

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

TODAY: 38th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, PUBLICAN & PHARISEE

9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School

SISTERHOOD BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER

Hours: Rick Staats

Thanksgiving Prayers: Daniel Schulte

☞ FAST FREE WEEK ☞

Tues: 2/23: 10:00am: **Recitation of the Jesus Prayer**

10:30am: Book Study: *For the Life of the World*

6:30pm: Parish Council Meeting

Wed: 2/24: 1st & 2nd FINDINGS OF THE HEAD OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

6:00pm: **Vespers**

7:00pm: Orthodoxy Class

Thur: 2/25: ST TARASIVS, ARCHBISHOP OF CONSTANTINOPLE

9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Sat: 2/27: ST RAPHAEL, BISHOP OF BROOKLYN

10:00am: **Divine Liturgy in Slavonic**

5:00pm: CHOIR REHEARSAL

6:00pm: **Great Vespers, Confessions**

Sun: 2/28: 39th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, PRODIGAL SON

9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy,

Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School

Hours: Daniel Robson

Potluck: A— G

Thanksgiving Prayers : Bill Boyle

SISTERHOOD MEETING

St John III Scholastics, Patriarch Of Constantinople

ALSO COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

As an advocate, John was ordained a priest, and after that became patriarch in the year 565 A.D. He compiled canons, which were included in the Nomo-Canon. During his time, the divine hymn, The Cherubic Hymn, as well as the prayer before Holy Communion, "Of Thy Mystical Supper," were included in the Holy and Divine Liturgy.

St Nikolai (Velimirovic) The PROLOGUE OF OHRID

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38th Sunday After Pentecost

February 21st 2016

2 Tim. 3: 10 - 15 Sunday of the Publican & Pharisee Luke 18: 10- 14

WELCOME VISITORS! CHRIST IS IN OUR MIDST!

We are honored you are visiting today. * Liturgy **Books** may be found next to the **Candle Table** at the back of the church. * We **invite you to fill out a Visitor's Card** 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 **Book Store 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 the meal 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

May God Grant Many Years! to **Michelle** Sholz, **Wayne** Descheneau and **Julia** Descheneau on their **Birthdays**.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer: Chuck, Juan, Ivan, Lubov, Daria, Cynthia, Karen, Nina, Paul, Protodeacon Nicholas, Bishop Nikon of Boston and Archbishop Lazar.

And for those in remission from cancer: Madolyn, Dr. Frye, Mary Beth, Rolf, Ron, Galina, Yelena, Yelena, Galina, Jasmine and Fr Silouan.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Elizabeth, Matushka Ingrid, Chuck & Alice, Emilia, Silouan, Evdokiya, Michael, David, Lois Ana, Randall, Bob & Marilyn, Mary Elizabeth, George, Gabriella & Andrei, Loretta, Richard, Bill, Maria, Galina, Andrey, Nikolay, Fotiniya, Joseph David, Carolyn, Deacon Steven, Kendrick, Camryn, Emma, Julie, Tana, Ruth Ann, Subdeacon Columcille, John & Sharon, Deacon Gerry, LouAnne, Irene, Subdeacon Gregory and Ernest.

God Grant Many Years! to all those others celebrating Name Days, Birthdays and Anniversaries.

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

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT: YTD THROUGH 2015

Operating Income: \$130,428³³ Operating Expenses: \$111,726⁴⁷
Charity Collections: \$8,280⁰⁴ Building Fund: \$15,143⁷⁹

Ω ANNOUNCEMENTS Ω

IT IS THE TRADITION OF THE ORTHODOX CHURCH For the Priest to bless the homes of parishioners with holy water between The Feast of Theophany and the beginning of Great Lent. Please contact **Fr Nikolay** to schedule the blessing of your home.

THE SISTERHOOD OF St ANNA is having a breakfast fundraiser **TODAY** after Liturgy. Menu: Breakfast Casserole, Cutie Orange, Slice of Sweet Bread, Hash Brown Patty, Coffee, Tea, Orange Juice. Suggested Donation: Adults \$7⁰⁰/Children \$3⁵⁰. This is only a suggested donation; any amount is welcome. **THANK YOU TO ALL** who donated to the Love Cartons project for 2016. We were able to send \$500⁰⁰ from the sisterhood of St Anna plus shampoo, conditioner, lotion, soaps, toothbrushes, razors, toothpaste, deodorants & other items. There is a complete list of what was sent posted on the bulletin board. We now begin again for Love Cartons 2017.

WE ARE CONSIDERING ORGANIZING A LENTEN PILGRIMAGE to St Anthony's Monastery from Monday, March 21st until Thursday, March 24th. At this point we would like to gauge how many people are interested, so please contact Fr Nikolay if you would like to go or if you have any questions.

NICE WAY TO CONTRIBUTE TO OUR BUILDING FUND: AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support your favorite charitable organization every time you shop, at no cost to you. When you shop at smile.amazon.com, you'll find the exact same prices and selection as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to your favorite charitable organization. All proceeds to All Saints of North America's Building Fund. The direct URL for our church is: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/35-2201101> If you have any questions please contact **Bryan Maes** or **Fr Nikolay**.

THE SISTERHOOD OF St ANNA collected: \$161⁰⁰ for Roadrunner Food Bank on "Souper" Bowl Sunday & \$75⁰⁰ last Sunday for the Baklava Sundaes for a total of \$236⁰⁰. Thank you so much for your generosity! Roadrunner Food Bank reports that for every \$1⁰⁰ gift, they are able to distribute 5 meals, helping solve hunger for 70,000 hungry people every week!

IF YOU WISH TO CONTRIBUTE to a charitable fund for **Matushka Ingrid** all you need do is write a check to ASONA and write "Matushka Ingrid" on the "for" line and it will be passed through to her. Thank you.

Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee

Beginning of the Lenten Triodion

Two men went to the Temple to pray. One was a Pharisee who scrupulously observed the requirements of religion: he prayed, fasted, and contributed money to the Temple. These are very good things, and should be imitated by anyone who loves God. We who may not fulfill these requirements as well as the Pharisee did should not feel entitled to criticize him for being faithful. His sin was in looking down on the Publican and feeling justified because of his external religious observances.

The second man was a Publican, a tax-collector who was despised by the people. He, however, displayed humility, and this humility justified him before God (Luke 18:14).

The lesson to be learned is that we possess neither the Pharisee's religious piety, nor the Publican's repentance, through which we can be saved. We are called to see ourselves as we really are in the light of Christ's teaching, asking Him to be merciful to us, deliver us from sin, and to lead us on the path of salvation.

<http://oca.org/saints/all-lives/2016/02/21>