St. Mary and St. Mina Coptic Orthodox Church, Syracuse, NY Church Schedule for the week of November 14, 2022

Please find below the schedule of services for our Church for the week of 11/14/2022 Lord willing. You may also check the Church's calendar by clicking on the following link to the Church's web site.

https://stmarystminacopticchurch.org/liturgy-schedule

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Monday, Nov 14	(St. Longinus the Soldier, St. Timothy and Mora, Relocation of the body of St. Theodore the Prince to the city of Shotb, and Departure of St. Yousab on Shamah Mount)
9:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
	(click here to join WebEx Meeting)
	Access Code: 149-809-385
Tuesday, Nov 15	(Commemoration of the consecration of the church of Virgin
	Mary in El-Mouharaque Monastery and St. Felix Pope of
	Rome)
8:00 am – 10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	(live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel)
9:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
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9:00 pm – 10:00 pm Wednesday, Nov 16	(click here to join WebEx Meeting)
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Thursday, Nov 17	(Commemoration of the Four Incorporeal creatures, Martyrdom of St. Nikandros, the priest of Myra, and Departure of Fr. Pierius, Dean of the School of Alexandria)
9:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Prayer Meeting (<u>click here to join WebEx Meeting</u>) Access Code: 149-809-385
Friday, Nov 18	(Assembly of the First Council of Nicea, Pope Isaac, the 41 st Pope, and Consecration of the Great Cathedral of Abbasia)
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm	In-person Elementary School Service
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm	In-person High School Meeting
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm	In-person Middle School Meeting
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm	Christmas Operations Child
Saturday, Nov 19 9:00 am – 11:00 am	(Martyrdom of the fifty Virgins and their mother Sophia) Divine Liturgy at Cornell 314 Anabel Taylor Hall 548 College Avenue, Ithaca, NY 14850
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Vespers at church (live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel)
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Tasbeha at church (live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel)
Sunday, Nov 20	(Departure of St. Anna the mother of the Holy Virgin St. Mary, Martyrdom of Michael the monk, and of Sts. Archelaus and Elisha the Hegumen)
8:30 am – 11:30 pm	Divine Liturgy (live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel)
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Thanksgiving Meal in Church Fellowship Hall
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Sunday School
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	In-person Arabic Bible Study (<u>click here to join WebEx</u>) Access Code: 149-809-285

1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	In-person Hymns Class
1:30 pm	<i>Turkey Drive in support of St. Rose of Lima Church Food</i> <i>Pantry</i>
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Operation Christmas Child
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm	Servants Meeting join via WebEX (<u>click here to join via WebEx</u>) Access Code: 149-809-285
9:00 pm – 10:00 pm	<i>Prayer Meeting</i> (<u>click here to join WebEx Meeting</u>) Access Code: 149-809-385

Please Mark Your Calendars!

- <u>Operation Christmas Child Box Assembly on Friday, Nov 18 and Sunday, Nov</u> <u>20:</u> As part of our church's community outreach for the Christmas season, the church is encouraging our Sunday School children and the church families to assemble Christmas shoe boxes to send for needy children overseas, as part of the <u>Operation Christmas Child ministry</u>. The church has some items in the basement that our children could stop and purchase for the boxes, or you could just buy some items elsewhere and include in the box. There will be two opportunities to assemble the boxes on *Friday, Nov. 18, and Sunday, Nov. 20, Lord willing*. <u>Click on this link</u> for guidance on what items may be included in those shoeboxes.
- <u>Turkey Drive in Support of St. Rose of Lima Church Food Pantry:</u> Also as part of our church's community outreach, we will hold a Turkey Drive in support of St. Rose of Lima Church's Food Pantry. If you are interested, please consider buying an additional Turkey or two for delivery to St. Rose on Sunday, Nov. 20, Lord willing.
- <u>Monthly Prayer and Family Meeting on the Last Friday of the Month:</u> With the beginning of the new Coptic Year, the church plans to start a monthly prayer/family meeting on the *last Friday of each month.* The meeting will be from 7:30 pm 9:00 pm and will include prayer, spiritual songs, and a discussion on issues important to parenting and family life. *Our next meeting will be on Friday, November 26, Lord willing.*

- <u>In-person Sunday Bible Study</u>: Lord willing, with the return of our fellowship and Agape after the Liturgy, we will be returning to having the *Arabic Bible Study, inperson, after the liturgy from 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm*. We would like to take this opportunity to encourage all of you to attend as you wait for your children to finish Sunday School.
- <u>In-person Hymns Class on Sundays</u>: Our hymns class is now being held on Sundays, Lord willing, from 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm.
- <u>Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Egypt Trip on June 26 July 10, 2023:</u> Our church is starting the planning process for a *joint Coptic/Armenian Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, coupled with a short visit to Egypt between June 26 and July 10, 2023 (next year) Lord willing.* We are letting you know early so that you can plan accordingly. More details to follow as soon as they are available.
- <u>Confessions for Sunday School:</u> 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 7 & 8.

May God bless every service done for the Glory of His Holy Name Amen ! St. Mary and St. Mina Coptic Orthodox Church of the Greater Syracuse Area http://www.stmarystminacopticchurch.org