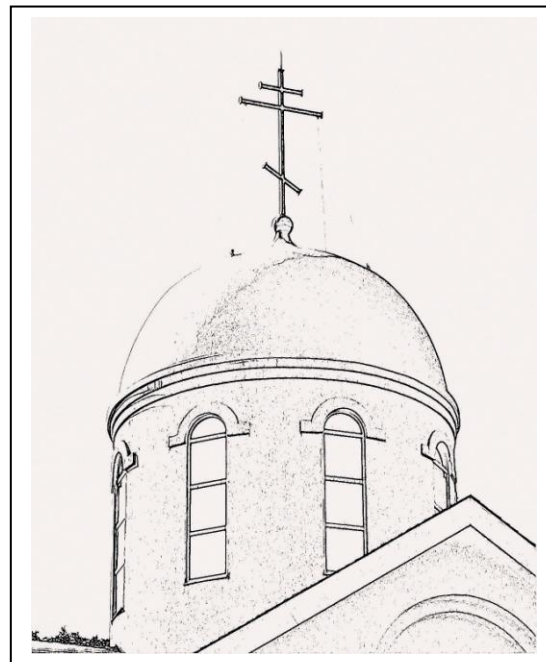


SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE DAY

Galatians 1:11-19 (Epistle) Brethren: I make known to you that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. For I did not receive it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through a revelation of Jesus Christ. For you have heard of my former life in Judaism, how I persecuted the church of God violently and tried to destroy it; and I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my own age among my people, so extremely zealous was I for the traditions of my fathers. But when He Who had set me apart before I was born, and had called me through His grace, was pleased to reveal His Son to me, in order that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not confer with flesh and blood, nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me, but I went away into Arabia; and again I returned to Damascus. Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to visit Cephas, and remained with him fifteen days. But I saw none of the other apostles except James the Lord's brother.

Luke 8:26-39 (Gospel) At that time, Jesus arrived at the country of the Gadarenes, which is opposite Galilee. And as He stepped out on land, there met Him a man from the city who had demons; for a long time he had worn no clothes, and he lived not in a house but among the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before Him, and said with a loud voice, "What hast Thou to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beseech Thee, do not torment me." For He had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many a time it had seized him; he was kept under guard, and bound with chains and fetters, but he broke the bonds and was driven by the demon into the desert.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. And they begged Him not to command them to depart into the abyss. Now a large herd of swine was feeding there on the hillside; and they begged Him to let them enter these. So He gave them leave. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and were drowned. When the herdsmen saw what had happened, they fled, and told it in the city and in the country. Then people went out to see what had happened, and they came to Jesus, and found the man from whom the demons had gone, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. And those who had seen it told them how he who had been possessed with demons was healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gadarenes asked Him to depart from them; for they were seized with great fear; so He got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with Him; but He sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." And he went away, proclaiming throughout the whole city how much Jesus had done for him.

WEEKLY



BULLETIN

Today is the beginning of our salvation, the revelation of the eternal mystery. The Son of God becomes the Son of the Virgin as Gabriel announces the coming of Grace. Together with him let us cry to the Theotokos: Rejoice O Full of Grace, the Lord is with you!

Troparion of the Annunciation to the Theotokos

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October 30, 2011

20th Sunday after Pentecost

Tone 3. (6th of Luke), Hieromartyr Zenobius and his sister Zenobia, of Aegæ in Cilicia (285). Apostles Tertius, Mark, Justus, and Artemas, of the Seventy (1st c.). Hieromartyr Marcian, Bishop of Syracuse (2nd c.). Martyr Eutropia of Alexandria (ca. 250). Martyr Anastasia of Thessalonica (3rd c.). St. Stephen Miliutin, his brother Ven. Dragutin (Theoctistus in monasticism), and their mother, St. Helen (Jelena), of Serbia.

Today's Readings:

Epistle: Galatians 1:11-19 Gospel: Luke 8:26-39

Upcoming Week Service Schedule:

Saturday – 7:00pm Vespers

Sunday – 10:00am Divine Liturgy

Next Sunday's Readings:

Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20 Gospel: Luke 8:41-56

Before retiring for the night next Saturday, please remember to set your clocks back one hour as Daylight Savings Time begins Sunday morning.

Coffee Hour Teams:

Today – Pasick Team Next Sunday – Paxton Team

Gertrude Hawk Chocolate orders are now ready for pick-up in the parish hall. Many thanks to chairpersons Ann Marie and Dennis Gahr, and to all who participated in this parish fund-raiser.

Welcome to our visitors who have joined us today for worship and prayer. We invite you to stay with us after today's services for an Agape Coffee Hour in our Parish Hall. Please sign our guest book before you leave, tell your friends and family members about us, and bring back one or two of them on your next visit!

Special Prayers

We pray for all our fellow parishioners, but we pray especially for those who are incapable of being with us in church. Among them are: Helen Alexander, Julia Katko, Nicholas Kuzmin-Polansky, Dorothy Gornick, Tom Collins, Diane Monteverde, Carol Menzel, Daniel Riegler, Olga & Walter Romanofsky, Lillian Knapp, Anna Hlinka, and Betty Johnson.

TODAY is Youth Sunday in our parish.

MONDAY, October 31 is the first day of the OCA All-American Council located in Seattle, WA. Father Gary and Matushka Mary will represent our parish at the five-day meeting. Council reports are publicly available on-line at www.oca.org. Special petitions are being said in our parishes for the success of the council.

SATURDAY, November 5 - Saints Peter & Paul Church (in South River NJ) is hosting their Annual Fall Festival on this day from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM at the Church Hall located at 6 Jeffrie Avenue South River NJ. The event will feature ethnic foods (pierogi, pirozhki, cheese blintzes, stuffed cabbage, kotlety, shashlyk, soups: borscht and mushroom barley, potato pancakes, kasha etc.) as well as ethnic items for sale; raffles, and live entertainment." Please visit www.saintpeterandpaul.org for directions and more information.

Sunday, November 6 – The Calendar Party is SOLD OUT! The event begins at 3:00pm. All who have made reservations should plan to be at the church hall at the start of the event. Any questions about the Calendar Party should be directed to Matushka Mary.

Sunday, November 13 – Seminarians from St. Vladimir's Seminary will be visiting our parish and singing at the Divine Liturgy this morning. Father Chad Hatfield, Chancellor of the seminary will concelebrate and preach at the Divine Liturgy. A variety of books from the seminary bookstore will also be available for purchase during the Coffee Hour.

November Parish Calendars are available in the Narthex and on our parish website.

Copies of the most recent issue of The Orthodox Church magazine are available for pickup in the narthex. Please take one per family.

Many Years!

Birthdays this week:

Thursday – John Economou

Wedding Anniversaries this week:

Wednesday – Doug and Daria Riegler (#43)

OUTREACH

- Food Pantry donations are always accepted. Place non-perishable food items in blue bin in the narthex
• Clothing donations are accepted on the last Sunday of each month. Place donations next to the food pantry bin.