

☞ THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR ☞

18th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School

Hours: Daniel Robson

Thanksgiving Prayers: Diane Prokipchak

POTLUCK: A – G

SOCCER OUTING

Mon: 10/1: PROTECTION (POKROV) OF THE MOST-HOLY THEOTOKOS

Tues: 10/2: 10:00am: Recitation of the Jesus Prayer
10:30am: Book Study: *Father Arseny, 1893-1973*

Wed: 10/3: 6:00pm: Vespers
7:00pm: Orthodoxy Class

Thur: 10/4: HIEROMARTYR HIEROTHEUS
9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Sat: 10/6: S^t INNOCENT METROPOLITAN OF MOSCOW
HOLY APOSTLE THOMAS
5:00pm: Choir Rehearsal
6:00pm: Great Vespers, Confessions

Sun: 10/7: 19th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy

Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School

Hours: Subdeacon Silouan

Thanksgiving Prayers: Daniel Schulte

Potluck: H – P

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18th Sunday After Pentecost

2 Cor 9:6-11 September 30th 2018 Luke 6:31-36

Hieromartyr Gregory, Bishop of Armenia

WELCOME VISITORS! CHRIST IS IN OUR MIDST!

We are honored you are visiting today. * Liturgy **Books** may be found next to the **Candle Table** at the back of the church. * We **invite you to fill out a Visitor's Card** 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 **Book Store Table**. * 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 the meal 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.

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

PLEASE SEND PRAYER CORNER NAMES & UPDATES ALONG WITH BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS TO:

Daniel Schulte: schulte_d@aol.com

Book Store: asonaocbs@gmail.com

Rubrics for Today: Resurrection Tone 1

Resurrection Tone Sheets are on the Literature Table

Resurrection Texts are also in the Appendices of the Black Liturgy Books

PRAYER CORNER

May God Grant Many Years! to Kylea Parchert, Alistair Spratling, Oguljan Young, Jenner Becker and Frank Thome on their Birthdays; to Luba Thome and Gregory Witz on their Name Days.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing diagnosed with cancer: Nona, Ionela, Madalena, Archpriest Steven, Jean, Caroline, Frank, Deacon Jeremiah, Stephanie, Sara, McKenzie, Nicole, Robert, Subdeacon Peter, Peter, Ita, Carol, Deacon Gerasimus, Chuck, Juan, Ivan, Lubov, Daria, Cynthia, Karen, Paul, Protodeacon Nicholas, Archbishop Nikon of Boston and Archbishop Lazar.

And for those in remission from cancer: Madolyn, Dr. Frye, Mary Beth, Ron, Galina, Yelena, Yelena, Jasmine and F^r Silouan.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Alex, Liliana, Bella, Elizabeth, Camille, Allen, Ryan, Jared, Rebecca, Randel, Ludmilla, Rebecca, Mary, Joni, Infant Ransom, Jackson, Jennifer, Peggy, Mioara, George, Kent, Connie, Peter, infant Jackson, child Sophia, child William, Mikhail, Jason & Kristina, Toby, infant Katie, Nina, Elizabeth, Matushka Ingrid, Chuck, Evdokiya, Michael, Ana, Randall, Bob & Marilyn, Mary Elizabeth, George, Gabriella & Andrei, Loretta, Richard, Bill, Maria, Galina, Andrey, Nikolay, Fotiniya, Joseph David, Carolyn, Deacon Steven, Kendrick, Camryn, Emma, Tana, Subdeacon Columcille, John & Sharon, Deacon Gerry, Irene, Subdeacon Gregory and Ernest.

Please Pray for our Catechumens: Kelly, Kevin, Debra, Steven & Anna and Daniel.

God Grant Many Years! to all those others celebrating Name Days, Birthdays and Anniversaries.

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

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT THRU AUGUST 2018

Operating Income: \$84,661^{.65} Operating Expenses: \$78,692^{.43}
Charity Collections: \$4,220^{.00} Building Fund Income: \$30,479^{.12}

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOCCER OUTING: After Liturgy and lunch today all who would like to play soccer, please assemble, weather permitting, at the Raymond G. Sanchez Community Center, 0.9 miles south of the church at 9800 4th Street NW for a fun time. All, youth and adults, are invited!

HELP NEEDED TO MAKE SPINACH PITA & BAKLAVA FOR OUR HOLIDAY BAKE SALE. SPINACH PITA: Friday, Oct. 12, 6pm-8pm & Friday, Oct. 19, 12pm-2pm. BAKLAVA: Mon. Nov. 5, 6-8pm. No cooking or baking experience necessary. We especially need some men to help mix spinach pita ingredients. Older children are welcome to work with a parent. We'll also need help on Dec. 7th to box orders for pickup. *Please sign up on the sheet on the Literature Table.*

IF YOU WISH TO CONTRIBUTE to a charitable fund for **Matushka Ingrid** all you need do is write a check to ASONA and write "Matushka Ingrid" on the "for" line and it will be passed through to her. Thank you.

Hieromartyr Gregory, Enlightener of Greater Armenia

COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

In order to atone for the sin of his father, who had murdered the father of Tiridates, Gregory entered into the service of the latter and was a faithful servant to him. Tiridates loved Gregory like a friend, but he was intolerant of the Christian confession of faith. After ascending the Armenian throne, he began to demand that Saint Gregory renounce the Christian Faith.

The steadfastness of the saint embittered Tiridates, and he gave his faithful servant over to cruel tortures: they suspended the sufferer head downwards with a stone about his neck, for several days they choked him with a stinking smoke, they beat and ridiculed him, and forced him to walk in iron sandals inset with nails.

They then poured hot tin over him and threw him into a pit filled with vipers. The Lord, however, saved His chosen one: the snakes did him no harm.

Some pious women fed him with bread, secretly lowering it into the pit. A holy angel appeared to the martyr, strengthening and encouraging him. Saint Gregory remained in the pit for fourteen years. During this time the emperor Tiridates executed the holy virgin Saint Rhipsime, the aged abbess Gaiana and another 35 virgins from one of the monasteries of Asia Minor. As punishment for this horrible deed, the king's face became disfigured.

Saint Gregory was released from the pit, and buried the relics of the holy virgins with honor. Then he began to preach to the people, urging them to turn away from the darkness of idolatry and toward Christ. The people came to believe in Christ, and wished to build a large church. When it was completed, Saint Gregory had the relics of the holy nuns brought into it. Then he brought King Tiridates there before the bodies of the saints whom he had slain. He repented, and immediately his face was made whole once more.

Soon all of Armenia was converted to Christ. The temples of the idols were destroyed, and churches for the worship of the true God were built. Saint Gregory ordained priests, established schools, founded monasteries, and provided for the good order of the Church.

Saint Gregory went into the wilderness, where he departed to the Lord. His son Aristanes was made a bishop in Cappadocia, and was one of the 318 holy Fathers at the Council of Nicea.

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