

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

**TODAY:** 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF PASCHA, HOLY MYRRHBEARING WOMEN,  
THE HOLY APOSTLE JOHN THE THEOLOGIAN

9:00am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar

Church School

Thanksgiving Prayers: Daniel Schulte

Potluck: A-G

Mon 5/9: Fr Nikolay's Birthday  
5:30pm: Slavonic Choir Rehearsal

Wed 5/11: 6:00pm Daily Vespers  
7:00pm Orthodoxy Class

Sat 5/14: 5:30pm: Choir Rehearsal  
6:00pm: Great Vespers, Confessions

Sun 5/15: 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF PASCHA, SUNDAY OF THE PARALYTIC

9:00am: Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar

Church School

Thanksgiving Prayers: Bill Boyle

Potluck: H-P

## Holy Myrrhbearing Women

COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

Today we commemorate the Holy Myrrh-bearing women: Sts Mary Magdalene, Mary the wife of Clopas, Joanna, Salome, mother of the sons of Zebedee, Martha and Mary, sisters of Lazarus. Also St Joseph of Arimathea, and Nicodemus. The holy right-believing Queen Tamara of Georgia is commemorated twice during the year: on May 1, the day of her repose, and also on the Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women; Synaxis of all Saints of Thessalonica; St Seraphim Bishop of Phanar; New Martyr Elias Arduinis; New Martyr Demetrius of the Peolponnesos

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## Holy Apostle John the Theologian

ALSO COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

The Church commemorates St John on this day because of the annual pilgrimage to his grave. When St John was more than one hundred years old, he took seven of his disciples and went to a spot outside the city of Ephesus. There he told them to dig a grave in the form of a cross. Then he climbed into the grave and told his disciples to cover him with earth. Later, the grave was opened and the saint's body was not there. Each year on May 8<sup>th</sup> a red dust would arise from the grave which the faithful collected in order to be healed of their illnesses.

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### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Pascha,

## May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2011

### Holy Myrrhbearing Women, Holy Apostle John

Welcome Visitors! Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

We are honored you are visiting today. \* **Liturgy Books** may be found on the **Candle Table** at the back of the church. \* **We invite you to fill out a Visitor's Card**, also on the Candle Table & place it in one of the Collection Baskets there. \* We do not take up a **Collection** during our services but rather ask you to place donations in one of the baskets on the Candle Table or next to the **Holy Water Font**. \* While only Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves may receive **Holy Communion**, everyone is welcome to come forward at the end of Liturgy to receive a blessing from our priest and to take the blessed bread. \* It is the **Orthodox practice** to stand during services as a sign of reverence for the Lord but if you need to sit, please do so. Use of chairs is shared. If you are able, we particularly try to stand during the processions with the Gospel and the Gifts, during the Readings, the Creed, during the preparation of the Holy Eucharist, the Lord's Prayer and reception of Communion. \* **We invite you** to stay after the Thanksgiving Prayers **for fellowship** and coffee, so that we may greet you personally, and to answer any questions you may have about our faith, our parish or today's service. \* Please help yourself to the brochures and information on the east side counter. \* All children **ages three through twelve** are encouraged to attend our Sunday School after Holy Communion.

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**We hope you will visit us again very soon.**

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Please send Prayer Corner names and updates along with bulletin announcements to Daniel Schulte at: [drschulte@hughes.net](mailto:drschulte@hughes.net) or call 505-495-9200.

## Rubrics for Today: Resurrection Tone 2, St John the Apostle

Resurrection Tone Sheets are on the Literature Table

Along with special sheets for Paschal Sundays

Texts are also in the appendices of the black Liturgy books

## PRAYER CORNER

**New Requests: Many Years to all Mothers, Grandmothers & God mothers!!!**

Celebrating their birthdays this week: Elena Zagrai, Fr. Nikolay, George Schulte. Celebrating their Name Day today: Skye Susanna Hembree, Lynda Mary Witz. May God grant you all many years!!!

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer: Frank, Matushka Katherine, Fr. Peter, Mary Ann, Dr. Frye, Leonard, Jerry, Mike, Glenda, Warren, Dewayne, Bob, Mary Beth, Ron, Fr. Demetrios, Christine, Alex, Debra, Rolf, Kenneth, Diane, Brandon, Rosemary, Marilyn, Annette, Anita, Amanda, Jenn, Linda, Martha, Jim, Lukas, Matthew, Marcel, Mike, Anna, Susan, William, Donna, Nancy, Kim, Pamela, Bryan, Marcella. And for those in remission from cancer: Joan, Igor, Fr. Silouan, Seraphim, Jo, Alexander, Jo, Anna.

