

Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church

Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese

“... the Disciples were called Christians first in Antioch!” Acts 11:26

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17TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Hieromartyr Hierotheos, bishop of Athens; Apostle Krispos of the Seventy; Martyrs Domina and her daughters of Syria; uncovering of the relics of Guriors, first archbishop of Kazan; Barsanouphios, bishop of Tver; Stephen (Stiljanovich) and Elizabeth

HYMNS AFTER THE LITTLE ENTRANCE

Troparion of the Resurrection - Tone 8

You descended from on high, O Compassionate One. You endured burial until the third day, to set us free from passions. O Lord, our life and our resurrection, glory to You!

Titular Feast of the Church (Kontakion for Pascha) – Tone 8

You descended into the tomb O immortal; You destroyed the power of death. In victory you arose O Christ God, proclaiming ‘Rejoice’ to the myrrh-bearing women. Granting peace to Your apostles, and bestowing Resurrection on the fallen.

Kontakion of the Theotokos – Tone 4

O undisputed intercessor of Christians, the mediatrix who is unrejected by the Creator: Turn not away from the voice of our petitions, although we be sinners. Come to us in time with aid as we cry unto thee in faith, for thou art good. Hasten to us with intercessions, O Theotokos, who dost ever intercede for those who honor thee.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **The St. Raphael Fellowship** (formerly the Inquirer’s Class) will meet tonight at 7:00 p.m. at the home of the Van Sickles.
- ❖ **Sunday, Oct. 4th from 2:00 to 3:00 in the afternoon is Life Chain.** If you would like to participate and need a place to stand, there is a corner in Munster at Hawthorne and Ridge Road (just west of Wicker Park) where Paul and Charlene Van Sickle will have signs for you to hold. If you have any questions please talk to Vickie Van Sickle.
- ❖ **Fr. Gregory Rogers** will be visiting **Holy Resurrection** on the weekend of **October 23rd** and will be presenting a number of teachings. Please mark your calendar!!
- ❖ **CHOIR PRACTICE** – We are going to begin **MONTHLY Choir researsals** following Vespers on the same Saturday Parish Council meets, which is normally the 3rd Saturday of each month. Please contact Mitch or Curt if you’re willing to participate. **PLEASE CONSIDER SERVING IN THE CHOIR!**

CALENDAR

(✕ Denotes Fast Day)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>Oct 4</i>	<i>Oct 5</i>	<i>Oct 6</i>	✕ <i>Oct 7</i>	<i>Oct 8</i>	✕ <i>Oct 9</i>	<i>Oct 10</i>
Orthros - 8:45am Liturgy - 9:30am <i>Brian & Vickie Van Sickle</i>	<i>Paul Bylen</i>		Vespers - 7:00pm	<i>Michael Temple</i>	<i>Paul & Beth Stanko</i>	NO Vespers in light of Tanya & Al's Wedding
<i>Oct 11</i>	<i>Oct 12</i>	<i>Oct 13</i>	✕ <i>Oct 14</i>	<i>Oct 15</i>	✕ <i>Oct 16</i>	<i>Oct 17</i>
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CHANGES/ADDITIONS TO CALENDAR OR PRAYER LIST MAY BE SENT TO 'MRB@BRIGHTSITES.COM' OR CALL 840-0120

PRAYER REMINDER

Fr. Paisius (The Academy)
 Jim Vail (St. Seraphim Brotherhood)
 Chaplain Terry Harman
 Chaplain David Rogers
 St. Moses Community
 Gertrude Parrish

George
 Frank
 Allison
 Sharon
 Cathy
 Shane
 Anthony Gonzalez

Thomas
 Kay
 Alex Mellinger
 Chris Tucker
 Joe O'Dea
 Jeff

Orthodox Departed
 Bishop Elias

THE EPISTLE READING II CORINTHIANS 6:16-7:1

Prokeimenon: *Vow ye and pay the Lord your God.
In Judah is God known.*

The Reading is from St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians.

BRETHREN, you are the temple of the living God; as God said, "I will live in them and move among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. Therefore come out from them, and be separate from them, says the Lord, and touch nothing unclean; then I will welcome you, and I will be a father to you, and you shall be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty."

Since we have these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and spirit, and make holiness perfect in the fear of God.

THE GOSPEL READING LUKE 6:31-36

The Lord said, "And as you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful."



WORDS OF WISDOM

“If you are making something, you must call to mind the Creator of all things; if you see the light, remember the Giver of it. If you put on your clothes, recall whose gift they are and thank Him who provides for your life. In short, let every action be a cause of your remembering and praising God, and lo! you will be praying without ceasing and therein your soul will always rejoice.”

St. Peter of Damascus