#### WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY: 30th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, SUNDAY AFTER

**THEOPHANY** 

9:00am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School
Thanksgiving Prayers: Bill Boyle Pot Luck: A-G

Parish Council & Building Committee meeting with Milos

1:15pm: Blessing of the Rio Grande at Calabacillas Arroyo

Wed: 1/11: 6:00pm: Daily Vespers

7:00pm: Orthodoxy Class

Sat: 1/14: 5:00pm: Choir Rehearsal

6:00pm: Great Vespers, Confessions

Sun: 1/15 31st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST,

9:00am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School

Thanksgiving Prayers: Diane Prokipchak Pot Luck: EVERYONE

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

## The Holy Martyrs Julian & Basilissa at Antinoe in Egypt COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

Julian and Basilissa were of noble and wealthy parents. United in marriage, they vowed to live chastely as brother and sister. They distributed all of their property to the poor and both were tonsured. Julian founded a monastery and Basilissa founded a convent. Julian had about ten-thousand monks and Basilissa about a thousand nuns. When a terrible persecution began under Diocletian, Basilissa implored God that none of her nuns would become frightened of the tortures and would not fall away from the Orthodox Faith. The Lord heard the prayers of His worthy handmaiden and, in the course of six months, received unto Himself all the nuns, one by one and finally their abbess Basilissa. Before her death. Basilissa had a vision of her sisters [nuns] from the other world. To her, all of them appeared to her radiant and joyful as angels of God and beckoned their spiritual mother to come to them as soon as possible. Unlike Basilissa's convent, Julian's monastery was set ablaze by the persecutors and Julian was inhumanly tortured and died from the most difficult sufferings. During his tortures, the Lord watched over him and strengthened him so that he heroically endured, preserved his Faith and glorified the Name of Christ. Beheaded along with Julian were Celsus and Maronilla, the son and wife of the tormentor Marcian, who witnessing Julian's heroism in suffering and torture, were themselves converted to the Faith of Christ. Also beheaded were twenty Roman soldiers; seven brothers from that town; the presbyter Anthony; and a certain Anastasius, whom Julian at the time of his torture, resurrected from the dead by prayer. All suffered honorably for Christ and became citizens of the heavenly kingdom about the year 313. ...The Prologue from Ohrid

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## 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2012

**Sunday After Theophany** 

#### 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 or next to the Holy Water Font. \* 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 east side counter. \* All children ages three through twelve are encouraged to attend our Sunday School after Holy Communion.

We hope you will visit us again very soon.

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 5**

Resurrection tone sheets are on the Literature Table
Resurrection texts are also in the appendices of the black Liturgy books

#### PRAYER CORNER

Many Years! to Ron Rollins who celebrates his birthday this week.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer: Bishop Nikon of Boston, Chris, Kathy, Matushka Valerie, Jashua, Wayne, Martina, Madolyn, Archbishop Lazar, Carmen, Frank, Matushka Katherine, Fr. Peter, Mary Ann, Dr. Frye, Leonard, Jerry, Mike, Glenda, Warren, Dewayne, Bob, Mary Beth, Fr. Demetrios, Christine, Alex, Debra, Rolf, Kenneth, Diane, Brandon, Rosemary, Marilyn, Annette, Anita, Amanda, Jenn, Linda, Martha, Jim, Lukas, Matthew, Marcel, Mike, Anna, Susan, William, Donna, Nancy, Pamela, Bryan, Marcella. And for those in remission from cancer: Jasmine, Ron, Joan, Igor, Fr. Silouan, Seraphim, Jo, Alexander, Jo, Anna.

