

## **St. John Library Reading for Great Lent and Holy Week**

Looking for food for your soul? St. John Library offers the following books for adults and children, plus magazine articles, on Great Lent and Holy Week.

They will be on display throughout the library. Ask Judy Terry if you have questions.

### **BOOKS**

#### **GREAT LENT:**

*The Arena* by Bishop Ignatius Brianchaninov PAT/IGN

*Becoming Human* by Fr. John Behr SPR LIV BEH

*Canon to our Venerable Mother Mary of Egypt* SPR PRA STP

*Celebration of Faith* series, *The Church Year*, vol. 2 by Fr. Alexander Schmemmann  
CAT/SAC/SCH

*Daily Lenten Meditations* CAT SPEC HAR

*The First Day of the New Creation* by Veselin Kesich CAT/SPEC/KES

*First Fruits of Prayer: A Forty-Day Journey through the Canon of St. Andrew* by  
Frederica Mathews-Green SPR/PRA/MAT

*The Forgotten Medicine: the Mystery of Repentance* by  
Seraphim Aleksiev CAT/SAC/ALE

*Great Lent* by Alexander Schmemmann CAT/SPEC/SCH

*Incarnate God, The: the Feasts of Jesus Christ and the Virgin Mary* vol. 1-2 (CAT SPEC  
ASL)

*The Jesus Prayer* by a monk of the Eastern Church SPA PRA MON

*Ladder of Divine Ascent* by St. John Climacus REF/PAT/JOH

*The Lenten Spring* by Thomas Hopko CAT/SPEC/HOP

*Lenten Reflections* [anthology by various authors] CAT/SPEC/GOA

*The Life of Our Holy Mother Mary of Egypt* HAG/MAR/SOP

*Light of Christ, The: Sermons for the Great Fast* by Bshp. Basil of Sergievo

*The Little Supplicatory Canon (Paraklesis) to the Most Holy Mother of God*  
CAT/SAC/PAR

*Making God Real in the Orthodox Home* by Anthony Coniaris SPR/FAM/CON

*A Manual of Confession* by St. Nikodemos the Hagiorite PAT/NIK

*The Mystery of the Church* by William Bush CAT/GEN/BUS

*Great Lent continued*

*The Orthodox Faith* series, *Spirituality*, vol. iv by Fr. Thomas Hopko  
*The Path to Confession* by Tito Collinder SPR/LIV/COL  
*The Road to Pascha: Selections from the Easter Letters of St. Athanasius* PAT/ATH  
*Season of Repentance: Lenten Homilies of Saint John of Kronstadt* PAT/JOH  
*Spiritual Meadow of John Moschos* PAT/MOS  
*Starting Over: Preparing for First Confession in the Orthodox Church* KID/MEE  
*Struggle for Virtue: Asceticism in a Modern Secular Society* SPR/LIV/AVE by Archb. Averky (Taushev)  
*Three Prayers: The Lord's Prayer, O Heavenly King, the Prayer of Saint Ephraim* SPR/PRA/L) by Oliver Clement  
*Unseen Warfare* by Lorenzo Scupoli PAT/SCU  
*Victory in Unseen Warfare* by Jack Sparks SPR/LIV/SPA  
*Virtue in Unseen Warfare* by Jack Sparks SPR/LIV/SPA  
*Voice of Confession, The* CAT/SAC/OMA  
*Way of the Ascetics* by Tito Collinder SPR/LIV/COL

**CDs:**

*Byzantine Music of the New World: Holy Week* HYM FEA PAS  
*Gates of Repentance: Hymns from Great Lent and Holy Week* HYM/HIL  
*God Is with Us: Orthodox Hymns of the Liturgical Year* by St. Mary's Orthodox Cathedral Choir HYM/STM  
*Lamentations: Orthodox Chants of Holy Week* by Archangel Voices HYM/ARC  
*Magnify O My Soul: Hymns from Great Lent and Pascha*  
*Paraclesis* HYM FEA PAR  
*Paraklesis: the Mother of Light* HYM FEA PAR  
*Resurrection!* by the Archangel Voices HYM/ARC  
*Russian Holy Easter Russian Hymns in Honour of the Mother of God*  
*Their Souls Shall Dwell with the Blessed: a Service for Those who Have Fallen Asleep* HYM/FEA/THE CD of Orthodox funeral hymns.  
*Thy Passion: Byzantine Chant of Holy Week* HYM FEA PAS

**FASTING and COOKBOOKS:**

*Bright Sadness: a Forty Day Lenten Journey to Pascha* SPR/LIV/MYR  
Fasting as a Family SPR/COO/NAA (Meal planning and recipes)

