



Sunday, June 3, 2018

St. Herman of Alaska Orthodox Church

A PARISH OF THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OUTSIDE OF RUSSIA—EASTERN AMERICAN DIOCESE

Great Vespers & Confessions each Saturday at 6 pm – Bible Study each Wednesday at 7 pm – Divine Liturgy each Sunday at 10 am

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Liturgical Serrepercusvices/Activities:

Sun. June 3/May 21	<u>1st Sunday after Pentecost. All Saints. Holy Equals-to-the-Apostles Emperor Constantine (337 AD) and Helen, his mother (327 AD)</u> 9:15 a.m. Choir practice 9:30 a.m. Reading of the Hours 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy followed by Fellowship Hour
Wed. June 6/May 24	<u>St. Xenia of Petersburg, fool-for-Christ (Glorification 1988 AD)</u> 7:00 p.m. Adult Religious Education Class
Sat. June 9/May 27	<u>St. Ignatius, bishop and wonderworker of Rostov (1288 AD)</u> 4:30 p.m. Catechism Class 6:00 p.m. Great Vespers
Sun. June 10/May 28	<u>2nd Sunday after Pentecost. All Russian Saints. Apostles' Fast.</u> 9:15 a.m. Choir practice 9:30 a.m. Reading of the Hours 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy followed by Fellowship Hour



All Russian Saints

Attendance

Great Vespers, 5/26 – 19

Divine Liturgy, 5/27 – 68

2018 Finances

The Parish needs \$1756.77 /week to meet budget*

<u>Week</u>	<u>Amount Received</u>	<u>Difference from amount needed</u>
Year-to-date	\$ 43,229.49	+ \$ 6,337.32
May 20	\$ 2,368.80	+ \$ 612.03
May 27	\$ 1,781.00	+ \$ 24.23

Honor the Lord from your righteous labors and offer Him the first fruits from the fruits of righteousness, that your storehouses may be filled with an abundance of grain and your wine presses may gush with wine. j

Intercessory Prayer List

Metropolitan Jonah requests that you send him to full name and general reason for intercessory prayer (such as health or illness, unemployment, family issues, military deployment to Afghanistan, etc.) for his pastoral care. Only the names of the living (and recently deceased) will be included in the prayer list in the weekly bulletin. He also requests that the faithful who have requested intercessory prayers for various persons let him know when there is no longer a specific need for payer, so that we may keep the list current.

LIVING: Rebecca Laymon, Judith (Maria) Cook, Ana Rosado-Nazario, Ann Yuschak, Sarah Heitke, Dsa. Monica Pappas, Paisley Joanna Milligan, Charles Jordan, Emma Nichole Parkinson, Rob Cornwell, Beth Baggett, Archpriest Alexander Webster, Louise (Juliana) Paffhausen, Donna Colaianne, Archpriest Michael Sekela, Patricia Connerley, Martha Connerley, Kathy Sekela, Mark Laymon, Kristin Blaylock, Janis Sergeant, Millicent Novic, Ray Liddick, Leonidas Stylianopoulos, Sophia Stylianopoulos, Chad Gallagher, Matushka Cindy Joanna Mitchell, Protodeacon Brian Patrick Mitchell, Presvytera Flora Chioros, Father Stanley Voyiazakis, Presvytera Katherine Baker, Monk Anthony (West Virginia), Archpriest George Larin, Matushka Masha Potopav, Matushka Sophia Doubleday, Evdokiya Bykon, Kevin McCarthy, James Dunham, 2LT Benjamin Stracquatano, USA (Korea), James Puckett, Nora Milligan, Archpriest Victor Potapov, Archpriest Theodore Shomsky, Archimandrite Iov (Holy Trinity Monastery), Jo Ann Swift, Abbess Makaria, James and Bryce Wilt, Ryan Wilt, Logan Peters, Sandra Brown, Glen A. Cooper, Kiernan Green, Protodeacon Nicholas Lukianov, Matushka Nadejda Revitsky, Archpriest George Johnson, Lisa King Buka. Richard Buka Sr., Gene King, Howard J. Stickley, Larry Terrell, Matushka Larisa Hutnyan, Jackie Leopold, Ellaine Baron, Protodeacon Pavel Wolkow, Mother Theodora, Archpriest Alexander Veronis, James Kushiner, Michael Gann, James Scott Jr., Anders Bjorklund, Maria Papademetriou, Peter and Laura Roshak and baby Mark, Protopresbyter Valery Lukianov, Archpriest George Kallaur, Archpriest Paul Ivanov, Christina Spannic, Ksenia Resnikoff, Maximos Andreas Winans, Deacon Nicholas Pappas, Elizabeth Orlowsky, Conley Rohall, Jean Manco, Katherine Katsikas, Michael Kyle, Julia, Mark, Juanita, Marie Liller, Jimmy Lloyd, Jessica Anne Swift, Matushka Eugenia Neherbecki, Homer Lewis, James Perry, the captive Orthodox bishops from Aleppo, Syria: His Eminence Archbishop Boulos (Yazigi) and Mar Archbishop Youhanna Ibrahim

MEMORY ETERNAL: Anna Burch, Demetrios, Mitred Archpriest John Nehrebecki



Fellowship Hour

June 3 ~ Fellowship provided by Team 1

June 10 ~ Fasting Fellowship provided by Team 2

If anyone would like to join a team or be put on the list of substitutes, or is interested in hosting a particular Sunday please contact Nancy St. Clair.



