reardon Lecture Tour
- 29 125th Anniversary, Holy Resurrection Cathedral, Wilkes-Barre

NOVEMBER

- 4-5 Holy Apostles Mission, Mechanicsburg
- 8 *Archangel Michael*
- 9 Diocesan Council Meeting, Holy Trinity Church, Pottstown
- 12 Elevation of the Holy Cross Church, Williamsport. 40th anniversary
- 13-17 Holy Synod of Bishops, Fall Session
- 18 Parish Council Workshop, Holy Apostles, Mechanicsburg, with Sandra Anderson
- 19 Holy Trinity Church, Wilkes-Barre
- 21 *Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple*
- 23 Thanksgiving Day

DECEMBER

- 3 St. Nicholas Church, Olyphant
- 6 *St. Nicholas*
- 9-10 St. Herman Church, Gradyville. Ordination of Steven Orr to the holy diaconate
- 13 *St. Herman*
- 16 Holy Trinity Church, Pottstown. (Ordination of John Black to the diaconate
- 16-17 Christ the Saviour Church, Harrisburg. Ordination of Peter (Scott) Staller to the diaconate
- 24 Holy Apostles Mission, Mechanicsburg. Ordination of Deacon Seraphim Reynolds to the holy priesthood
- 25 *Nativity of Our Lord*