

**COPTIC ORTHODOX PATRIARCHATE      ST. MARK CATHEDRAL & ST. MARK'S CHURCH, TORONTO**  
**SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2017**

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Friday 1 -12	Divine Liturgy - Consecration of the Church of Sts. Kosmas & Damian	8:30 am – 10:30 am	Church
Saturday 2-12	Divine Liturgy- Repose of St. Cornelius, the centurion	9:00 am – 11:30 am	Church
<b>Sunday 3-12</b>	<b>Divine Liturgy (English) - Commemoration of the twenty-four presbyters</b>	<b>8:00 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English)</b>	<b>9:15 am – 10:45 am</b>	<b>Chapel</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>7:00 am – 9:15 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (Arabic)</b>	<b>9:30 am – 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Church</b>
Monday 4-12	Divine Liturgy- Martyrdom of St. Philopater Mercurius	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
Tuesday 5-12	Divine Liturgy – Martyrdom of St. James, the sawn-asunder	5:30 am – 7:30 am	Church
	Vespers Raising of incense for the Consecration of the Church of St. Victor the Martyr	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Church
Wed. 6-12	Divine Liturgy – (1 <sup>st</sup> D. L) Consecration of the Church of St. Victor the Martyr	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
	Divine Liturgy - (2 <sup>nd</sup> , D. L) Martyrdom of St. James the saun-asunder	4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Church
	Vespers Raising of incense for the Martyrdom of St. Sarapamon, bishop of Niku	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Church
Thursday 7-12	Divine Liturgy - Martyrdom of St. Sarapamon, bishop of Niku	8:30 am – 10:30 am	Church
Friday 8 -12	Divine Liturgy - Commemoration of the Annunciation, Nativity and Resurrection	8:30 am – 10:30 am	Church
Saturday 9-12	Divine Liturgy- Consecration of the Church of Sts. Kosmas & Damian	9:00 am – 11:30 am	Church
	<b>Vespers and Koiahk Praises (Cathedral)</b>	<b>7:00 pm – 12:30am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
<b>Sunday 10-12</b>	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>12:30 am – 3:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English) - Repose of St. Peter, the Iberian, Bishop of Gaza</b>	<b>8:00 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>7:00 am – 9:15 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (Arabic)</b>	<b>9:30 am – 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Church</b>
Monday 11-12	Divine Liturgy – Repose of Abba Hor the Monk	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
Tuesday 12-12	Divine Liturgy- The Entry of the most HolyVirgin Mary, the Theotokos	5:30 am – 7:30 am	Church
Wed. 13-12	Divine Liturgy - (1 <sup>st</sup> D.L) Repose of St. Andrew, the Apostle	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
	Divine Liturgy - (2 <sup>nd</sup> , D.L)	4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Church
Thurs14-12	Divine Liturgy- Repose of St. Nahum, the prophet	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Church
Friday 15-12	Divine Liturgy Repose of St. Abraham, 62nd Patriarch of Alexandria	8:30 am – 10:30 am	Church
	Vespers, raising of incense - Consecration of St. Epskhiron of Keleen Church	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Chapel
Saturday 16-12	Divine Liturgy -Consecration of St. Epskhiron of Keleen Church	9:00 am – 11:30 am	Church
	Divine Liturgy - (2 <sup>nd</sup> , D. L)	8:00 am – 10:00 am	Chapel
	<b>Vespers and Koiahk Praises (Cathedral)</b>	<b>7:00 pm – 12:30 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
<b>Sunday 17-12</b>	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>12:30 am – 3:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English) Martyrdom of Sts. Barbara, Juliana, Repose of St. Samuel the confessor</b>	<b>8:00 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>7:00 am – 9:15 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (Arabic)</b>	<b>9:30 am – 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Church</b>
Monday 18-12	Divine Liturgy - Repose of St. Poemin, the Confessor	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
	Vesper for Repose of St. Nicholas of Myra	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Church
Tuesday 19-12	Divine Liturgy – Repose of St. Nicholas of Myra	5:30 am – 7:30 am	Church
Wed. 20-12	Divine Liturgy - (1 <sup>st</sup> D. L) Repose of St Pidjimi	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
	Divine Liturgy - (2 <sup>nd</sup> , D. L)	4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Church
Thurs 21-12	Divine Liturgy - Commemoration of Archangel Michael	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Church
Friday 22-12	Divine Liturgy - Consecration of the Church of St. Misael, the pilgrim	8:30 am – 10:30 am	Church
Saturday 23-12	Divine Liturgy – Martyrdom of St. Behnam and Sarah, his sister	9:00 am – 11:30 am	Church
	<b>Vespers and Koiahk Praises (Cathedral)</b>	<b>7:00 pm – 12:30am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
<b>Sunday 24-12</b>	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>12:30 am – 3:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English) Repose of St. Gregory, the Armenian</b>	<b>8:00 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>7:00 am – 9:15 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (Arabic)</b>	<b>9:30 am – 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Church</b>
Monday 25-12	Divine Liturgy– Repose of the righteous Gideon, the Judge	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
Tuesday 26-12	Divine Liturgy – Translocation of St. Luke, the Stylite holy relics	5:30 am – 7:30 am	Church
Wed. 27-12	Divine Liturgy – (1 <sup>st</sup> D. L) Translocation of the relics of St. Titus, the apostle	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Chapel
	Divine Liturgy - (2 <sup>nd</sup> , D. L)	4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Church
Thurs 28-12	Divine Liturgy - Repose of St. John, Bishop of El-Borolos	9:30 am – 11:30 am	Church
Friday 29-12	Divine Liturgy - Repose of Haggai, the Prophet	8:30 am – 10:30 am	Church
Saturday 30-12	Divine Liturgy - Commemoration of Virgin Mary, the Theotokos	9:00 am – 11:30 am	Church
	<b>Vespers and Koiahk Praises (Cathedral)</b>	<b>7:00 pm – 12:30 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
<b>Sunday 31 -12</b>	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>12:30 am – 3:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English) Commemoration of Archangel Gabriel</b>	<b>8:00 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>Cathedral</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (English &amp; Arabic)</b>	<b>7:00 am – 9:15 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy (Arabic)</b>	<b>9:30 am – 12:00 pm</b>	<b>Church</b>

