

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. Today we will take a special collection in the small basket for the benefit of Orthodox Christian Fellowship (OCF), the pan-Orthodox college ministry. Today is designated as College Student Sunday.
2. Many, many thanks to Reader Mark Wolcho and Billy Scrantom for their labors in bringing our new iconostas and icons to St. Nicholas. While we may need to make some adjustments, it will be a beautiful addition to our church. May God bless them richly for their efforts.
3. Those who wish to participate in the reading of post-communion prayers please gather before the icon of the Theotokos at the iconostasis after the veneration of the cross at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy.
4. Upcoming at *St. Nicholas*:

Wednesday, September 21	6:30 p.m. - Meeting of iconostas group
Saturday, September 24	5:00 p.m. - <i>Vespers</i>
Sunday, September 25	<i>15th Sunday After Pentecost</i> (Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, 10:00 am)

Saint Nicholas Orthodox Church

Resurrection Tone 5

September 18, 2011

14th Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday After the Elevation of the Cross; St. Eumenes, Bishop of Gortyna



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Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

“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 5).....108
Tropar for the Cross.....supp
Tropar for St. Nicholas.....supp
Resurrection Kondak (Tone 5).....108
Kondak for St. Nicholas.....supp
Kondak for St. Eumenes.....supp
Unashamed Intercessor (Tone 6).....supp
Trisagion Hymn (Kievan Chant)
Prokimenon (Tone 7).....
 Extol the Lord our God; worship at His footstool for it is
 holy! (Ps. 98:5)
 v. The Lord reigns; let the people tremble! (Ps. 98:1)
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 holy! (Ps. 98:5)
Epistle..... Galatians 2:16-20; 2 Cor. 1:21-2:4
Alleluia (#2)..... 35
Verses
 v. Remember Thy congregation which Thou purchased
 of old. (Ps 73:2)
 v. God is our King before the ages: He hath wrought
 salvation in the midst of the earth. (Ps. 73:12)
Glory to You, O Lord..... 36
Gospel..... Mark 8:24-9:1; Matthew 22:1-14
Glory to You, O Lord..... 36
Verse At the Sermon 37
Homily Fr. James

The Triple Litany 37
Cherubic Hymn (Bortniansky)
The Litany of Supplication.....supp
The Creed.....*spoken by people*
The Anaphora 56
Holy, Holy, Holy (#2)..... 58
The Praise 61
The Epiklesis..... 62
Hymn to the Theotokos supp
The Litany Before the Lord’s Prayer 64
The Lord’s Prayer (Rimsky-Korsakov) supp
Communion Prayer 78
Communion Hymn (“Praise the Lord from the
 heavens...”)
Reception of Communion (Alaskan) supp
Response No. 1..... 80
Thanksgiving Hymn 82
Thanksgiving Litany 84
Amvon Prayer 86
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)