*Fasting & Cookbooks continued*

*Food, Faith, and Fasting* SPR/COO/MAD

*A Lenten and Vegetarian Cookbook* SPR/LIV/LSG

*A Lenten Cookbook for Orthodox Christians* SPR/LIV/STN

*Saint John Cooks Again* SPR/LIV/STJ

*Sacred Meals* SPR/LIV/FIN

*When You Fast: Recipes for Lenten Seasons* SPR/LIV/MAN

**CHILDREN'S BOOKS**

*Christ Has Risen, Children!* KID/VIS

*Christ in the Old Testament* by Fr. Thomas Hopko KID/BIB/HOP

*Entry of Our Lord into Jerusalem* by Sr. Elayne KID/CHU/ELA

*Esther's Easter Dress* by Katherine Kafarakis KID/PAS/KAF

*Feasts of Christ and the Theotokos and Miracles of the Lord* /KID/CHU/SPI

*Great and Holy Friday* by Mother Melania KID/PAS/MEL

*Great and Holy Saturday* by Mother Melania KID/PAS MEL

*Katherine's Pascha* by Charli Riggle KID/PAS/RIG

*The Legend of the Cross* KID/CHU/HAR Legends about the Cross of Christ for children.

*Miracle of the Red Egg* KID/PAS/JOH Story of St. Mary Magdalen

*Pascha, the Feast of Feasts* by Mother Melania KID/PAS MEL

*Tale of Two Trees, The* by Angela Hunt KID/PAS/HUN

**HOLY WEEK and PASCHA**

*Christ the Conqueror of Hell: the Descent into Hades from an Orthodox Perspective*  
CAT/SPEC/ALF by Archbishop Hilarion Alfeyev

*Great Week and Pascha in the Greek Orthodox Church* by Alkiviadis Calivas  
CAT/SAC/CAL

*The Jesus We Missed: the Surprising Truth about the Humanity of Christ* by Fr. Patrick  
Reardon SCR/COM REA Commentary on the humanity of Christ.

*Matins of Holy Thursday: a Meditation* CAT/SAC/MEY Commentary of Holy Thursday  
by Paul Meyendorff.

*Office of Holy Unction, The* CAT/SAC/ABR

*On Pascha* by St. Melito of Sardis PAT/MEL

*Paschal Fire in Jerusalem* by Bshp. Auxentios of Photiki HIS/AUX

*Passion of Christ* by Veselin Kesich CAT/GEN/KES

*Passion of Christ, The* ART/GEN/GEI Collection of Renaissance art on the Passion of Christ.

*Road to Golgotha, The*, by Christine Rogers SCR/COM/ROG Series of short stories told through the eyes of eyewitnesses to the events following the raising of Lazarus.

*What You Should Know About Holy Week* CAT/SAC/WHA

*Thoughts on Holy Wednesday* CAT/SPEC/MAJ

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### **GREAT LENT:**

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“The Flower of Repentance” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 1993, p. 5.

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“Homily on the Sunday of St. Palamas” *Orthodox Tradition*, v 33 no 1 p. 3.

“How to Make Lent More Meaningful for You and Your Family” *Handmaiden*, winter 2001, p. 57.

“The Joyful Mourning of Lent” *Life Transfigured*, Great Lent 1986, p. 2.

“Lent” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 2002, p. 8.

“Lenten Family Time” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 2007, p.7.

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“Living the Virtues of Great Lent All Year” *The Veil*, Pascha 2007, p. 23.

“Picking a Fight” *Handmaiden*, winter 2001, p. 46.

“Spring Cleaning” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 2015, p. 7.

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“Strengthening your Marriage during Lent” *Handmaiden*, winter 2000, p. 27.

“Subjecting the Body to Exalt the Soul” *The Veil*, Lent/Pascha 2015, p. 4.

“Today” *The Veil*, Lent/Pascha 2005, p. 5.

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- “Breaking the Fast” *The Veil*, summer 2004, p. 20.
- “Cooking Up a Simple Lent” *Handmaiden*, winter 1996, p. 34.
- “Family Fast: Help Your Children Get Ready for the Great Fast” *Handmaiden*, winter 2002, p. 60.
- “The Fasting Day” *The Veil*, summer 1996, unpagged.
- “Is It Soup Yet?” *Handmaiden*, winter 2002, p. 37.
- “Not by Bread Alone: Fasting in the Orthodox Christian Way” *Praxis*, v 14 no 3, p. 12.
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- “A Sermon on Pascha” by Elder Cleopa, *The Veil*, Lent 2010, p. 13.
- “The Star of Bethlehem” *Life Transfigured*, Nativity 1998, p. 2.
- “Light From the Past Upon the Present, pt. ii-Fasting-Some Ancient Guideposts” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 1995, p. 7.

**PASCHA:**

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- “I Never Learned That in Catechism Class” *The Veil*, Pascha 2007, p. 10.
- “Pascha in Jerusalem” *Handmaiden*, spring 2002, p. 6.
- “Pascha in Wartime” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 2003. p.2.
- “Preparation for the Great Lent” *Handmaiden*, winter 2004, p. 62.
- “Rejoice in the Resurrection” *Life Transfigured*, Pascha 2003, p. 6.

**Pascha Stories:**

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- “St. Milos and the Pascha Egg” *Road to Emmaus*, winter 2005, p. 59.