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## CHURCH WEEKLY MEETINGS AND GENERAL SERVICES

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<b>Tuesday</b>	Team Strings of Joy @ <b>Cathedral</b> .....	07:30 - 09:30 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Bible Study (English) .....	07:30 - 08:30 pm
	Bible Study (Arabic ) .....	08:00 - 09:00 pm
	Hymnology class for children (advanced level) .....	07:30 - 09:00 pm
	English Graduates Meeting.....	08:00 - 10:00 pm
	Midnight Praises in English.....	10:00 - 11:30 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Prayer Meeting .....@Cathedral</b> .....	07:30 - 08:30 pm
<b>Friday</b>	Holy Family Meeting @ <b>Church</b> .....	10:30 - 12:30 am
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	Family Meeting .....	07:30 - 09:15 pm
	Youth Group meetings .....@Cathedral.....	08:00 - 09:15 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Sunday School (Grades 1 - 12) .....	11:30 - 12:30 pm
	Children's Activities .....	05:00 - 07:00 pm
	Youth Group Meeting for Grades 7 & 8 .....	05:00 - 07:00 pm
	Vespers Praise Raising of Incense ( <b>in both Churches</b> ).....	07:00 - 08:00 pm
	Midnight Prayer (of the Agpeya) .....	08:00 - 08:30 pm
	Midnight Praise .....	08:30 - 11:00 pm
	Senior Citizens Meeting (last Saturday of the month) .....	12:00 - 04:00 pm
	St. Mercurius & St. Marina Group (Arabic meeting for adults) .....	05:00 - 07:30 pm
.....@ <b>Cathedral</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	Sunday School (Grades 1 - 12) - after the Divine Liturgy During Sermons	
	Hymnology class for children (beginners' level) .....	10:30 - 11:00 am
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	Hymnology class for deacons .....	05:30 - 06:30 pm
	St. Mark's Museum Open upon request (please call)	
<b>Church Secretaries:</b>	Daily (Except Saturday & Sunday .....	10:00 - 04:00 pm
<b>Church Library:</b>	Sunday: After each Divine Liturgy	
<b>Coptic Museum:</b>	Open all week on request	
<b>Internet address:</b>	( <a href="http://www.stmarkstoronto.ca">http://www.stmarkstoronto.ca</a> ) 24 Hours daily	
<b>Church number &amp; Address:</b>	(416) 494- 4449 (41 Glendinning Ave., Scarborough, ON M1W 3E2)	
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