# **Special Holy Week Schedule 2020**

Saint John Orthodox Cathedral, Eagle River, Alaska Adjusted for Coronavirus Pandemic Restrictions

#### Live-Stream Services at the Cathedral

Some of these service texts can be found on the Church website:

https://www.stjohnalaska.org/resources/

Day, Date	Time	Service
Lazarus Saturday, 4/11	9:15am	Liturgy of Saint John (Dn. Pat Homily)
Palm Sunday, 4/12	9:30am	Matins/Liturgy of St John (Fr. Marc Homily)
	7:15pm	"Bridegroom" Matins
Holy Monday, 4/13	7:15pm	"Bridegroom" Matins
Hoy Tuesday, 4/14	7:15pm	"Bridegroom" Matins
Holy Thursday, 4/16	6:15pm	Vesperal Liturgy of Saint Basil
Holy Friday, 4/17	7:15am	Matins with 12 Gospel Readings
	6:15pm	Great Vespers
Holy Saturday, 4/18	7:15am	Matins with Lamentations
	4:15pm	Vesperal Liturgy of Saint Basil
Pascha Sunday, 4/19	4:30am	Paschal "Rush"/Matins/Liturgy of Saint John
	3:15pm	"Agape" Vespers

### "Home Church" Services

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Friday, 4/10	7:15pm	Little Compline – Reader's Service
Saturday, 4/11	6:15pm	Palm Sunday Vespers – "Home" Vespers
Holy Wednesday, 4/15	7:15pm	"Home" Vespers and Prayer for Pandemic
Holy Friday, 4/17	12:15pm	Royal Hours, Sixth Hour – Reader's Service
Bright Monday, 4/20	12:15pm	Bright Week Hours

## **Individual Daily Readings – Some Suggestions**

For each day read the "Liturgical Explanation of Holy Week" by Fr. Alexander Schmemann		
Holy Monday, 4/13	Matthew 24:3-35 (from Presanctified Service)	
Holy Tuesday, 4/14	Matthew 24:36 – 26:2 (from Presanctified Service)	
Holy Wednesday, 4/15	Matthew 26:6-16 (from Presanctified Service)	
Holy Thursday, 4/17	Luke 22:1-39 (from Thursday Matins)	

### "Modified Traditions"

Look for future emails for details.