

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY: 10th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST,
PROCESSION OF THE LIFEGIVING CROSS
9:10am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy
Acolytes: check in the Altar Summer Church School
BLESSING OF THE WATERS
Thanksgiving Prayers: Patrick Moore
Beginning of the Dormition Fast
Fellowship: **EVERYONE**
(Wine & Oil Only)

Wed 8/4: 6:00pm: Daily Vespers
7:00pm: Fr George's Orthodoxy Class

Thur 8/5: **Eve of the Transfiguration**
6:00pm: Great Vespers with Litiya , Confessions
BLESSING OF FRUIT

Fri 8/6 **TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST**
9:10am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy
BLESSING OF FRUIT

Sat 8/7: 5:00pm: Choir Rehearsal
6:00pm : Great Vespers, Confessions

Sun 8/8: **11th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**
9:10am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy,
Acolytes: check in the Altar Summer Church School
Thanksgiving Prayers: Monica Fettes Fellowship: **H-P**
(Wine & Oil Only)

FATHER GEORGE WISHES THAT ALL OF US PLEASE BEAR IN MIND that appropriate dress is required at the Divine Liturgy at all times. Shorts on men or women and short skirts and plunging necklines have never been considered appropriate.

While most Orthodox Christians are perhaps aware of the general rules of fasting for Great Lent, the rules for the other fasting periods are less known. During the **DORMITION FAST**, wine and oil are allowed only on Saturdays and Sundays and fish, wine & oil are allowed only on the **Feast of the Transfiguration**, August 6th; the **Feast of St Herman of Alaska**, August 9th; and the **Feast of St Tikhon of Zadonsk**, August 13th.
(oca.org/OCFasting.asp)

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10th Sunday After Pentecost August 1st, 2010 Procession of the Lifegiving Cross

Welcome Visitors! Christ is In Our Midst!

We are honored you are visiting today. * **Liturgy Books** may be found on the **Candle Table** at the back of the church. * We invite you to fill out a **Visitor's Card**, also on the Candle Table & place it in one of the Collection Baskets there. * We do not take up a **Collection** during our services but rather ask you to place donations in one of the baskets on the Candle Table. * While only Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves may receive **Holy Communion**, everyone is welcome to come forward at the end of Liturgy to receive a blessing from our priest and to take the blessed bread. * It is the **Orthodox practice** to stand during services as a sign of reverence for the Lord but if you need to sit, please do so. Use of chairs is shared. If you are able, we particularly try to stand during the processions with the Gospel and the Gifts, during the Readings, the Creed, during the preparation of the Holy Eucharist, the Lord's Prayer and reception of Communion. * **We invite you** to stay after the Thanksgiving Prayers **for fellowship** and coffee, so that we may greet you personally, and to answer any questions you may have about our faith, our parish or today's service. * Please help yourself to the brochures and information on the Literature Table. * All children **ages three through twelve** are encouraged to attend our Sunday School after Holy Communion. * **We hope you will visit us again.**

Please send Prayer Corner names and updates along with bulletin announcements to Daniel Schulte at: drschulte@hughes.net or call **505-495-9200**.

Rubrics for Today: Resurrection Tone 1

Resurrection tone sheets are on the Literature Table

Along with special s for the Feast of the Procession of the Lifegiving Cross

Resurrection texts are also in the appendices of the black Liturgy books

PRAYER CORNER

New Requests/Updates: Please pray for the health of our Sister in Christ **Anna Zima**. From Father Peter Smith of St. Mary of Egypt church in Atlanta, Georgia, **prayers are requested for the safety** of his son-in-law **Dmitrius Pridomore**, deployed to Afghanistan this week and for **Tamera, Faith, Hope** and **Thomas Pridomore**, awaiting his return home next year. For the intentions of former parishioner **Capt. Chuck McLeod, Jr** and his wife **Melissa**. **May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer:** Warren, Dewayne, Bob, Mary Beth, Ron, Fr. Demetrios, Christine, Alex, Debra, Glenda, Rolf, Igor, Kenneth, Diane, Brandon, Rosemary, Marilyn, Frances, Annette, Anita, Amanda, Jenn, Linda, Martha, Joan, Jim, Lukas, Matthew, Marcel, Mike, Anna, Susan, William, Donna, Nancy, Kim, Pamela, Bryan, Marcella. **For those in remission from cancer:** Seraphim, Jo, Alexander, Jo, Anna.

