

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. On December 4 we will celebrate our parish feast day with a pot luck lunch after Liturgy. We will also collect toys for needy children, and food items for local food banks, in honor of St. Nicholas.
2. On Wednesday we will start a new class after Vespers. Next to Scripture itself, the songs and words of our liturgical services are treasures of theology, belief and the life in Christ. We will examine the upcoming services for the Nativity and Theophany to increase the depth of our understanding of these great Feasts.
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, November 30	6:30 – <i>Vespers</i>
Saturday, December 3	5:00 – <i>Vespers for Feast of St. Nicholas</i>
Sunday, December 4	<i>Divine Liturgy for Feast of St. Nicholas(24th Sunday after Pentecost)</i> 10:00 a.m.

Saint Nicholas Orthodox Church

Resurrection Tone 7

November 27, 2011

24th Sunday After Pentecost
Greatmartyr James the Persian



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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 7).....114
Tropar for St. Nicholas.....supp
Tropar for Martyr James.....supp
Resurrection Kondak (Tone 7).....115
Kondak for St. Nicholas.....supp
Kondak for Martyr James.....supp
Unashamed Intercessor.....supp
Trisagion Hymn (Kievan Chant)
Prokimenon (Tone 7).....
 The Lord shall give strength to His people! The Lord shall bless His people with peace! (Ps. 28:11)
 v. Offer to the Lord, O ye sons of God! Offer young rams to the Lord! (Ps. 28:1)
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Epistle..... Ephesians 2:14-22
Alleluia (#2)..... 35
Verses
 v. It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to Thy Name, O Most High! (Ps 91:2)
 v. To declare Thy mercy in the morning and Thy truth by night. (Ps. 91:3)
Glory to You, O Lord..... 36
Gospel Luke 13:10-17
Glory to You, O Lord..... 36
Verse At the Sermon 37

Homily Fr. James
The Triple Litany..... 37
Cherubic Hymn (Kastorsky)
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 (Kedrov) 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)