

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY: 2nd SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT, ST GREGORY PALAMAS

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

Acolytes: check in the Altar

Church School

Thanksgiving Prayers: Bill Boyle

Lenten Potluck: Q-Z

SISTERHOOD MEETING

(Wine & Oil)

Wed 3/23: 6:00pm: 9th Hour, Typica, Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
Lenten Potluck: Everyone (Wine & Oil)

Thur 3/24: 7:00pm: UNM OCA (Dane Smith Hall, Room #317)

Fri 3/25 ANNUNCIATION OF THE MOST-HOLY THEOTOKOS

6:00pm: 9th Hour, Typica, Vespers, Divine Liturgy

Sat 3/26: 5:00pm: Choir Rehearsal

6:00pm Great Vespers, Confessions

Sun 3/27: 3rd SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT, VENERATION OF THE
PRECIOUS CROSS

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

Acolytes: check in the Altar

Church School

Thanksgiving Prayers: Diane Prokipchak

Lenten Potluck: A-G

(Wine & Oil)

PROJECT MEXICO & ST. INNOCENT ORPHANAGE PRESENTATION

St Gregory Palamas

COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

A second commemoration of St Gregory Palamas was appointed for the Second Sunday of Great Lent as a second "Triumph of Orthodoxy." St Gregory, at the request of Athonite monks, put his theological arguments...about the methods of prayer and about the uncreated light seen by the Hesychasts...in writing. Thus appeared the Triads in Defense of the Holy Hesychasts (1338). In 1351 the Council of Blachernae solemnly upheld the Orthodoxy of his teachings.

On the eve of his repose, St John Chrysostom appeared to him in a vision. With the words "To the heights! To the heights!" St Gregory Palamas fell asleep in the Lord on November 14, 1359. In 1368 he was canonized at a Constantinople Council under Patriarch Philotheus, who compiled the Life and Services to the saint.

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2nd Sunday of Great Lent

March 20th, 2011

St Gregory Palamas

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.

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We hope you will visit us again very soon.

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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 2

Resurrection tone sheets are on the Literature Table

Along with special sheets from the Triodion for the **2nd Sunday of Great Lent**

Texts are also in the appendices of the black Liturgy books

PRAYER CORNER

Celebrating their birthdays this week: Chuck Hembree (3/21), Patrick Moore (3/22) , & Dobrina Teifel (3/26) and Diane Prokipchak whose name day was yesterday (St. Daria: 3/19). May God Grant You Many Years!!!

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer: Matushka Katherine, Fr. Peter, Mary Ann, Dr. Frye, Leonard, Jerry, Mike, Glenda, Warren, Dewayne, Bob, Mary Beth, Ron, Fr. Demetrios, Christine, Alex, Debra, Rolf, Kenneth, Diane, Brandon, Rosemary, Marilyn, Annette, Anita, Amanda, Jenn, Linda, Martha, Joan, Jim, Lukas, Matthew, Marcel, Mike, Anna, Susan, William, Donna, Nancy, Kim, Pamela, Bryan, Marcella. And for those in remission from cancer: 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: Maria, Vasile & Valerie, George, Marylee, Diana, Warren, Bill, Robert, Doug & his family, Mark, Frank, Deacon Gerry, Infant Leo, Karen, Cassandra, Julie, Cynthia, Bishop Nikon of Boston, Dawit, Glenda, Tamera, Faith, Hope and Thomas, Chuck and Melissa, Anna, Irene, Nina, Matushka Marilyn, Kent, George, Hieromonk John, Fr George, 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, 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, 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: YTD THROUGH FEBRUARY 2011

Income:	Expenses:	Net:
\$23,535.70	\$19,552.80	\$3,982.90

APRIL CALENDAR ITEMS ARE NEEDED BY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23rd
Contact Diane Prokipchak at: dianepnm@q.com or (505) 792-4507.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES

- **SISTERHOOD MEETING** today after Divine Liturgy.
- **FROM OUR MONEY COUNTERS:** The problem continues that it is not always possible to tell the amount and designation on many checks that are placed in the donation baskets. So please: #1: Write or print **CLEARLY** the amount donated. This is the only legal amount recorded by the bank, and **NOT THE NUMBER** written. #2: Write the designation or destination you want the donation to go on the "For:____" line; such as: General fund, Bldg fund, Candles, Flowers, etc. At least one-fourth of all checks received are without a designation. This will greatly help our money counters get your donations to where you intend them to go.
- **"THE ORIENTAL CHURCHES"** is the theme of the March 2011 installment of the OCA's young adult blog, "Wonder," now available at: ocawonder.com. The installment explores the various Oriental traditions and explains the theological differences between the Oriental and Eastern Orthodox Churches.
- **PASCHA FLOWER DONATION BASKET IS ON THE CANDLE TABLE:** Your Pascha Flower donations will go to the purchase of palms and pussy willows for Palm Sunday, greens and flowers for the tomb and Easter lilies and flower arrangements for Pascha.
- **PROJECT MEXICO & ST. INNOCENT ORPHANAGE:** Next Sunday, March 27th, during our fellowship following the Divine Liturgy we will have the opportunity to see a presentation regarding Project Mexico & St. Innocent Orphanage. The presentation will be given by Demetrios Nickles who is the Development Director at this great Orthodox organization. For more information regarding Project Mexico please go to the following web site: projectmexico.org

Repent for the Kingdom of Heaven is at Hand!

Great Lent is often referred to as the school of repentance, because the purpose of the fast is not to change our diet, but to undergo a change of mind, a change of heart, a true conversion. And in order for this to become a reality it is indispensable for us to prepare ourselves and come to the Sacrament of Confession with humility and contrition for a broken and contrite heart, God will not despise. (Psalm 51:17) You can come either to me or Fr. George. Our typical time for Confession is on Saturdays after Great Vespers. However, I'm available at other times if you would like to contact me and make an appointment. Please do not wait until the end, for due to the busy schedule of Holy Week, there will be no Confessions then.

...God Bless, Fr. Nikolay