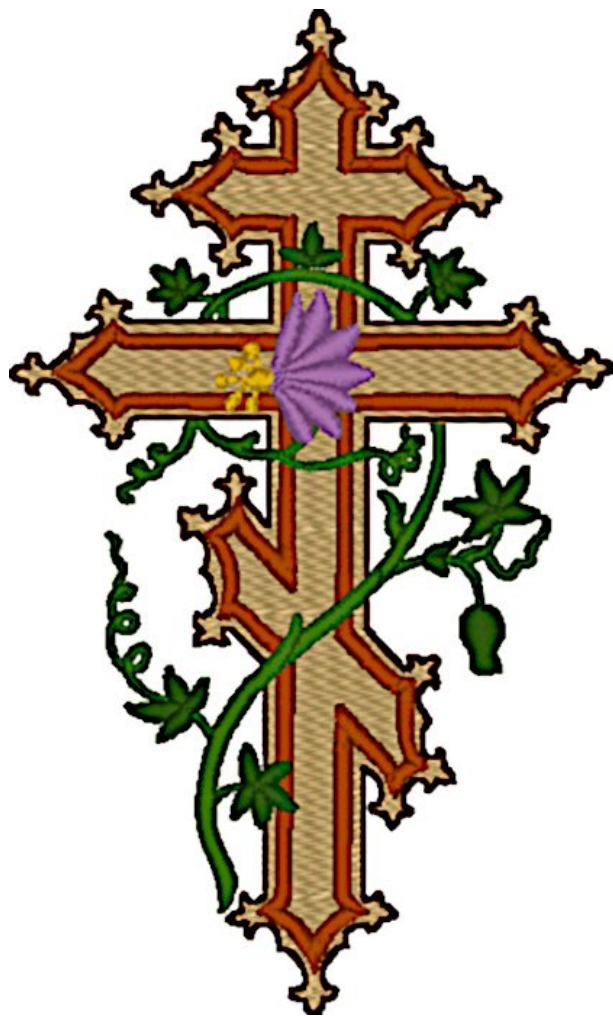


The Sunday of the Holy Cross



Prayer: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.
O Lord, enlighten my mind with the light of understanding Thy Word, and teach me to do Thy will.

Parent explains: On the Third Sunday of Great Lent the Orthodox Church honors the Precious and Life-giving Cross. The Cross is beautifully decorated and placed in the middle of the Church for all to see. We venerate or show our love for the Cross by singing hymns and bowing down before it. The Cross reminds us of how much God loves us and encourages us on our Lenten journey.

Activities:

Make a Suncatcher Cross: Pick up craft packet in Church.



Learn a hymn to the Cross:

Before Thy Cross,
we bow down in worship, O Master,
and Thy Holy Resurrection we glorify.

You can listen to the hymn on YouTube by going to the attached link. Click on the picture to start.

