

St. Mary and St. Mina Coptic Orthodox Church, Syracuse, NY
Church Schedule for the week of
February 26, 2024

A Blessed Fast of Jonah to you all!

Please find below the schedule of services for our Church for the week of 02/26/2024 Lord willing. You may also check the Church's calendar by clicking on the following link to the Church's website.

<https://stmarystminacopticchurch.org/liturgy-schedule>

A copy of this e-mail can also be accessed via our church's website at:

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| Monday, Feb 26 | (St. Malatius the Confessor and the consecration of the church of St. Paul the Simple) |
| 3:00 pm – 5:30 pm | <i>Evening Divine Liturgy – First Day of Jonah's Fast</i>
(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel) |
| Tuesday, Feb 27 | (The relocation of the relics of St. Martianus the Monk to Antioch) |
| 3:00 pm – 5:30 pm | <i>Evening Divine Liturgy – Second Day of Jonah's Fast</i>
(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel) |
| Wednesday, Feb 28 | (St. Peter II, the 21st Pope, and Martyrdom of Sts. Basil, Theodore and Timothy in Alexandria) |
| 3:00 pm – 5:30 pm | <i>Evening Divine Liturgy – Second Day of Jonah's Fast</i>
(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel) |
| Thursday, Feb 29 | (Virgin Mary, Martyrdom of St. Onesimus, the Disciple of St. Paul, St. Gabriel I, the 57th Pope, and St. Zacharias the bishop of Sakha) |
| 7:00 am – 9:00 am | <i>Divine Liturgy – Jonah's Feast</i>
(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel) |
| 9:00 pm – 10:00 pm | <i>Prayer Meeting</i>
(click here to join WebEx Meeting)
Access Code: 149-809-385 |

- Friday, March 1 (St. Maruta the Bishop)
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm High School Meeting
- 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm Middle School Meeting**
- 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm Monthly Prayer & Family Meeting**
- Saturday, March 2 (Martyrdom of St. Eusebius, the son of Basilides the Vizier,
and the consecration of the church of St. Pope Kyrillos VI in
St. Mina Monastery in Maryout)
- 9:00 am – 11:00 am Cornell Divine Liturgy**
[314 Anabel Taylor Hall](#)
[548 College Avenue, Ithaca, NY 14850](#)
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm Fellowship Time with Cornell Students**
- 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm Arabic Bible Study**
[\(click here to join WebEx Meeting\)](#)
Access Code: 149-809-385
- 6:30 pm – 7:00 pm Online Hymns Class for Middle and High School**
[\(click here to join via WebEx\)](#)
Access Code: 149-809-285
- 6:30 pm – 7:00 pm Vespers**
[\(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel\)](#)
- 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm Mid-night Praises**
[\(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel\)](#)
- Sunday, March 3 (St. Agapetus the Bishop and the Martyrdom of St. Timothy
and St. Matthias)
- 8:30 am – 11:30 am Divine Liturgy**
[\(Live-streamed on the church's YouTube Channel\)](#)
- 12:15 pm – 1:00 pm Sunday School**
- 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm Servants Meeting**
join via WebEX
[\(click here to join via WebEx\)](#)
Access Code: 149-809-285

9:00 pm – 10:00 pm **Prayer Meeting**
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Please Mark Your Calendars!

- **Divine Liturgies during Jonah's Fast, February 26 to February 29, 2024:** Our church will commemorate the **Fast of Jonah and the Feast of Jonah by holding the Divine Liturgies on Monday evening (February 26), Tuesday evening (February 27), and Wednesday Evening (February 28), from 3:00 pm to 5:30 pm Lord willing, and on Thursday morning (February 29), from 7:00 am to 9:00 am Lord willing.** May our Loving Lord accept our prayers and repentance, as He accepted the repentance of the people of Nineveh.
- **St. Joachim and Anna Fellowship next meeting on Friday, March 15, 2024:** Lord willing, our next monthly gathering of **St. Joachim and Anna Fellowship will be on Friday, March 15, 2024.** The day will start with a **Divine Liturgy** (in Arabic) from **9:00 am to 11:00 am**, followed by **breakfast** at church, **Bible reading and discussion**, and **fellowship time**. All are invited to attend !
- **Middle, High School and College Retreat at Tivaki Retreats and St. Mary and Pope Kyrillos the Sixth Monastery's Visit on Friday & Saturday, March 29 & 30, 2024:** Lord willing, our church is planning **a middle, high school and college retreat** at our beloved Diocese's [Tivaki retreat center](#) and [St. Mary and Pope Kyrillos VI monastery](#) on **Friday and Saturday, March 29 & 30 Lord willing. Families are most welcome to join us as well. [Click here for retreat and monastery's visit flyer.](#)**
- **His Grace Anba David Visits to our church in 2024:** In addition to His Grace's presence with us on New Year's Eve and Day mentioned above, **HG will be blessing our church on the following dates in 2024:**
 - **During Holy Week in the evening of Monday, April 29 Lord willing**, to pray with us the Pascha of Tuesday Eve
 - **On Saturday and Sunday, October 12 and 13 Lord willing**, for His Grace's 2024 Annual Visit
- **Monthly Prayer and Family Meeting on the Last Friday of the Month:** The church has started a monthly prayer/family meeting on the **last Friday of each month.** The meeting will be from 7:30 pm – 8:30 pm and will include prayer, spiritual songs, and a discussion on issues important to parenting and family life. **Our upcoming meeting is Friday, March 1, Lord willing.**

- **Weekly Arabic Bible Study back on Saturdays at 3:00 pm:** We are moving the weekly bible study back to **Saturdays at 3:00 pm Lord willing.**
- **Middle and High School Hymns Class on Saturdays:** The hymns class for **middle and high school** is now being held online on **Saturdays**, Lord willing, **from 6:30 pm to 7:00 pm.** For **KG and elementary school**, the class will be held on **Sundays as part of their Sunday School class.**
- **Confessions for Sunday School:** To allow our children to experience the blessings of the **sacrament of confession**, we are dedicating each Sunday for the confession of a given Sunday School class. This Sunday Lord willing, is dedicated for **Grades 5 & 6.**

May God bless every service done for the Glory of His Holy Name Amen !
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