

Information

Service Times:

Όρθρος / Matins: 10:30

Θεία Λειτουργία / Divine Liturgy: 11:30-13:30

Services are followed by refreshments in the Church Hall

Sunday School

Our Sunday School is open for children of all ages and is held every Sunday except on Serbian Service Sundays. For more information, please contact *Mrs Stella Keramida* on 07980 203 451.

Ecclesiastical Committee

Mrs. Theodora Dimakopoulou (President) 07731008087

email president@propheteliasreading.com

Mr. Paul Elderfield (Vice president) 07801041042

All the Committee members are volunteers who are elected to assist and help our community grow. Please do not hesitate to contact one of our committee members for any assistance or email the president for this or any other reason regarding our Church or our Community in general.

Parishioners Annual Support for Our Church

Our church since it was formed, is self-supported and continues to rely primarily on your generosity with your donations and on other fund-raising events which you must support. Over the last couple of years, our running costs have tripled and for this we are suggesting an **annual** family donation of at least £30. For more information please contact **Mr. Stemitsiotis (07876575841)** or you can make your donation online with reference your "full name + Annual Donation" to our church community account in the name of:

Greek Orthodox Community of Reading

Account Number: 73694410 Sort Code: 20-11-74

Churches Together

Mrs Sonia Khuri represents our community. Meetings are held twice a year in West Reading. For more information contact *Mrs Khuri*, at email: skhuri@talktalk.net

Website, Forum and Facebook page

Our website is www.ProphetEliasReading.com

We also have an online Forum, where you can find out about our Services and activities, make suggestions or comments, open new topics for discussion, and participate in discussions. Please go to our website, click on the Forum link and register as a member.

You can also find us on our Facebook page at:

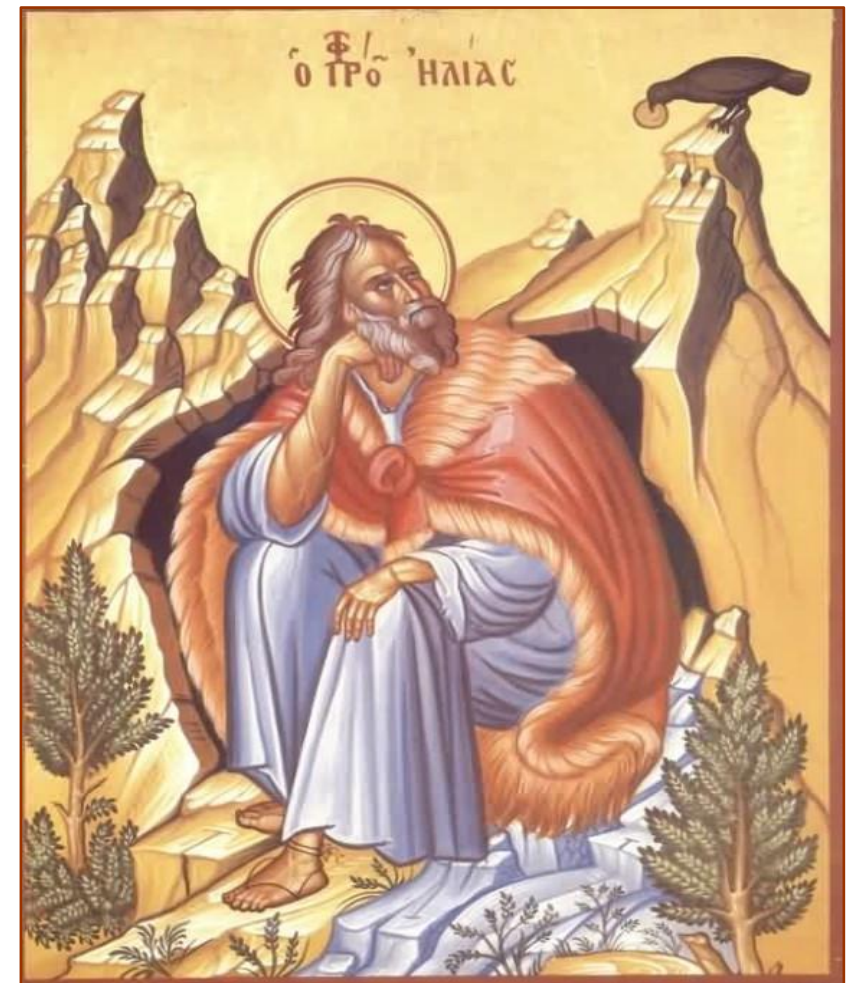
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Ημερολόγιον – 2023 – Calendar

