



**On Sunday, July 15, 2018 we commemorate:
Sunday of the Holy Fathers
The Holy Martyrs Cyricus and His Mother Julitta
Vladimir, Equal-to-the-Apostles of Kiev
The Finding of the Head of St. Matrona of Chios**



Απολυτίκιον Αναστάσιμον

Ἀγγελικαὶ Δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνήμᾳ σου, καὶ οἱ
φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν, καὶ ἴστατο Μαρία
ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἀχραντὸν σου σῶμα.
Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν Ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ'
αὐτοῦ, ὑπήντησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωρούμενος
τὴν ζωὴν, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα
σοι.

Τῶν Πατέρων

Ἵπερδεδοξασμένους εἶ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ
φωστήρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν
θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν ἀληθινὴν
πίστιν, πάντας ἡμᾶς ὁδηγήσας· πολυεὺσπλαγχνε,
δόξα σοι.

Troparion of St. George

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλῶτων ελευθερωτῆς, καὶ τῶν
πτωχῶν υπερασπιστῆς, ἀσθενοῦντων
ιατρός, βασιλέων υπέρμαχος, τροπαιοφόρε
μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ
τῷ Θεῷ θῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Κοντάκιον

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε,
μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ
παρίδης, ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ
πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθὴ, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν,
τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς
πρεσβειαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἱκεσίαν, ἢ
προστατεύουσα ἀεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμῶντων σε.

Resurrectional Apolytikion

When the angelic powers appeared at Your grave,
the soldiers guarding it feared and became as dead.
And standing by the sepulcher was Mary who was
seeking Your immaculate body. You devastated
Hades, not afflicted by it. You went to meet the
virgin, and granted eternal life. You resurrected from
the dead. O Lord, glory to You.

For the Fathers

Supremely blessed are You, O Christ our God.
You established the holy Fathers upon the earth
as beacons, and through them You have guided
us all to the true Faith, O greatly merciful One,
glory be to You.

Troparion of St. George

Liberator of captives, defender of the
Poor, physician of the sick, and champion
Of kings, O trophy-bearer, Great Martyr George,
intercede with Christ God that our souls be saved.

Kontakion

O Protection of Christians that never falls,
intercession with the Creator that never fails, we
sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our
prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly
come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with
faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to
supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and
ever those who honor you.

The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to Titus 3:8-15



Titus, my son, the saying is sure. I desire you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to apply themselves to good deeds; these are excellent and profitable to men. But avoid stupid controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels over the law, for they are unprofitable and futile. As for a man who is factious, after admonishing him once or twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is perverted and sinful; he is self-condemned.

When I send Artemas or Tychicos to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to apply themselves to good deeds, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not to be unfruitful.

All who are with me send greeting to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.

The Gospel according to Matthew 5:14-19



The Lord said to his disciples, "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven."

PARISH INFORMATION

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**Orthros: 9:00 AM Divine Liturgy: 10:00 AM
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**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9 AM – 2 PM
Parish Office closed on Friday**

Church Usher Assignment

Sunday, July 15, 2018 Team A Charlie Koines, Norina McGowen, Phil McGowen

Sunday, July 22, 2018 Team B Alexandra Casey, Brian Goodale, Scott Morlock

July Events

Sunday, July 15, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, July 17, 2018

6:30 PM Parish Council Meeting

Sunday, July 22, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Thursday, July 26, 2018

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy – Feastday of St. Paraskevi

Sunday, July 29, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

August Events

Sunday, August 5, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Sunday, August 12, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Sunday, August 19, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Sunday, August 26, 2018

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy