

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

- TODAY:** 2nd SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT, S^t GREGORY PALAMAS
9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy
Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School
Potluck: A – G
Hours: Rick Staats (wine & oil)
Thanksgiving Prayers: Benjamin Krcal
- Tues: 3/14: 10:00am: Recitation of the Jesus Prayer
10:30am: Book Study: *THE LENTEN SPRING* by Fr. Hopko
6:30pm: Men's Group at the Paseo & Wyoming *Flying Star*
- Wed: 3/15: 5:35pm: 9th Hour, Typica
6:00pm: Presanctified Liturgy Lenten Potluck
- Fri 3/17: 6:00pm: Reader's Akathist with Small Compline
- Sat: 3/18: Memorial Saturday
4:45pm: Choir Rehearsal
5:45pm: General Panikhida
6:00pm: Great Vespers, Confessions
- Sun: 3/19: 3rd SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT, VENERATION OF THE CROSS
9:10am: 3rd & 6th Hours 9:30am: Divine Liturgy
Acolytes: check in the Altar Church School
Potluck: H – P
Hours: Reader Silouan (wine & oil)
Thanksgiving Prayers: Bill Boyle

2nd Sunday of Great Lent: St Gregory Palamas

COMMEMORATED THIS DAY

Troparion — Tone 8

O light of Orthodoxy, teacher of the Church, its confirmation, O ideal of monks and invincible champion of theologians, O wonder-working Gregory, glory of Thessalonica and preacher of grace, always intercede before the Lord that our souls may be saved.

Kontakion — Tone 4

Now is the time for action! Judgment is at the doors! So let us rise and fast, offering alms with tears of compunction and crying: "Our sins are more in number than the sands of the sea; but forgive us, O Master of All, so that we may receive the incorruptible crowns."

Kontakion — Tone 8

Holy and divine instrument of wisdom, joyful trumpet of theology, together we sing your praises, O God-inspired Gregory. Since you now stand before the Original Mind, guide our minds to Him, O Father, so that we may sing to you: "Rejoice, preacher of grace."

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2nd Sunday of Great Lent March 12th 2017

Heb. 1:10 – 2:3

St Gregory Palamas

John. 2:1 – 12

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 @ drschulte@hughes.net or call 505-495-9200. Book Store: asonaocbs@gmail.com

Rubrics for Today: Resurrection Tone 5

Resurrection Tone Sheets are on the Literature Table
Along with Special Tone Sheets for the 2nd Sunday of Great Lent
Resurrection Texts are also in the Appendices of the Black Liturgy Books

PRAYER CORNER

May God Grant Many Years! to Lewis Witz on his **Birth**day.

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer: Galina, Dale, Vance, Peter, Ita, Matushka Mary, Kevin, Carol, Deacon Gerasimus, Andrew, Chuck, Juan, Ivan, Lubov, Daria, Cynthia, Karen, Paul, Protodeacon Nicholas, Bishop Nikon of Boston and Archbishop Lazar.

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

May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer: Mioara, George, Kent, Connie, Peter, infant Jackson, child Sophia, child William, Mikhail, Jason & Kristina, Toby, infant Katie, Nina, Elizabeth, Matushka Ingrid, Chuck & Alice, Evdokiya, Michael, David, Lois 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, Ruth Ann, Subdeacon Columcille, John & Sharon, Deacon Gerry, Irene, Subdeacon Gregory and Ernest.

Please Pray for our Catechumens: Joseph & Maria, Paul & Elizabeth, DeAndra, Joel, and Kerry.

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: YTD THROUGH FEBRUARY 2017

Operating Income: \$14,625²² Operating Expenses: \$17,543³⁴ Shortfall: -\$2,918¹²
Charity Collections: \$797⁰⁰ Building Fund: \$2,524⁷⁵

Ω ANNOUNCEMENTS Ω

METROPOLITAN TIKHON'S LENTEN ARCHPASTORAL MESSAGE can be read on line at: <https://oca.org/news/headline-news/metropolitan-tikhons-lenten-archpastoral-message-released>

FROM THE KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS: There is a donation box on the table for our coffee hour on Sundays. It can take \$50⁰⁰ or more every week or so; for all the supplies for the kitchen. When possible, please help out. Also, we can use items for the pantry: chips, salsa, cookies, bread, coffee, jelly, Sunbutter and soy butter (no peanut butter, please), and salad dressing. Thank you

DEAR FAMILY: Thanks again for your prayers and thoughtfulness...Matushka Ingrid

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.

Repent for the Kingdom of Heaven is at Hand!

Great Lent is often referred to as the school of repentance, because the purpose of the fast is not to change our diet, but to undergo a change of mind, a change of heart, a true conversion. And in order for this to become a reality it is indispensable for us to prepare ourselves and come to the Sacrament of Confession with humility and contrition for a broken and contrite heart, God will not despise (Psalm 51:17). Our typical time for Confession is on Saturdays after Great Vespers. However, I'm available at other times if you would like to contact me and make an appointment. Please do not wait until the end, for due to the busy schedule of Holy Week, there will be no Confessions then.

...In Christ, Fr Nikolay

THE PRAYER OF S^t EPHRAIM is our faithful companion during the Lenten journey. This prayer is incorporated in every weekday service during the Great Fast, but we should also include it in our own prayer rule as well. Furthermore, I would like to encourage us to contemplate on its profound meaning in the coming days leading to Pascha. ...Fr Nikolay.

Ω Prayer of S^t Ephraim Ω

O Lord and Master of my life! Take from me the spirit of sloth, despair, lust of power, and idle talk (full prostration). But give rather the spirit of chastity, humility, patience, and love to Thy servant (full prostration). Yea, O Lord and King! Grant me to see my own transgressions and not to judge my brother; for blessed art Thou unto ages of ages. Amen (full prostration).

O God, cleanse me a sinner and have mercy on me (12 times, bowing each time).

(Then repeat the entire prayer as a whole with one full prostration at the end)

Most Holy Theotokos, save us!