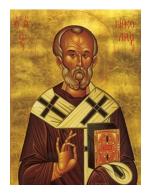
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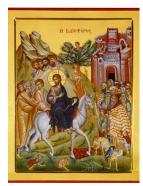


Epistle: Philippians 4:4-9

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Fr. Peter Henry (Serving) Mark Howanetz, Choir Director Entry of our Lord into Jerusalem Palm Sunday

April 9th 2023



Gospel John 12:1-18

Troparion Tone 1

By <u>rais</u>ing Lazarus from the dead beforeThy <u>Pas</u>sion,

Thou didst confirm the universal resurrection, O Christ God.

Like the <u>child</u>ren with the palms of <u>vic</u>tory, we cry out to Thee,

O Vanquisher of Death: "Hosanna in the highest!//

Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord."

Troparion (Feast)

Let the house of Israel say that He is good; for His mercy endures forever. Troparion (Feast)

Let the house of Aaron say that He is good; for His mercy endures forever.

Troparion (Feast)

Let those who fear the Lord say that He is good; for His mercy endures forever.

Entrance Verse

Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord. We bless you from the house of the Lord. God is the Lord and He has revealed Himself to us. (*Ps. 117:25b-26*)

Prayers for the Sick



Archpriest Vladimir Fr. James Mat. Gloria Mat. Myra Julie Thom

Vera Helen Barbara Marie

Joan

For all who are sick or suffering with afflictions in our parish, our community and throughout the world!

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HOLY WEEK AND PASCHA SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday:

Vespers and Liturgy of St. Basil, 9;00 AM Holy Friday Matins and Reading of Twelve Passion Gospels 6:00 pm

Great and Holy Friday:

Vespers of Holy Friday, 3:00 PM Matins of Holy Saturday with procession, 6:00 pm

Great and Holy Saturday:

Vespers and Liturgy of St. Basil Joint service at All Saints Church, 9:30 AM His Eminence Archbishop Mark will be celebrating with both parishes.

Resurrection of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ:

Nocturns, Matins, and Paschal Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, 10:30 PM Blessing of baskets and Agape Meal following at the church hall.

Bright Monday:

Paschal Divine Liturgy 9:30 AM at All Saints Church. Meal to follow.

Bright Saturday:

Paschal Divine Liturgy 9:00 AM Breakfast at Greek American Grill following. Sign up sheet for breakfast at candle desk

Things to Remember:

Turn in your Self Denial folders.

Please contribute to the Bread Basket of Northeast Pennsylvania.

There is still time to remember your loved ones with a floral basket.

Time slots are still open for Grave Watch.

Sign up at the candle desk for the breakfast on Bright Saturday.

But most Importantly Please make every effort to attend Holy Week and Paschal Services

On this day, the grace of the Holy Spirit has gathered us together; and with all of us bearing Your Cross, we say: 'Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord, Hosanna to the Most High'.



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2023 Floral Baskets for Pascha

In Memory of:

Stephen and **Ann** Koziar by Sakson and Donovan Families Joseph and Dorothy Fetchina Gordon and Billie Gayle Nightingale Eva Bryer, Lillian Chomich, Elsie Rotko, Olga Kuzmich William, Olga, Vladimir, and Anna Fetchina Archpriest Eugene and Mat Joanna Pianovich John and Anna Murawski by Fr. John and Mat. Kyra Nightingale Dreater and Morosky Families by Paul and Sylvia Dreater Kopistiansky, Kupchick, and Youshock Families by Vera Price Martin and Matechak Families by Matushka Gloria Martin **Chichilla and Butrymovich Families** Evanina and Grabania Families by William and Marie Evanina John Evanina by Godson Michael Evanina Joseph and Margaret Barna **Eugene and Doris** LaTournous by Thom and Nancy LaTournous Andrew Kurechka by Louise Kurechka Howanetz and Ermakov Families by Stephen Howanetz Thomashefsky and Kurachka Family Cesari Family by Rick and Julie Cesari **Kitchura and Fetcho Family** by Archpriest Vladimir and Matushka Fetcho

> For Health of: Martin and Matechak Families by Matushka Gloria Martin

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Let us say to Christ: "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the king of Israel." Let us hold before him like palm branches those final words inscribed above the cross. Let us show him honor, not with olive branches but with the splendor of merciful deeds to one another. Let us spread the thoughts and desires of our hearts under his feet like garments, so that entering us with the whole of his being, he may draw the whole of our being into himself and place the whole of his in us. Let us say to Zion in the words of the prophet: "Have courage, daughter of Zion, do not be afraid. Behold, your king comes to you, humble and mounted on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden."

St. Andrew of Crete

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