



St. Gregory the Great Orthodox Church

The Eve of the Epiphany
5 January 2023

*The Great Blessing of Water
at 6:30PM*

*The people are sprinkled with Blessed Water
as the first hymn is sung.*

The Liturgy of St. Gregory — Sung Mass at 7PM

Hymn 63

Earth has many a noble city

Kyrie eleison & Gloria in excelsis (Hymnal 353, 354)

Missa Marialis

The Epistle: Isaiah 60:1-6

The Gospel: Matthew 2:19-23

The Epiphany Announcement of Pascha

The Nicene Creed (Hymnal 371)

Hymn 295 at the Offertory

How brightly shines the Morning Star

The Liturgy continues on page 203 of the Missal.

Sanctus and Benedictus (Hymnal 355)

Missa Marialis

Pater Noster (Hymnal 369)

Agnus Dei (Hymnal 356)

Missa Marialis

Hymn 62

As with gladness men of old

After the dismissal, chalk is blessed for use in the Epiphany Blessing of Homes.

Prayer List: *for the departed, the priest John; for the sick, the suffering & those in need, Lucy, Mark, Sharon, Stephen, Khristina, Norman, John, Angelica, Barbara, Brenda; for those who are traveling; for those in the Armed Forces and all in civil authority; for all missionaries and all monastics; for peace in the Middle East, Ukraine, and throughout the world.*

Schedule of events: *Saturday, 7 January - Vespers at 6PM. Sunday, 8 January - The Sunday after Epiphany - Matins at 9AM, Mass at 9:30AM.*