

*Khrystos Voskres! Christ is Risen!  
Voisteny Voskres! Indeed, He is Risen!  
The Lord is truly Risen.*

This is the truth of Easter. Our Lord Jesus Christ who died on the Cross has risen and is now alive. He rose from the dead and opened for us eternal life with God. In the Gospel, the message of the Angel to the women who went to see the tomb is encouraging: *“Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where He lay. Then go quickly and tell His disciples, ‘He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.’”* (Mt. 28.5-7) Like Mary Magdalene and the other Mary, this good news should be a cause of great joy for us!

This is the truth that we give witness to in our daily lives. We need to tell the world around us, Jesus is risen and He is with us. We need to show the world that we are witnesses to this truth. We are His disciples. We need to be faithful to Jesus. It is our responsibility as followers of Jesus to give witness to His truth with the way we live our respective lives. May we show to the world around us that we are people who believe and give witness to the resurrection of Jesus

Our sincere appreciation to all of you for making our Lenten and Easter celebrations prayerful and beautiful. Let us continue to renew our faith in the Risen Lord and to celebrate God’s everlasting presence among us in the Eucharist.

St. Anne Ukrainian Catholic Church  
**PASSION AND RESURRECTION WEEK**  
**Schedule of Services - 2017**

It is important for all to make your confession before Easter Sunday.

<b><u>APRIL 9</u></b> 9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	<b><u>PALM SUNDAY</u></b> Divine Liturgy Divine Liturgy
<b><u>APRIL 12</u></b> 7:00 p.m.	<b><u>HOLY WEDNESDAY</u></b> Pre-Sanctified Liturgy with Anointing of the Sick
<b><u>APRIL 13</u></b> 7:00 p.m.	<b><u>HOLY THURSDAY</u></b> Gospels Liturgy and Tomb Setup
<b><u>APRIL 14</u></b> 3:00 p.m.	<b><u>GOOD FRIDAY</u></b> (Today is a strict fast day. No meat, dairy or poultry products allowed) Vespers - Exposition of the Holy Shroud (Plaschanychia) Adoration and Meditation throughout the day
<b><u>APRIL 15</u></b> 11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 & 2:00 p.m. 1:00 & 2:00 p.m.	<b><u>HOLY SATURDAY</u></b> Divine Liturgy and Blessing of Easter Food <b>St. Anne Parish</b> Divine Liturgy and Blessing of Easter Food St. Michael Parish Blessing of Easter Food <b>St. Anne Parish</b> Blessing of Easter Food St. Michael Parish
<b><u>APRIL 16</u></b> 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	<b><u>EASTER SUNDAY - FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION</u></b> Resurrection Matins Resurrection Liturgy (Ukrainian) & Anointing with Holy Oil – <b>St. Anne’s</b> Resurrection Liturgy (Bilingual) & Anointing with Holy Oil - St. Michael’s Resurrection Liturgy (English) & Anointing with Holy Oil – <b>St. Anne’s</b>
<b><u>APRIL 23</u></b> 10:00 a.m.	<b><u>ST. THOMAS SUNDAY</u></b> Combined Liturgy followed by <b>Parish Easter Dinner (Sviachene)</b>

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