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11TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 1, 2019

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1 Timothy 2:1-7 (Epistle)

Luke 4:16-22 (Gospel)

A warm welcome to everyone joining us for worship and fellowship.

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

TODAY Church New Year; St. Simeon the Elder and his mother, Ven. Martha (ca.†428); Martyr Aithalas of Persia (†380); Holy Forty Women Martyrs & Martyr Ammon the Deacon, their teacher (†4TH c.); Martyrs Callista and her brothers, (†309).

READERS: Hours: Rich BRUMER; Epistle: Marlo PERRY

GREETER: Mike BAKER

9:40 am Third Hours & Sixth Hours; Confession

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy** and **Memorials** for: Stephen PLATKO requested by Georgine PLATKO

John PERRY, Sr. requested by Marlo PERRY

Sophie COOK requested by COOK family

followed by Fellowship with Refreshments

Wednesday, September 4

7:00 pm **Orthodoxy Study** Group Gathering. *Invite a friend.*

Saturday, September 7

4:50 pm Ninth Hour

5:00 pm **Great Vespers**

Sunday, 8 **12TH Sunday after Pentecost; The Nativity of Our Most Holy Lady, Theotokos**

& Ever-Virgin Mary. St. Serapion of Pskov (†1480); St. Lucian, abbot of Alexandrov (†1654);

New Martyr Alexander Jacobson at Solovki (†1930); Icons of the Most-holy Theotokos:

“Kursk-Root” Icon of the Sign (1259); “Pochaev” (1559); “Kholmsk”; “Wisdom of God” Kiev.

READERS: Hours: Rich BRUMER; Epistle: Maria LLAMAS

GREETER: Kathy WHALEN

9:40 am Third Hours & Sixth Hours; Confession

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy** with **Molieben** for our students and teachers,

followed by Fellowship with Refreshments

Monday, September 9

6:30 pm Parish Board Meeting

112TH ANNIVERSARY Save the Date - weekend of September 22ND we will celebrate the **112TH**

Anniversary of our Parish. His Grace Bishop PAUL will preside over our services that weekend.

GOD BLESS YOU

**FOR YOUR GENEROUS &
RESPONSIBLE STEWARDSHIP!!!**

FELLOWSHIP HOUR Please check when you can take your turn! A sign up sheet is hanging up on the hall bulletin board.

SCRIP is available at every Sunday Fellowship Hour.

PASTORAL MINISTRY Call (815) 725-4742 or (630) 559-5785 to register as a parishioner, to initiate instruction in the Faith, to schedule sacraments, visitation, etc.

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MANY THANKS TO Cook family for hosting this morning fellowship hour.
Michal Baran for updating and painting our rectory mailbox.
Anonymous parishioners for painting our church sign.

PILGRIMAGE TO ALASKA 2020 Join your fellow Orthodox believers in the 50TH Anniversary celebrations of St. Herman of Alaska's Canonization and the 50TH Anniversary of the OCA's Autocephaly in 2020. The Diocese of the Midwest is planning a pilgrimage to the holy sites of Alaska on August 19-25, 2020. Travel for the low price of \$2,525 (6 days 7 nights). For more information https://domoca.org/news_190523_2

AMAZONSMILE Shop at smile.amazon.com and our parish will receive 0.5% of the amount spent. As a result of AmazonSmile program activity between April 1ST and June 30TH, 2019 has been issued a \$52.60 donation from the AmazonSmile Foundation.

INTERNATIONAL ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN CHARITIES (IOCC) Join us for our 5k Walk/Run and make a difference for those in need around the world! Saturday, September 21ST at 2:00pm. Registration: 8 am; Walk/Run: 9 am. Breakfast Following the Race. St. Andrew Greek Orthodox Church 5649 N. Sheridan Rd., Chicago. Register at <http://support.iocc.org/site/Calendar?view=Detail&id=101021&AddInterest=1261>

UKRAINIAN GENOCIDE FAMINE invites you to participate in an Ecumenical Memorial Service for the 10 million victims of the 1932-33 Ukrainian Genocide. Sunday, September 15TH, 2019 1:00 pm. St. Nicholas UCC 835 N. Oakley Blvd., Chicago, IL.

REMEMBER to donate unperishable food items to the pantry basket in the vestibule.

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

MaryAnn MAGERKO Tom KOMPARE Juliana MATUSIAK Gloria WATSON Lubov SIROTUK Jose FELIX
Katherina BRADLEY Georgia PATTEN Dn. Mark SAUSKOJUS June BRADLEY Arthur COOK George SILACOV
Richard JOVANOVIICH Peggy BENNETH Sevasti BERGSTROM Lydia ODOM Frank WHALEN
If there is anyone who is in need of prayers, please let me know.

MANY YEARS... Happy Birthday to Stefan ANDREEV on September 7TH

Happy Anniversary to Maria & Izzy LLAMAS on September 2ND; Marlo & Bartley PERRY on September 4TH

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

Today Epistle (1 Timothy 2:1-7)

Brethren... Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time, for which I was appointed a preacher and an apostle – I am speaking the truth in Christ and not lying – a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

Today Gospel (Luke 4:16-22)

So He came to Nazareth, where He had been brought up. And as His custom was, He went into the synagogue on the Sabbath day, and stood up to read. And He was handed the book of the prophet Isaiah. And when He had opened the book, He found the place where it was written: "The Spirit of the LORD is upon Me, because He has anointed Me to preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed; to proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD." Then He closed the book, and gave it back to the attendant and sat down. And the eyes of all who were in the synagogue were fixed on Him. And He began to say to them, "Today this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing." So all bore witness to Him, and marveled at the gracious words which proceeded out of His mouth. And they said, "Is this not Joseph's son?"

Апостол Дня (1-е Тимофею 2:1-7)

Братия... Итак прежде всего прошу совершать молитвы, прошения, моления, благодарения за всех человеков, за царей и за всех начальствующих, дабы проводить нам жизнь тихую и безмятежную во всяком благочестии и чистоте, ибо это хорошо и угодно Спасителю нашему Богу, Который хочет, чтобы все люди спаслись и достигли познания истины. Ибо един Бог, един и посредник между Богом и человеками, человек Христос Иисус, предавший Себя для искупления всех. Таково было в свое время свидетельство, для которого я поставлен проповедником и Апостолом, - истину говорю во Христе, не лгу, - учителем язычников в вере и истине.

Евангелие Дня (Луки 4:16-22)

И пришел в Назарет, где был воспитан, и вошел, по обыкновению Своему, в день субботний в синагогу, и встал читать. Ему подали книгу пророка Исаии; и Он, раскрыв книгу, нашел место, где было написано: Дух Господень на Мне; ибо Он помазал Меня благовествовать нищим, и послал Меня исцелять сокрушенных сердцем, проповедывать пленным освобождение, слепым прозрение, отпустить измученных на свободу, проповедывать лето Господне благоприятное. И, закрыв книгу и отдав служителю, сел; и глаза всех в синагоге были устремлены на Него. И Он начал говорить им: ныне исполнилось писание сие, слышанное вами. И все засвидетельствовали Ему это, и дивились словам благодати, исходившим из уст Его, и говорили: не Иосифов ли это сын?