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

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Robert, Velvet, Emilia, Valerie, child Anthony, Savelia, Dcn Steven, Fr George, George, Steve, Dcn Gerry, LouAnne, Sbdcn Columcille, Sbdcn Mark, Bill, Maria, Blair, Elizabeth, Robert, Gus, Bill, Thomas, Mark, Patrick, Patricia, Paul & Joyce, Maria, Vasile & Valerie, George, Marylee, Diana, Warren, Bill, Robert, Doug & his family, Mark, Frank, Infant Leo, Karen, Cassandra, Julie, Cynthia, Dawit, Glenda, Tamera, Faith, Hope and Thomas, Chuck and Melissa, Anna, Irene, Nina, Matushka Marilyn, Kent, George, Hieromonk John, Emilee, Jeremy & Coltin, Janet, Paul, Fr Sergei, Monica, Darla, Melissa, Andrea, Arline, Layla Anne, Renee, Gus, Maria, Mary Ann, Matthew and his mother Hoda, Marilyn, Stephanie, William, Anya, Jose, Ludmilla, Jim, Loren, John, Sharon, Subden. Gregory, Maria, Fr Christopher, Mary, Shanna & daughters Michaela, Cheyenne and Logan, Bryan, child Elijah and parents Janice and Timothy, Bob, Mary, Gail, Arnold, Sarah, Elizabeth, Ernest, Ryan, Robert, Mother Anna, Basil, Stephen, Rick, Connie, Susan, Rebecca, Rick, Lela & her brother.

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

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

#### PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT: FOR THE YEAR 2011

Operating Income: \$132,404<sup>.22</sup> Operating Expenses: \$113,089<sup>.88</sup> Charity Collections: \$4,763<sup>.00</sup> Building Fund: \$21,411<sup>.51</sup>

Most Holy Theotokos save us!

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES**

- BLESSING OF THE RIO GRANDE: There will be a pilgrimage to the Rio Grande after Liturgy TODAY to bless the waters. Everyone is encouraged to attend. Calabacillas Arroyo will be the gathering site and is located on the west side of the river, 0.7 mile north of Paseo del Norte and just south of the junction of Coors Road & Coors Bypass Road. From Coors Blvd, turn east onto Westside Blvd. The entrance to the Calabacillas Arroyo access is on the left, where the road intersects with Riverfront Drive. Follow the access road to the right to the parking area, where you will find an informational sign. The ground is sandy so appropriate shoes will be necessary. MAPS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE LITERATURE TABLE
- WE WELCOME OUR DIOCESAN TREASURER, MILOS Konjevich, who is with us this weekend. Milos will meet with the Parish Council and the Building Committee right after Liturgy today to discuss our financial state regarding the upcoming building of our new Church.
- PLEASE REMEMBER: We are a "peanut-free" parish. No peanuts, peanut butter or other peanut products, PLEASE! In addition, some parish members are highly allergic to fragrances of any kind. Please use sparingly before coming to church. Thank you!
- WE STILL NEED HELP WITH THE WEEKLY CHURCH CLEANING: ESPECIALLY MOPPING. Please see Patrick Moore if you'd like to help with this most necessary chore.
- THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING WILL BE AFTER LITURGY NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2012. If you didn't sign & turn in your pledge form (ANNUAL COMMITMENT IN SUPPORT OF THE CHURCH FOR 2012) please do so soon. This is not just about money. It is by the means of the pledge form that we are able to assess parish membership figures to report to the DOS and the OCA and to determine if there are enough parishioners present at the Annual Parish Meeting for a quorum (50%) and to determine who is eligible to vote (declared parish members only.) Thank you.
- IF YOU ARE NOT SURE whether you have returned your 2012 Commitment Form, there is a list on the Bulletin Board with the names of all those who have declared to be parish members for 2012 so far. If you consider yourself a member of our parish, but you don't see your name on the list, please fill out and return the annual commitment form (available on the table in the back of the Church) this Sunday. Thank you.
- PLEASE SEE FR. NIKOLAY if you are interested in being elected at the Annual Parish Meeting as a Parish Council Member, Building Committee Member, Diocesan Assembly Lay Representative, or Yearly Auditor. On the Parish Council there are two openings since Mary Jo Austin and Rob Booms are vacating their positions. Mary Vosevich and Daniel Schulte are eligible for election to a second term. Bill Boyle and Patrick Moore have one more year on their first term. John Teifel has one more year on his second term.