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23RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 15, 2020

Tone 6

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Ephesians 2:4-10 (Epistle)

Luke 10:25-37 (Gospel)

A warm welcome to everyone joining us for worship.

If you are without a spiritual home, please make OUR HOME, YOUR HOME.

TODAY Martyrs & Confessors Gurias, Samonas, & Abibus, of Edessa (†299-306); Martyrs Elpidius, Marcellus, and Eustochius, (†4TH c.); Martyr Dēmétrios of Thrace (ca. †307); Ven. Paísii Velichkovsky (†1794); “Fragrant Flower” Icon of the Mother of God.

Nativity Fast (Nov. 15 — Dec. 24)

9:30 am Third & Sixth Hours

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

Saturday, November 21 **Entry of the Most Holy Theotokos into the Temple**

9:00 am **Divine Liturgy**

4:45 pm Ninth Hours

5:00 pm **Great Vespers - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

Sunday, November 22 **24TH Sunday after Pentecost**; Apostles of the Seventy Philemon and Archippus, Martyr Apphia, wife of Philemon and Equal-to-the-Apostles, and Onesimus, disciple of St. Paul (†1st c.); Martyrdom of St. Michael, Prince of Tver’ (†1318); Rt. Blv. Yaropolk Prince of Vladimir in Volyn’ (†1086); Martyrs Cecilia, Valerian, Tiburtius, and Maximus, at Rome (ca. †230); Martyr Procopius the Reader, at Cæsarea in Palestine (†303); Martyr Menignus at Parium (†250); St. Agabbas of Syria (†5TH c.); Righteous Michael the Soldier, of Bulgaria (†866); Ven. Callistus (Mt. Athos—†1363).

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Thursday, November 26 **Thanksgiving**

Friday, November 27

7:00 pm **Orthodoxy Study - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**



Tone 6 Troparion (*Resurrection*)

The Angelic Powers were at Thy tomb; the guards became as dead men. Mary stood by Thy grave, seeking Thy most pure body. Thou didst capture hell not being tempted by it. Thou didst come to the Virgin, granting life. O Lord, Who didst rise from the dead, /// glory to Thee.

Tone 2 Kontakion (*Martyrs*)

You received grace from on high, O all-praised martyrs, and you intercede for those in the midst of temptations. Therefore, O saints, you freed a young woman from bitter death, /// and are indeed the glory of Edessa and the joy of the world.

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DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY REVIEW The 59TH Diocesan Assembly of the Midwest was held on October 8TH. The online meeting brought together over 100 clergy and faithful from all over the diocese. More information on Diocesan website <https://domoca.org/the-59th-assembly-of-the-midwest-concludes/>.

STEWARDSHIP QUOTE "He who loves money will not be satisfied with money, nor he who loves wealth with his income; this also is vanity."— **Ecclesiastes 5:12.**

STEWARDSHIP CORNER St. Nicholas Parishioners, as all of you should be aware from our annual meeting in February the church had to pass a negative budget for 2020 (\$-16,700.00). As we have now completed the first 9 months of the year we wanted to make you aware of the financial situation that St. Nicholas is in. At the current rate, St. Nicholas is projected to lose approximately \$77,000 this year.

Sunday, November 8, 2020 - Weekly Income \$1,046.75

Weekly Budget Income (needed) \$1,667.00

If you have any questions please contact our Parish Treasurer Kathy WHALEN

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS the following people, who are in need of God's healing and grace:

Arthur COOK Tom KOMPARE Richard JOVANOVIH Frank WHALEN Lubov SIROTUK Olga SHAROVA
Danelle BERGSTROM Georgia PATTEN Matthew FIGURA June BRADLEY Joseph ORLOVICH Leonard PAPPONE
Katherina BRADLEY Lydia ODOM Nina MALTSEVA Jose FELIX Ivan MALTSEV
Galyna SHAFRANEC Marlo PERRY Bartley PERRY Maria PAVLYUK

MANY YEARS... **Happy Birthday** to Yuliya STASYUK on Nov. 13TH and Nancy SRYGLER on Nov. 17TH.

Happy Anniversary to Father Mykola & Matushka Olga BODNARCHUK on November 22ND

May God grant all our celebrants Many Happy and Healthy Years!

Today Epistle (Ephesians 2:4-10)

Brethren... But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

Апостол Дня (Ефесеянам 2:4-10)

Братия... Бог, богатый милостью, по Своей великой любви, которую возлюбил нас, и нас, мертвых по преступлениям, оживотворил со Христом, - благодатью вы спасены, - и воскресил с Ним, и посадил на небесах во Христе Иисусе, дабы явить в грядущих веках преизобильное богатство благодати Своей в благости к нам во Христе Иисусе. Ибо благодатью вы спасены через веру, и сие не от вас, Божий дар: не от дел, чтобы никто не хвалился. Ибо мы - Его творение, созданы во Христе Иисусе на добрые дела, которые Бог предназначил нам исполнять.

Today Gospel (Luke 10:25-37)

And behold, a certain lawyer stood up and tested Him, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What is your reading of it?" So he answered and said, "'You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind,' and 'your neighbor as yourself.'" And He said to him, "You have answered rightly; do this and you will live." But he, wanting to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Then Jesus answered and said: "A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, who stripped him of his clothing, wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a certain priest came down that road. And when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. Likewise a Levite, when he arrived at the place, came and looked, and passed by on the other side. But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was. And when he saw him, he had compassion. So he went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; and he set him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. On the next day, when he departed, he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said to him, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, when I come again, I will repay you.' So which of these three do you think was neighbor to him who fell among the thieves?" And he said, "He who showed mercy on him." Then Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Евангелие Дня (Луки 10:25-37)

И вот, один законник встал и, искушая Его, сказал: "Учитель! что мне делать, чтобы наследовать жизнь вечную?" Он же сказал ему: "в законе что написано? как читаешь?" Он сказал в ответ: "возлюби Господа Бога твоего всем сердцем твоим, и всею душою твоею, и всею крепостию твоею, и всем разумением твоим, и ближнего твоего, как самого себя." Иисус сказал ему: "правильно ты отвечал; так поступай, и будешь жить." Но он, желая оправдать себя, сказал Иисусу: "а кто мой ближний?" На это сказал Иисус: "некоторый человек шел из Иерусалима в Иерихон и попался разбойникам, которые сняли с него одежду, изранили его и ушли, оставив его едва живым. По случаю один священник шел тою дорогою и, увидев его, прошел мимо. Также и левит, быв на том месте, подошел, посмотрел и прошел мимо. Самарянин же некто, проезжая, нашел на него и, увидев его, сжалился и, подойдя, перевязал ему раны, возливая масло и вино; и, посадив его на своего осла, привез его в гостиницу и позаботился о нем; а на другой день, отъезжая, вынул два динария, дал содержателю гостиницы и сказал ему: позаботься о нем; и если издержишь что более, я, когда возвращусь, отдам тебе. Кто из этих троих, думаешь ты, был ближний попавшемуся разбойником?" Он сказал: "оказавший ему милость." Тогда Иисус сказал ему: "иди, и ты поступай так же."

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