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20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 25, 2020

Tone 3

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Galatians 1:11-19 (Epistle)

Luke 16:19-31 (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 Marcian and Martyrius the Notaries, of Constantinople (ca. †355); Ven. Martyrii the Deacon, Recluse of the Kiev Far Caves (†13TH-14TH c.); Martyr Athanasius the Fuller, at Salona in Dalmatia (†3RD c.); St. Tabitha, the widow raised from the dead by the Apostle Peter (†1ST c.).

9:30 am Third & Sixth Hours

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy & Memorial** for Metropolitan Theodosius - **LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

Friday, October 30

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

Saturday, October 31

4:45 pm Ninth Hours

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

Sunday, November 1 **21ST Sunday after Pentecost**; Holy Wonderworkers & Unmercenaries Cosmas & Damian of Mesopotamia, and their mother, St. Theodota; Hieromartyrs John the Bishop and Jacob the Presbyter, of Persia (ca. † 345); Martyrs Cyrenia and Juliana in Cilicia (†4TH c.); Martyr Hermenegild the Goth of Spain (†586); Martyrs Cæsarius, Dacius, Sabbas, Sabinian, Agrippa, Adrian, and Thomas, at Damascus (†7TH c.); Monastic Martyrs Jacob, Jacob Deacon, and Dionysius, of Prodrumou (Mt. Athos—†1520).

9:30 am Third & Sixth Hours

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



Tone 3 Troparion (*Resurrection*)

Let the heavens rejoice! Let the earth be glad! For the Lord has shown strength with His arm. He has trampled down death by death. He has become the first born of the dead. He has delivered us from the depths of hell, and has granted to the world /// great mercy.

Tone 3 Troparion (*Martyrs Marcian and Martyrius*)

In holy zeal you dispelled the error of Arius and proclaimed the Trinity, one in essence. Holy martyrs Marcian and Martyrius, unshaken bulwarks of Orthodoxy, entreat Christ our God to grant us His great mercy!

Tone 3 Kontakion (*Resurrection*)

On this day Thou didst rise from the tomb, O Merciful One, leading us from the gates of death. On this day Adam exults as Eve rejoices; with the Prophets and Patriarchs /// they unceasingly praise the divine majesty of Thy power.

Tone 3 Prokeimenon

Sing praises to our God, sing praises! / Sing praises to our King, sing praises!

STEWARDSHIP QUOTE "A true giving heart is not about how much to give, but how much to keep." (Dr. Andy Geleris).

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.

YTD Income vs Budget (as of 8/31/20) is -\$36,707.60

Sunday, October 18, 2020 - Weekly Income \$610.00

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:

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

ALTAR CANDLES are sponsored by the SHILTSEV family for health of Ivan and Nina MALTSEV.

MANY YEARS... Happy Birthday to Zina MARTYNYUK on October 29TH.

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

Today Epistle (Galatians 1:11-19)

Brethren... But I make known to you, brethren, that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. For I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through the revelation of Jesus Christ. For you have heard of my former conduct in Judaism, how I persecuted the church of God beyond measure and tried to destroy it. And I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my contemporaries in my own nation, being more exceedingly zealous for the traditions of my fathers. But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb and called me through His grace, to reveal His Son in me, that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not immediately confer with flesh and blood, nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me; but I went to Arabia, and returned again to Damascus. Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to see Peter, and remained with him fifteen days. But I saw none of the other apostles except James, the Lord's brother.

Today Gospel (Luke 16:19-31)

There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table. Moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. So it was that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented. And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' But he said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.'"

Апостол Дня (Галатам 1:11-19)

Братия... Возвещаю вам, братия, что Евангелие, которое я благовествовал, не есть человеческое, ибо и я принял его и научился не от человека, но через откровение Иисуса Христа. Вы слышали о моем прежнем образе жизни в Иудействе, что я жестоко гнал Церковь Божию, и опустошал ее, и преуспевал в Иудействе более многих сверстников в роде моем, будучи неумеренным ревнителем отеческих моих преданий. Когда же Бог, избравший меня от утробы матери моей и призвавший благодатью Своею, благоволил открыть во мне Сына Своего, чтобы я благовествовал Его язычникам, - я не стал тогда же советоваться с плотью и кровью, и не пошел в Иерусалим к предшествовавшим мне Апостолам, а пошел в Аравию, и опять возвратился в Дамаск. Потом, спустя три года, ходил я в Иерусалим видеться с Петром и пробыл у него дней пятнадцать. Другого же из Апостолов я не видел никого, кроме Иакова, брата Господня.

Евангелие Дня (Луки 16:19-31)

Некоторый человек был богат, одевался в порфиру и виссон и каждый день пиршествовал блистательно. Был также некоторый нищий, именем Лазарь, который лежал у ворот его в струпьях и желал напитаться крошками, падающими со стола богача, и псы, приходя, лизали струпья его. Умер нищий и отнесен был Ангелами на лоно Авраамово. Умер и богач, и похоронили его. И в аде, будучи в муках, он поднял глаза свои, увидел вдали Авраама и Лазаря на лоне его и, возопив, сказал: отче Аврааме! умилосердись надо мною и пошли Лазаря, чтобы омочил конец перста своего в воде и прохладил язык мой, ибо я мучаюсь в пламени сем. Но Авраам сказал: чадо! вспомни, что ты получил уже доброе твое в жизни твоей, а Лазарь - злое; ныне же он здесь утешается, а ты страдаешь; и сверх всего того между нами и вами утверждена великая пропасть, так что хотящие перейти отсюда к вам не могут, также и оттуда к нам не переходят. Тогда сказал он: так прошу тебя, отче, пошли его в дом отца моего, ибо у меня пять братьев; пусть он засвидетельствует им, чтобы и они не пришли в это место мучения. Авраам сказал ему: у них есть Моисей и пророки; пусть слушают их. Он же сказал: нет, отче Аврааме, но если кто из мертвых придет к ним, покаются. Тогда Авраам сказал ему: если Моисей и пророков не слушают, то если бы кто и из мертвых воскрес, не поверят.