

**St. Mary and St. Mina Coptic Orthodox Church, Syracuse, NY**  
**Church Schedule for the week of**  
**September 26, 2022**

Please find below the schedule of services for our Church for the week of 09/26/2022 Lord willing. You may also check the Church's calendar by clicking on the following link to the Church's web site.

[http://stmarystminacopticchurch.org/monthly\\_calendar.html](http://stmarystminacopticchurch.org/monthly_calendar.html)

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

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| <b>Monday, Sep 26</b>     | <b>(Consecration of the Church of the Resurrection in Jerusalem)</b>   |
| <b>9:00 pm – 10:00 pm</b> | <b>Prayer Meeting</b><br><a href="#">(click here to join WebEx Meeting)</a><br>Access Code: 149-809-385                        |
| <b>Tuesday, Sep 27</b>    | <b>(First Day of the Feast of the Honorable Cross, St. Castor the Presbyter, St. Theognosta, and Moallem Girgis El-Gohari)</b> |
| <b>7:00 am – 10:00 am</b> | <b>Divine Liturgy for the Feast of the Cross</b><br><a href="#">(live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel)</a>            |
| <b>9:00 pm – 10:00 pm</b> | <b>Prayer Meeting</b><br><a href="#">(click here to join WebEx Meeting)</a><br>Access Code: 149-809-385                        |
| <b>Wednesday, Sep 28</b>  | <b>(Second Day of the Feast of the Honorable Cross, St. Porphyrius, and St. Stephen the Presbyter and St. Niketa)</b>          |
| <b>9:00 pm – 10:00 pm</b> | <b>Prayer Meeting</b><br><a href="#">(click here to join WebEx Meeting)</a><br>Access Code: 149-809-385                        |
| <b>Thursday, Sep 29</b>   | <b>(Third Day of the Feast of the Honorable Cross and St. Gregory the Armenia)</b>   |
| <b>9:00 pm – 10:00 pm</b> | <b>Prayer Meeting</b><br><a href="#">(click here to join WebEx Meeting)</a><br>Access Code: 149-809-385                        |

- Friday, Sep 30 (St. Theopista, Pope Athanasius the Second, the 28<sup>th</sup> Pope, and St. Melitina the Virgin)
- 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 – 9:00 pm** ***Monthly Prayer and Family Meeting***
- Saturday, October 1 (Virgin Mary, and Martyrdom of St. Cyprian and St. Yostina)
- 9:00 am – 11:00 am** ***Divine Liturgy at Cornell University***  
314 Anabel Taylor Hall  
[548 College Avenue, Ithaca, NY 14850](https://www.cornell.edu/college-avenue)
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm** ***Fellowship Time with Cornell Students***  
314 Anabel Taylor Hall
- 6:30 pm – 7:00 pm** ***Vespers at church***  
[\(live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel\)](#)
- 7:00 pm – 7:30 pm** ***Online Beginners Hymns Class***  
[\(click here to join WebEx Meeting\)](#)  
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- 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm** ***Tasbeha at church***  
[\(live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel\)](#)
- Sunday, October 2 (Martyrdom of St. Julius of Aqfahs, the writer of the biographies of the martyrs, and of St. Kobtlas, Axoua his sister, and Tatas his friend)
- 8:30 am – 11:30 pm** ***Divine Liturgy and Anointing the relics of the Martyrs***  
[\(live-streamed on the church's Youtube Channel\)](#)
- 12:15 pm – 1:00 pm** ***Sunday School***
- 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm** ***In-person Arabic Bible Study***  
[\(click here to join WebEx\)](#)  
Access Code: 149-809-285
- 1:00 pm – 1:30 pm** ***In-person Hymns Class***

**6:30 pm – 7:30 pm**      **Servants Meeting**  
join via WebEX  
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**9:00 pm – 10:00 pm**      **Prayer Meeting**  
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### **Please Mark Your Calendars!**

- **Monthly Prayer and Family Meeting on the Last Friday of the Month:** 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 first meeting will be on Friday, September 30 Lord willing.**
- **In-person Sunday Bible Study:** Lord willing, with the return of our fellowship and Agape after the Liturgy, we will be returning to having the **Arabic Bible Study, in-person, 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.
- **In-person Hymns Class on Sundays:** Starting this Sunday, May 1, Lord willing, we will add an **in-person hymns class from 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm on Sundays**. This class will be in addition to the online beginners' hymns class on Saturdays at 7:00 pm, and will be intended to teaching more advanced hymns.
- **The 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Incorporation of our blessed Church – either Saturday on Nov 12:** This year, by the Grace of God, would mark the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the official incorporation of our blessed Church (was incorporated on September 8, 1997 – the feast day of Archangel Raphael the Joy of Hearts). With the blessings of our beloved Father, His Grace Anba David, the church is planning to celebrate this joyful occasion on **Saturday, November 12, 2022, Lord willing** (Please mark your calendars. The celebration will include a Divine Liturgy in the morning, followed by a lunch banquet honoring those who labored for all of us to enjoy the blessing of having a church open for us and all children.
- **Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Egypt Trip on June 26 – July 10, 2023:** 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.

- **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 **High School**.

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