May the Lord send his angels to protect those deployed or working in combat areas: Connor and Steven.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Irene, Nina, Dcn Gerry, Matushka Marilyn, Matthew, George, Kent, Hieromonk John, Fr George, Emilee, Jeremy & Coltin, Janet, Paul, Karen, Fr Sergei, Monica, Darla, Melissa, Andrea, Arline, Layla Anne, Renee, Gus, Maria, Cynthia, Mary Ann, Matthew and his mother Hoda, Marilyn, Stephanie, William, Anya, Jose, Ludmilla, Jim, Loren, John, Sharon, Subdcn. Gregory, Maria, Fr Christopher, Mary, Shanna & daughters Michaela, Cheyenne and Logan, Bryan, child Elijah and parents Janice and Timothy, Bob, Mary, Gail, Arnold, Dcn Stephen, Sarah, Elizabeth, Josie, Ernest, Ryan, Robert, Mother Anna, Basil, Stephen, Rick, Columcille, Connie, Susan, Rebecca, Julie, Rick, Lela & her brother.

God Grant You Many Years to all those celebrating Name Days, birthdays and anniversaries.

O Lord, send your angels to watch over all those traveling.

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT: YTD THROUGH JULY, 2010

Income:	Expenses:	Shortfall:
\$57,238.94	\$62,123.64	-\$4,884.70

ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES

- **TODAY WE ARE HAVING AN ALL PARISH POTLUCK** after Divine Liturgy to welcome our new priest-in-charge, **Father Nikolay Miletkov** and **Mother Rachael** & their young sons, **Emil & Philip**. **MAY GOD GRANT THEM MANY, MANY YEARS!**
- **FATHER GEORGE IS NOW OFFICIALLY RETIRED**, but will continue to hear confessions and conduct the Wednesday evening Orthodoxy Class. **MAY GOD GRANT OUR DEAR FATHER GEORGE MANY, MANY YEARS.**
- **A MEMORY BOOK IS BEING ASSEMBLED FOR FATHER GEORGE.** If you would like to participate, please use an 8.5" x 11" sheet of cardstock paper (there is some on the literature table) and bring it back with a message to Father. Well wishes and expressions of how Father George's priestly ministry has impacted you are encouraged. Add a photo, drawing or other decorations. Children's pages are welcomed. Please return it to church on or before August 15th, but the earlier the better. We'll have a box for the completed pages on the Literature Table or mail it to **Mary Vosevich** or **Diane Prokipchak**. Any questions? See Diane or Mary.
- **ANYONE WANTING TO LOOK AT OR BUY JEWELRY FROM THE JEWELRY CASE** in the bookstore should see Diane, Monica or Fr. Nikolay so they can open the case for you. All the jewelry is sterling silver or good quality gold and is a good buy at the quoted price.
- **FATHER DEACON TODD FRANTA AND VELI** will be with us until August 9th. To extend an invitation to them, call: **570-267-1146**.
- **SUMMER CONCERT: "LOVE SONGS FROM THE MOVIES."** Ed & Rick are offering this concert on Sunday, August 22nd, at 3:00pm.

THE BLESSING OF FIRST FRUITS traditionally begins on the Great Feast of the Transfiguration (August 6th.) with the blessing of grapes. In localities where grapes are not grown, other early-ripening fruits such as apples may be offered. There is a special ceremony at the end of the Divine Liturgy at which the priest blesses the first fruits, asking *...that the Lord may bless them, that they may be to us unto rejoicing, and that He may accept a gift of these fruits unto the cleansing of our sins...* As the harvest season progresses, the first fruits of each species can be brought to the church to be blessed, using a similar format, but a different prayer: *...that the Lord may receive our gift unto His eternal treasury and grant us an abundance of earthly goods...*

...Archpriest D. Sokolof, *A Manual of the Orthodox Church's Divine Services*

Most Holy Theotokos, save Us!