May the Lord send his angels to protect those deployed or working in combat areas: Zaqueo Daniel, Dmitrius.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Elizabeth, Robert, Gus, Bill, Thomas, Mark, Patrick, Patricia, Paul & Joyce, Maria, Vasile & Valerie, George, Marylee, Diana, Warren, Bill, Robert, Doug & his family, Mark, Frank, Deacon Gerry, Infant Leo, Karen, Cassandra, Julie, Cynthia, Bishop Nikon of Boston, Dawit, Glenda, Tamera, Faith, Hope and Thomas, Chuck and Melissa, Anna, Irene, Nina, Matushka Marilyn, Kent, George, Hieromonk John, Fr George, Emilee, Jeremy & Coltin, Janet, Paul, Fr Sergei, Monica, Darla, Melissa, Andrea, Arline, Layla Anne, Renee, Gus, Maria, Mary Ann, Matthew and his mother Hoda, Marilyn, Stephanie, William, Anya, Jose, Ludmilla, Jim, Loren, John, Sharon, Subdcn. Gregory, Maria, Fr Christopher, Mary, Shanna & daughters Michaela, Cheyenne and Logan, Bryan, child Elijah and parents Janice and Timothy, Bob, Mary, Gail, Arnold, Dcn Stephen, Sarah, Elizabeth, Ernest, Ryan, Robert, Mother Anna, Basil, Stephen, Rick, Columcille, Connie, Susan, Rebecca, Rick, Lela & her brother.

God Grant You Many Years to all those others celebrating Name Days, birthdays and anniversaries.

**O Lord, send your angels to watch over all those traveling.**

### PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT: YTD THROUGH APRIL, 2011

Operating Income: **\$48,912.<sup>00</sup>** Operating Expenses: **\$37,793.<sup>00</sup>**  
Charity Collections: **\$1,563.<sup>00</sup>** Building Fund: **\$7,022.<sup>00</sup>**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES

- **WE ARE WISHING THAT GOD GRANT FR. NIKOLAY MANY YEARS** on the occasion of his birthday tomorrow, Monday, and the anniversary of his ordination to the Holy Priesthood next week with a cake during coffee hour today.
- **A PARISH PILGRIMAGE IS BEING PLANNED FOR THE MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND AT ST MICHAEL'S MONASTERY:** Saturday, May 28th to Monday, May 30th. Fr. Silouan, the Monastery Superior, is scheduled to give three talks and there will be other activities for both adults & children. A detailed schedule is on the bulletin board. For planning purposes, please contact Fr Nikolay to let him know if you will be going.
- **OUR GROWING PARISH** is in need of more volunteers to serve as greeters. If you are interested or for more information see Fr. Nikolay.
- **LOST & FOUND** - On top of the coat rack, there is a red canvas Lost and Found container. Please help us keep God's House as neat and clean as we can. A special request to parents: If your children use the children's books during services, please make sure they are put back in the book case before you leave church.
- **LABOR OF LOVE** – Part of the calling given to us by our Lord Jesus Christ is to love one another, not just in a spiritual way, but in a practical way by helping and serving each other. He desires us to be "knit together in love," which means that our lives are to be intertwined, forming a fabric of relationship and service. In the hope of establishing a mechanism to help us all become even more knit together in love, All Saints of North America Orthodox Church is establishing a helps ministry. Two things are needed. First, for parishioners to make their needs known. Is there something that needs to be done around the house or yard that is beyond your abilities to accomplish alone? Call Dn. Stephen with the details, and he will try to organize volunteers to provide the help you need. Second, volunteers will be needed to fill the needs that are made known. May God bless this ministry, and all those who contribute to it by giving and receiving help. Please see the bulletin board for a more complete description of what we are after.

### DURING THE PASCHAL SEASON, IN CELEBRATION:

We do not kneel or prostrate. We kneel for the first time again on Pentecost during the kneeling prayers.

Each service begins with the clergy singing CHRIST IS RISEN by themselves with the people joining after the third time.

Also, during the Paschal Season instead of Hello! or Christ is in our midst!, we greet each other with: CHRIST IS RISEN! and respond: INDEED HE IS RISEN!