

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY: 41st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, FORGIVENESS SUNDAY
9:00am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy,
Cheesefare Vespers with Rite of Forgiveness
Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School
Thanksgiving Prayers: George Patrick

SISTERHOOD BLINI SALE

Mon: 3/18: 6:00pm: Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete

Tues: 3/19: 5:00pm: Panikhida for Livia Strimbu [40th day of her repose]
6:00pm: Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete

Wed: 3/20: 6:00pm: Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete

Thur: 3/21: 6:00pm: Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete

Fri: 3/22: 5:40pm: 9th Hour , Typica
6:00pm: Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Potluck)

Sat: 3/23: 10:00am: Baptism of Justin Ruehle
4:30pm: Choir Rehearsal
6:00pm: Great Vespers, Confessions

Sun: 3/24: 1st SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT, SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY
9:00am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy,
Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School
Thanksgiving Prayers: Patrick Moore Potluck: Q-Z
6:00pm: Great Vespers, Litiya (Eve of the Annunciation)

The Holy Martyr Marinus

ALSO COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

Marinus was a soldier. Not only did he not want to offer sacrifices to the idols, but if others made sacrifices, he scattered and trampled them under his feet. As a result of this, Marinus was tortured and beheaded in the third century. A certain Senator, Astyrius, clothed in a priceless white garment witnessed the suffering of St. Marinus. Astyrius was so overcome with enthusiasm for the Faith of Christ, Who gives to His followers so much courage, that he placed the martyred body on his shoulders, removed it and buried it with honors. Upon seeing this, the pagans murdered him also as a Christian.

St Nikolai (Velimirovch)
The Prologue from Ohrid

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41st Sunday After Pentecost
March 17th, 2013
Forgiveness Sunday

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 8

Resurrection tone sheets are on the Literature Table

Along with Special Sheets for Forgiveness Sunday

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

PRAYER CORNER

Please pray for the repose of our fellow parishioner **Marcel Iancu** who fell asleep in the Lord this past Tuesday after a long battle with cancer. **May his memory be eternal!**

May God Grant Many Years! to **Michael Jannakos, Chuck Hembree, Patrick Moore, Gregory Kirsanoff, and Ryan McGowan** on their Birthdays and to **Diane Prokipchak** on her name day, all in this coming week.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer: Matushka Katherine, Seamus, Ron, Mother Lybov, Matushka Marilyn, Infant Silas, Maria, Lindsey, Bishop Nikon of Boston, Chris, Kathy, Matushka Valerie, Jashua, Wayne, Martina, Madolyn, Archbishop Lazar, Frank, Matushka Katherine, Fr. Peter, Mary Ann, Dr. Frye, Leonard, Jerry, Mike, Glenda, Warren, Bob, Mary Beth, Christine, Alex, Debra, Rolf, Kenneth, Diane, Brandon, Rosemary, Marilyn, Annette, Anita, Amanda, Jenn, Martha, Jim, Lukas, Matthew, Marcel, Mike, Anna, Susan, William, Donna, Nancy, Pamela, Bryan, Marcella.

And for those in remission from cancer: Galina, Yelena, Yelena, Galina, Jasmine, Joan, Igor, Fr. Silouan, Seraphim, Jo, Alexander, Jo, Anna.

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

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Gregory, Nancy, Olivia, Nina, Dawit, Ruth Ann, Michael, Shoshannah & the infant Holly, Matt, Randall, Subdcn Columcille, Karen, Luba, Veronica, Clare, Teresa, Fr George, Ray & Trish & their children Brett & Donna, Dale, James, Galina, Andrey, Fotiniya, Nikolay, Evdokiya, Matrena, John and Sharon, Robert, Velvet, Emilia, Valerie, child Anthony, Savelia, Dcn Steven, George, Steve, Dcn Gerry, LouAnne, 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, Glenda, Tamera, Faith, Hope and Thomas, Chuck and Melissa, Anna, Irene, 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, Subdcn 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: YTD THROUGH FEBRUARY, 2013

Operating Income: \$19,901^{.95} Operating Expenses: \$19,856^{.11}

Charity Collections: \$441^{.50} Building Fund: \$1,310^{.00}

ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES

- **BLINI SALE TODAY** Blini (Russian crepes) will be sold by the Sisterhood. Each blin will be available plain with no filling (suggested donation \$1^{.00} each) or with: strawberries, strawberries & cheese or with salmon & sour cream (suggested donation \$2.00 each). Butter, pancake syrup, sunflower butter, jelly, sour cream, cream cheese, and whipped cream will be out on a table. For those who don't care for blini, we'll have out both regular and gluten-free bread. Funds raised will go to benefit the charity work of the Sisterhood.
- **TOMORROW, THE GREAT FAST BEGINS.**
- **BOOKSTORE:** We have the Great Cannon with St Mary's story for \$6^{.00}, Forgiveness Sunday Vespers for \$3^{.00}, Presanctified Liturgy for \$4^{.00}. Holy Week book prices vary; a package deal on 10 Lent/Holy Week books for \$45^{.00} (save \$5^{.00}) Pascha cards for \$1^{.00} and red egg dye for \$1^{.25}. We have a variety of books on Lent, fasting, repentance, the shroud, the light, and a cookbook.
- **BAPTISM OF JUSTIN RUEHLE:** The Ruehle Family would like to invite everyone to Justin's Baptism at 10:00am next Saturday, March 23rd.
- **APRIL CALENDAR ITEMS** are needed by **Wednesday, March 20th**. Please contact Diane Prokipchak at: dianepnm@q.com or call: (505) 792-4507.
- **IF YOU WISH TO CONTRIBUTE** to a charitable fund for Fr. George's retirement, all you need do is write a check to ASONA and write "Father George's retirement fund" on the "for" line and it will be passed through to Fr George. Thank you.

The Sunday of Cheesefare: Expulsion of Adam from Paradise

COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

As we begin the Great Fast, the Church reminds us of Adam's expulsion from Paradise. God commanded Adam to fast (Gen. 2:16), but he did not obey. Because of their disobedience, Adam and Eve were cast out of Eden and lost the life of blessedness, knowledge of God, and communion with Him, for which they were created. Both they and their descendents became heirs of death and corruption.

Let us consider the benefits of fasting, the consequences of disobedience, and recall our fallen state. Today we are invited to cleanse ourselves of evil through fasting and obedience to God. Our fasting should not be a negative thing, a mere abstention from certain foods. It is an opportunity to free ourselves from the sinful desires and urges of our fallen nature, and to nourish our souls with prayer, repentance, to participate in church services, and partake of the life-giving Mysteries of Christ.

At Forgiveness Vespers we sing: Let us begin the time of fasting in light, preparing ourselves for spiritual efforts. Let us purify our soul, let us purify our body. As we abstain from food, let us abstain from all passion and enjoy the virtues of the spirit...

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