

Glad Tidings~Outreach



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~Divine Services and Events for July~

Sunday, July 5th – 5th Sunday after Pentecost (Tone #4)

Saints of the Day: Venerable Athanasius of Mt. Athos and his six disciples

Matins Gospel Lesson: St. Luke 15: 12-35

Epistle Lesson: Romans 10: 1-10

Gospel Lesson: St. Matthew 8: 28-9: 1

-10:00 AM – The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

Homily: Possession

-Memory Eternal – A Memorial Litany for the repose of the souls of Edward J. Powers (40th Day) and Gregory E. Powers (Yearly Anniversary) offered by Mrs. Edward J. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Powers and Family, and Mr. and Mrs. David J. Powers and Family.

-Fellowship in the church hall is in memory of Edward J. Powers and Gregory E. Powers hosted by the Powers Family.

<p><u>NOTE:</u> Fr. Joseph will be on vacation from Monday, July 6th until Saturday, July 11th. Please contact Elias T. Verdy in case of a Pastoral Emergency.</p>

Sunday, July 12th - 6nd Sunday after Pentecost (Tone #5)

Saints of the Day: Martyrs Proclus and Hilary (Hilarion) of Ancyra

Matins Gospel Lesson: St. Luke 24: 36-53

Epistle Lesson: Romans 12: 6-14

Gospel Lesson: St. Matthew 9: 1-8

-10:00 AM – The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

Homily: Restoration

-Memory Eternal – A Memorial Litany for the repose of the soul of Leftera Zeqo (40th Day) offered by Mr. and Mrs. Arqile Zeqo and Family.

-Fellowship in the church hall is in memory of Leftera Zeqo hosted by the Zeqo Family.

Sunday, July 19th – 7th Sunday after Pentecost (Tone #6)

Saints of the Day: Venerable Macrina, sister of St. Basil the Great and Venerable Dius, Abbot, of Antioch

Epistle Lesson: Romans 15: 1-7

Gospel Lesson: St. Matthew 9: 27-35

-10:00 AM – The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

Homily: Unity for Glory
-Fellowship in the church hall

NOTE: Fr. Joseph will represent our church at the 18th All-American Council of the Orthodox Church in America, at Atlanta, GA, from Monday, July 20th, until Friday, July 24th. Please contact Elias T. Verdy in case of a Pastoral Emergency.

Sunday, July 26th – 8th Sunday after Pentecost (Tone #7)

Saints of the Day: The repose of St. Jacob (Netsvetov), Enlightener of the Peoples of Alaska, Hieromartyrs Hermolaus and Martyrs Hermippus and Hermocrates at Nicomedia, and Martyr Parasceva of Rome

Matins Gospel Lesson: St. John 20: 11-18

Epistle Lesson: I Corinthians 1: 10-18

Gospel Lesson: St. Matthew 14: 14-22

-10:00 AM – The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

Homily: Feeding Many

-Fellowship in the church hall

A Thought

“Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction,
faithful in prayer.” Epistle to the Romans 12: 12

Welcome to all visitors joining our church community for Sunday Divine Liturgy. Fr. Joseph, the members of our Parish Council, and our church community wish to thank you for praying with us and we hope you will return again. Please sign our guest book located in the rear of the church, and join us for fellowship following Divine Liturgy in our church hall.

Fellowship Sign-Up Sheets for the remaining months of 2015 are located on the clipboard in the pamphlet rack on the wall in the rear of the church. Please review the months for a specific Sunday and volunteer to host fellowship following Divine Liturgy by signing your name. Please contact Phyllis Matto or Virginia James if you plan to host fellowship. Thank you in advance for your support!

Congratulations To Our Church Members
Celebrating Their Patronal Saint Name Day Of
-Holy Glorious Prophet Elias – July 20th,

-Great Martyr Christina of Tyre – July 24th,
-Righteous Anna, mother of the
Holy Mother of God – July 25th,
-Holy Great Martyr and
Healer Panteleimon – July 27th,
May God Grant You Many Years!

Church Websites of interest:

St George – BOSTON

<http://www.saintgeorgecathedral.com/>

St Mary's – WORCESTER

<http://www.stmarysalbanianchurch.org/>

Annunciation – NATICK

<http://www.aocnatick.org/>

St Nicholas – SOUTHBRIDGE

<http://www.stnicholasma.org/>

St George - TRUMBULL, CT

<http://stgeorgetrumbull.org/>

St Nicholas - NEW YORK

<http://www.stnicholasalbanian.org/>

SS Peter & Paul – PHILADELPHIA

<http://sspeterpaulphila.org/>

St John Chrysostom – PHILADELPHIA

<http://www.stjohnsphila.org/>

St Elia – JAMESTOWN

<http://www.stelia.org/>

St Thomas – MICHIGAN

<http://www.stthomasorth.com/>

Holy Trinity - SOUTH BOSTON

<http://albanianholyltrinity.org/>

St Nicholas – CHICAGO

<http://stnicholasalbanianchicago.org/>