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*Orthodox Church of Prophet Elias
within St Mark's Church*

*Ecumenical Patriarchate – Archdiocese of Thyateira and Great Britain
St Mark's Church, 94 Cranbury Road, Reading, RG30 2TA*



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	Date	Celebration	Service
January	1	New Year's Day; Circumcision of Christ Πρωτοχρονιά – Η Περιτομή του Κυρίου	Greek
	8	Sunday after Theophany – Κυριακή μετά τα Θεοφάνεια	English
	15	12 th Sunday of Luke – 12 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Greek
	22	15 th Sunday of Luke – 15 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Serbian
	29	Sunday of the Canaanite Woman – της Χαναναίας	Greek
February	5	Beginning of the Triodion; Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee Αρχή του Τριωδίου – Τελώνου και Φαρισαίου	Greek
	12	Sunday of the Prodigal Son – του Ασιώτου	English
	19	Sunday of Meatfare. Sunday of the Last Judgement; St Philothei of Athens – Κυριακή της Απόμενσης, της Δευτέρας Παρουσίας – Φιλοθέης της Αθηναίας	Greek
	26	Sunday of Cheesefare; commemoration of the expulsion of Adam and Eve from Paradise – της Τυροφάγου, ανάμνησις της εκδιώξεως του Αδάμ και της Εύας από του Παραδείσου	Serbian
March	5	1 st Sunday of Great Lent; Sunday of Orthodoxy – 1 ^η Κυριακή των Νηστειών, Κυριακή της Ορθοδοξίας	Greek
	8	Presanctified Liturgy – Προηγιασμένη Λειτουργία: 18:30	Greek
	12	2 nd Sunday of Great Lent; Sunday of Saint Gregory Palamas – 2 ^η Κυριακή των Νηστειών – Γρηγορίου Παλαμά	English
	17	3 rd Salutations to the Theotokos – Τρίτοι Χαιρετισμοί: 18:30	Greek
	19	3 rd Sunday of Great Lent; Veneration of the Cross – 3 ^η Κυριακή των Νηστειών, της Σταυροπροσκυνήσεως	Greek
	22	Presanctified Liturgy – Προηγιασμένη Λειτουργία: 18:30	Greek
	26	4 th Sunday of Great Lent; Sunday of Saint John of the Ladder – 4 ^η Κυριακή των Νηστειών, Ιωάννου τη Κλίμακος	Serbian
31	The Akathist Hymn to the Theotokos – Ο Ακάθιστος Ύμνος: 18:30	Greek	
April	2	5 th Sunday of Great Lent; Sunday of Saint Mary of Egypt – 5 ^η Κυριακή των Νηστειών, Μαρίας της Αιγυπτίας	Greek
	9	The Entry of Our Lord into Jerusalem; Palm Sunday – Είσοδος στα Ιεροσόλυμα, Κυριακή των Βαΐων	English
Holy Week – April 10-16 Απριλίου			
April	12	Great and Holy Wednesday – Μεγάλη Τετάρτη Evening Service, Anointing – Όρθρος, Ευχέλαιο: 19:00-20:30	Greek
	13	Great and Holy Thursday – Μεγάλη Πέμπτη Divine Liturgy – Θεία Λειτουργία: 10:30, Evening Service - Όρθρος: 19:00-21:30	Greek
	14	Great and Holy Friday – Μεγάλη Παρασκευή Morning Service - Αποκαθήλωση: 11:00 decoration of the Epitaphios – στολισμός του Επιταφίου: 13:00 Evening Service - Όρθρος: 19:00-21:30	Greek
	15	Great and Holy Saturday – Μεγάλο Σάββατο Divine Liturgy – Θεία Λειτουργία: 10:30 Service of the Resurrection of our Saviour – Ακολουθία της Αναστάσεως: 22:30 followed by the Pascal Divine Liturgy – Αναστάσιμη Θεία Λειτουργία	Greek
	16	Easter Sunday (Holy Pascha) – Το Άγιον Πάσχα Easter Vespers – Εσπερινός της Αγάπης: 13:00	Greek
	23	Thomas Sunday – του Θωμά	Serbian
	30	Sunday of the Myrrhbearers. Righteous Joseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus – Κυριακή των Μυροφόρων, Ιωσήφ εξ Αριμαθαίας και Νικοδήμου	Greek

