

# St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church

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## November Liturgical Schedule / Information:

**NOTE:** The Advent/Nativity (St. Philip's) Fast begins on Monday November 15<sup>th</sup>!

### Synaxis of the Archangel Michael and the Other Bodiless Powers (8 Nov):

Great Vespers — Following the Divine Liturgy (7 November – Sunday)  
Divine Liturgy — 9:00am (8 November - Monday)

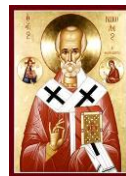


### Entry of the Most-Holy Theotokos Into the Temple (21 Nov):

Great Vespers (Litya) — 4:00pm (20 November - Saturday)  
Sunday Divine Liturgy — 10:00am (21 November - Sunday)

### Looking Ahead: (December)

Monday 6 <sup>th</sup>	St. Nicholas the Wonderworker
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Repose of St. Herman of Alaska
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Eve of the Nativity - (Strict Fast)
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Nativity of Our Lord and Savior
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Synaxis of the Most-Holy Theotokos
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Protomartyr Stephen
Saturday (Jan) 1 <sup>st</sup>	Circumcision – St. Basil the Great



## November Liturgical News & Notes:

- ◆ Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday November 7<sup>th</sup> (2:00am). Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before going to bed on Saturday November 6<sup>th</sup>.
- ◆ On November 13<sup>th</sup> we will return to our winter schedule with Saturday Great Vespers beginning at 4:00pm!
- ◆ The Nativity (St. Philip's) Fast begins on Monday November 15<sup>th</sup> and concludes on the Feast of the Nativity of Our Lord on Saturday December 25<sup>th</sup>.

*The Feast of the Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple is of great significance. First of all, it is a most moving and remarkable and amazing fact that the elderly parents did not keep the gift of God, the elect daughter acquired at the setting of their life...Rather, having a presentiment of her future sublime and salutary service to the Benevolent God's plan for the redemption of the entire human race, they offered her without reservations to the Temple of God: to the Holy of Holies.*

*(Blessed Moses of Mt. Athos)*

