

Announcements

We welcome all of those who are visiting with us this morning at St. Nicholas Orthodox Church. Please join us following the Divine Liturgy for coffee hour. We pray that your experience here this morning was uplifting. We look forward to seeing you again soon.

1. Our study of the Gospel of Mark will resume next Sunday, after Liturgy on the Sunday of the Veneration of the Cross. The timing is appropriate. We spent our first few sessions exploring the way in which Mark develops the authority of Christ. His second major theme, however, is the Passion. For those who wish to participate, we will meet during coffee hour next Sunday.
2. It is important to assess where you are in your Lenten journey. Has it settled in your heart? If you are struggling, see Fr. James.
3. Upcoming at *St. Nicholas*:

Tuesday, April 2	7:00 pm - <i>Choir practice</i>
Wednesday, April 3	6:30 p.m. - <i>Pre-sanctified Liturgy</i>
Friday, April 5	6:30 p.m. - <i>Compline/Akathist to the Theotokos (followed by Lenten meal and adult study)</i>
Saturday, April 6	9:00 a.m. - <i>All Soul Saturday Liturgy</i> 5:00 p.m. - <i>Vespers</i>
Sunday, April 7	<i>Sunday of Veneration of the Cross</i> (Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great, 10:00 am)

Saint Nicholas Orthodox Church

Resurrection Tone 2

March 31, 2013

Sunday of St. Gregory Palamas

St. Innocent, Enlightener of the Aleuts and Apostle to the Americas



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Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great

“Blessed Is the Kingdom” 8
The Great Litany of Peace (Romanian responses) 8
First and Second Antiphons (Greek chant)..... supp
Hymn of the Incarnation 17
The Beatitudes (Mironositsky).....
Hymn of the Little Entrance 26
Resurrection Tropar (Tone 6).....99
Tropar to St. Nicholas (Tone 4).....supp
Tropar for St. Gregory Palamas.....supp
Kondak for St. Gregory Palamas.....supp
Triodion Kondak.....supp
O Unashamed Intercessor (Tone 6).....supp
Trisagion Hymn (Zynamenny Chant)
Prokimenon (Tone 2).....
 The Lord is my strength and my song, He is become my
 salvation. (Ps. 117:14)
 v. The Lord has chastened me sorely, but He has given
 me over to death. (Ps. 117:18)
 The Lord is my strength and my song, He is become my
 salvation.
Epistle.....**Hebrews 1:10 – 2:3**
Alleluia (#2)..... 35
Verses
 v. May the Lord hear thee in the day of trouble! May
 the Name of the God of Jacob protect thee! (Ps. 19:2)
 v. Save the King, O Lord, and hear us on the day we call
 to Thee! (Ps. 19:10)
Glory to You, O Lord..... 36
Gospel **Mark 2:1-12**
Glory to You, O Lord..... 36
Verse At the Sermon 37
Homily **Fr. James**

The Triple Litany 37
Litany of the Catechumens.....
Cherubic Hymn (Bortniansky)
The Litany of Supplication.....supp
The Creed (Zadonskoye)
The Anaphora 56
Holy, Holy, Holy (#2)..... 58
The Praise 61
The Epiklesis..... 62
Hymn to the Theotokos (*All Creation Rejoices*)
The Litany Before the Lord’s Prayer 64
The Lord’s Prayer (Rimsky-Korsakov) supp
Communion Prayer 78
Communion Hymn (*People’s Communion Hymn*)supp
Reception of Communion (Alaskan) supp
Response No. 1..... 80
Thanksgiving Hymn 82
Thanksgiving Litany 84
Amvon Prayer 202
Response..... 86
The Dismissal Blessing..... 88
Post Communion Prayers

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While Holy Communion is reserved for Orthodox Christians who prepare themselves by prayer and fasting, non-Orthodox visitors are welcome to come forward to venerate the cross and receive the Antidoron (blessed bread) at the conclusion of the service.

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Forget for at least this space of time the bustle and concerns of everyday life. Be like an angel, filled only with thoughts of God and of serving Him. After all, He is present now, and is blessing you. - Hieromartyr Seraphim (Zvezdinsky), Bishop of Dmitrov (1883-c.1937)