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May	7	Sunday of the Paralytic; Cyril of Jerusalem – Κυριακή του Παραλυτικού, Κυρίλλου Ιεροσολύμων	Greek
	14	Sunday of the Samaritan Woman – Κυριακή της Σαμαρείτιδος	English
	21	Sunday of the Blind Man; Sts Constantine and Helen – Κυριακή του Τυφλού, Κωνσταντίνου και Ελένης των Ισαποστόλων	Greek
June	28	The Fathers of the First Ecumenical Council (325) – Των Πατέρων της Πρώτης Οικουμενικής Συνόδου (325)	Serbian
	4	Holy Pentecost – Πεντηκοστή	Greek
	11	Sunday of All Saints – Των Αγίων Πάντων	English
	18	2 nd Sunday of Matthew – 2 ^η Κυριακή Ματθαίου	Greek
July	25	3 rd Sunday of Matthew – 3 ^η Κυριακή Ματθαίου	Serbian
	2	4 th Sunday of Matthew – 4 ^η Κυριακή Ματθαίου	Greek
	9	5 th Sunday of Matthew – 5 ^η Κυριακή Ματθαίου	English
July	16	The Fathers of the Fourth Ecumenical Council (451); Transferred celebration of the feast of Prophet Elias from the 20 th of July – Των Πατέρων της Τετάρτης Οικουμενικής Συνόδου (451), Μεταφορά της εορτής του Προφήτου Ηλίου, εκ της 20 ^{ης} Ιουλίου	Greek
	NO SERVICES UNTIL 1ST SUNDAY OF SEPTEMBER		
September	3	13 th Sunday of Matthew – 13 ^η Κυριακή Ματθαίου	Greek
	10	Sunday before the Exaltation of the Cross – Προ της Υψώσεως του Σταυρού	English
	17	Sunday after the Exaltation of the Cross; Martyrs Sophia, Pistic, Elpis, Agape – Μετά την Ύψωση, Σοφίας, Πίστις, Ελπίς και Αγάπης των μαρτύρων	Greek
	24	1 st Sunday of Luke; Silvan the Athonite – 1 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά, Σιλουανού του Αθωνίτου	Serbian
October	1	2 nd Sunday of Luke; Protection of the Theotokos; Romanos the Melodist – 2 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά, Αγίας Σκέπτης, Ρωμανού του Μελωδού	Greek
	8	3 rd Sunday of Luke – 3 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	English
	15	4 th Sunday of Luke – 4 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Greek
	22	6 th Sunday of Luke – 6 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Serbian
	29	7 th Sunday of Luke – 7 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Greek
November	5	5 th Sunday of Luke – 5 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Greek
	12	8 th Sunday of Luke; John the Merciful – 8 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά, Ιωάννου του Ελεήμονος	English
	19	9 th Sunday of Luke – 9 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Greek
	26	13 th Sunday of Luke – 13 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	Serbian
	December	3	14 th Sunday of Luke – 14 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά
10		10 th Sunday of Luke – 10 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά	English
17		11 th Sunday of Luke; Prophet Daniel and the three children in the furnace; Dionysios of Zakynthos – 11 ^η Κυριακή Λουκά, Δανιήλ και των τριών παιδων εν καμίνω, Διονυσίου Ζακύνθου	Greek
24		Sunday before the Nativity of Christ – Κυριακή προ της Γεννήσεως	Serbian
24		Evening Christmas Liturgy – Εσπερινή Λειτουργία των Χριστουγέννων: 21:00	Greek
31		Sunday after the Nativity of Christ – Κυριακή μετά την Γέννηση	Greek

