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**St. Vladimir Prince of Kiev  
Orthodox Church**

**3163 Purcell's Cove Road  
Halifax Nova Scotia Canada  
Canadian Orthodox Church  
Archdiocese of Canada (OCA)**

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# The Beginning of the Lenten Triodion Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee

Saturday January 31st  
5:30pm **Panikhida**  
6pm **Vigil**

Sunday February 1st  
**Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee**  
10am **Divine Liturgy**  
Tone 1  
1pm Adult Education

Friday February 6th  
**St. Xenia**  
6pm **Molieben**

+The next Adult Education Classes will be this Sunday at 1 pm. We will be discussing Orthodoxy. [You can join by Teams here.](#) Catechumens are encouraged to attend, but everyone else is also welcome: inquirers, newly illumined, as well as long-term Orthodox.

**+Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee**

This Sunday, we commemorate the Publican and the Pharisee. While the Pharisee justified his actions and looked down on the publican, the humble tax-collector could only exclaim “God, be merciful to me, a sinner!”

We do not fast this coming week for two reasons: firstly to fortify ourselves before the coming lent and second so that we do not allow ourselves to become proud, like the Pharisee who boasted that he fasted twice a week.

### **+St Xenia**

On Friday we commemorate St. Xenia, the wanderer of St. Petersburg. This fool-for-Christ was the young widow of an army officer, whose husband died abruptly at a party, without receiving Confession or Communion. She abandoned her own identity, her wealth, and her status and called herself by his name, wore his clothes. Anything good she did, she did in his name. We will have a Molieben on the evening of her feast day. You can read more about her

here: <https://www.oca.org/saints/lives/2026/01/24/100297-blessed-xenia-of-st-petersburg>

### **+Great Lent and Pascha**

Our calendar has been updated with all the services for Great Lent through Bright Week. Please check here for information on upcoming

services: <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=halifaxorthodox%40gmail.com&ctz=America%2FHalifax>

You can also find PDFs of these schedules for each month here

- [February](#)

- [March](#)
- [April](#)

### **+Fasting**

If you have questions about fasting for Lent, please speak to a priest.

### **+2026 Calendars**

The 2026 Calendars have arrived and are available in the Narthex. This year the calendars are free to us, thanks to the JA Snow Funeral home. We welcome any and all donations to the church for the calendars, but please, take one for your home.

+The bookstore has children's liturgy books for sale. They are only \$20.

### **+Cape Breton Liturgies**

- Saturday, January 31st, 10:30am
- Saturday, April 18th, 10:30am

### **+Upcoming Events**

- Workday - Saturday, February 14th, 9am to 1pm
- Annual General Meeting - Sunday, February 15th, After Liturgy
- Parish Cleaning Day - Saturday March 21st, 9am to 1pm

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## **Начало Постной Триоди Неделя о мытаре и фарисее**

Суббота, 31 января

17:30 — **Панихида**

18:00 — **Всенощное бдение**

Воскресенье, 1 февраля

**Неделя о мытаре и фарисее**

10:00 — **Божественная литургия**

Глас 1

13:00 — **Занятие для взрослых**

Пятница, 6 февраля

**Святая Ксения**

18:00 — **Молебен**

### **+Следующие занятия для взрослых**

Следующие занятия по катехизации для взрослых состоятся в это воскресенье в 13:00. Мы будем обсуждать православие. [Присоединиться можно через Teams по этой ссылке](#). Оглашённые приглашаются в первую очередь, но также приветствуются все остальные: интересующиеся, новопросвещённые и давно пребывающие в Православии.

### **+Неделя о мытаре и фарисее**

В это воскресенье мы вспоминаем притчу о мытаре и фарисее. Фарисей оправдывал свои дела и превозносился над мытарем, тогда как смиренный сборщик податей мог лишь воскликнуть: «Боже, будь милостив ко мне, грешнику!»

На предстоящей неделе мы не постимся по двум причинам: во-первых, чтобы укрепиться перед грядущим Великим постом, и во-вторых, чтобы не возгордиться, подобно фарисею, который хвалился тем, что постился два раза в неделю.

#### **+Святая Ксения**

В пятницу мы совершаем память святой Ксении, странницы Петербургской. Эта Христа ради юродивая была молодой вдовой армейского офицера, муж которого внезапно умер на пиру, не успев принять Исповедь и Причастие. Она отказалась от своей личности, богатства и положения, назвала себя его именем и носила его одежду. Всё доброе, что она делала, она совершала от его имени. В вечер дня её памяти будет совершён молебен. Подробнее о святой можно прочитать здесь:

<https://www.o.ca.org/saints/lives/2026/01/24/100297-blessed-xenia-of-st-petersburg>

#### **+Великий пост и Пасха**

Наш календарь обновлён и содержит все богослужения Великого поста вплоть до Светлой седмицы. Пожалуйста, смотрите здесь информацию о предстоящих службах:

<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=halifaxorthodox%40gmail.com&ctz=America%2FHalifax>

Также здесь доступны PDF-файлы расписаний по месяцам:

- [Февраль](#)
- [Март](#)
- [Апрель](#)

#### **+Пост**

Если у вас есть вопросы о посте в период Великого поста, пожалуйста, обратитесь к священнику.

#### **+Календари на 2026 год**

Календари на 2026 год поступили и доступны в притворе. В этом году календари предоставлены нам бесплатно благодаря похоронному дому JA Snow Funeral Home. Мы приветствуем любые пожертвования в пользу церкви за календари, но, пожалуйста, возьмите один для своего дома.

**+В церковной лавке продаются детские богослужебные книги. Цена — всего \$20.**

#### **+Богослужения в Кейп-Бретоне**

- Суббота, 31 января, 10:30
- Суббота, 18 апреля, 10:30

#### **+Предстоящие мероприятия**

- Рабочий день — суббота, 14 февраля, с 9:00 до 13:00
- Ежегодное общее собрание — воскресенье, 15 февраля, после Литургии
- День уборки прихода — суббота, 21 марта, с 9:00 до 13:00



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