Reader Schedule

June 3 ~ Reader Nicholas Sanford

June 10 ~ Subdeacon Timothy Mellor

If you are interested in assisting with the reading and becoming a tonsured reader please contact Deacon Alexander.



Prosfora

Nancy St. Clair is currently providing the Prosfora. If you are interested in helping to make Prosfora for the church, please contact Nancy St. Clair.

We are registered with two broadcast media weather alert systems: (1) television: WJLA-TV (channel 7) and News Channel 8, and (2) radio: WTOP radio (103.5, 103.9, 107.7 – all FM) and WTOP.com Any closings will also be posted on the home page of our website and via email to those who have asked to be on our electronic mailing list.

Readings for the Week of June 3rd

Sunday 6/3

Matthew 28:16-20 (1st Matins Gospel)
Hebrews 11:33-12:2
Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30
Philippians 2:5-11 Epistle, Theotokos
Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28 Gospel, Theotokos
Acts 26:1-5, 12-20 Equals-to-the-Apostles
John 10:1-9 Equals-to-the-Apostles

Monday 6/4

Romans 2:28-3:18
Matthew 6:31-34; 7:9-11

Tuesday 6/5

Romans 4:4-12
Matthew 7:15-21

Wednesday 6/6

Romans 4:13-25
Matthew 7:21-23

Thursday 6/7

Luke 7:17-30 Matins Gospel
Romans 5:10-16
Matthew 8:23-27
2 Corinthians 4:6-15 Forerunner
Matthew 11:2-15 Forerunner

Friday 6/8

Romans 5:17-6:2
Matthew 9:14-17

Saturday 6/9

Matthew 11:27-30 Matins Gospel
Romans 3:19-26
Matthew 7:1-8
Ephesians 6:10-17 St. John
Luke 12:2-12 St. John

Many Years!

Birthdays

2 Lubomir Atanasov
14 Jon Baugh
17 Lori Mellor
18 Deacon Alexander Laymon
25 George Yuschak
30 Albert Lowe
Olivia Laxson

Name Days

3 Beth Baggett
Ileana Henry
Kristin Milligan
6 Vincent Atanasov
12 Amelia Rose McLeod
23 Olivia Laxson
28 Erik Laymon

Anniversaries

3 Roy Patrick & Nancy St. Clair
25 Reader Steve & Jo Lu Terrell

It is Time to Stuff the Truck!

We are looking for volunteers! Please sign up for a two hour shift to help SERVE Stuff the Truck on June 9th at the White Oak Giant location from 9-5. We are looking for at least 3 people for each shift (there are 4 shifts to fill). This is a great opportunity for families to work together to help others! We collected 1422 lbs of food last August. Let's see if we can't beat that this time! There will be a sign up sheet in the fellowship hall or email Lori Mellor if you are interested in signing up.



Egg Raffle Results

Elizabeth Milton was the winner of the Egg Raffle. Congratulations! A total of \$540.00 was raised for the building fund. Thanks again to Svetlana for donating the beautiful egg!

"Only if it is one and the same Christ who is consubstantial with the Father and with men can He save us, for the meeting ground between God and man is Flesh and Christ."

— St. Cyril of Alexandria

On Coexisting With People of Other Religions:

We all want God to give unity of faith to the world. But you are confusing things.

The reconciliation of people is one thing, while the reconciliation of religions is another. Christianity requires all of us to love everyone with all our hearts, whatever faith they may have.

At the same time we are ordered to keep our faith and doctrines intact. As Christians you must be merciful to the whole world, to all people. Even your life you should give on their behalf.

But you have no right to touch the truths of Christ. Because they are not yours. The faith of Christ is not our property to do with it as we wish.

+ St. Nikolai Velimirovich

Orthodox Africa

If you couldn't make the presentation on Orthodox Africa this past Wednesday, donations will be collected today to give to the organization. A wonderful presentation was given by Fr. Methodios and Paul Neustrom, and it is wonderful to see how the Lord is blessing their work in Africa. If you want to see more about the program, please check out their website (and share it!): <https://orthodoxafrica>. It is truly a worthy cause.

Daniel slept in a lions den

Peter slept in a prison

Jesus slept in a storm

No matter your circumstance, you can take a nap.



Many years to the newly tonsured Reader Nicholas and the newly tonsured and ordained Subdeacons Joseph and Timothy!