



## ST. ATHANASIUS ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

A Parish of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America

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Dn. Scott Jacobs

Dn. John Young (retired)

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## DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

November 10, 2024

Tone 3 / Eothinon 9;

**Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost  
& Eighth Sunday of Luke**

Apostles Olympas, Rodion, Sosipater, Tertios, Erastos  
and Quartos of the Seventy;

Great-martyr Orestes of Cappadocia



**St. John Chrysostom — Nov. 13**

## WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

We are glad you are with us this morning  
to join our worship of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit!  
Please join us on the patio after the Liturgy for  
the Agape Meal. We'd love to meet you!

**We welcome children of all ages in our worship.**

“Let the little children come unto Me for of such is  
the Kingdom of Heaven.” Luke 18:16

**At the conclusion of Matins, we sing the Great Doxology  
followed by the Matins Dismissal Troparion.**

**THE DIVINE LITURGY  
OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**

**GREAT LITANY**

**FIRST ANTIPHON—Psalm verses with refrain**

Vs. It is good to give praise unto the Lord, and to chant unto Thy name, O Most High;  
To proclaim Thy mercy in the morning, and Thy truth by night. [Refrain]

**Refrain: Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us.**

Vs. Upright is the Lord our God, and there is no unrighteousness in Him. [Refrain]

Vs. Glory...now & ever...Amen. [Refrain]

**SECOND ANTIPHON—Psalm verses with refrain**

Vs. The Lord is King, He is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength and  
hath girded Himself.

**Refrain: O Son Of God Who rose from the dead, save us who sing to Thee,  
Alleluia!**

Vs. For He hath established the world which shall not be shaken. [Refrain]

Vs. Holiness befits Thy house, O Lord, forevermore. [Refrain]

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages  
of ages. Amen.

Only begotten Son and immortal Word of God, who for our salvation didst will to be incarnate  
of the Holy Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, who without change didst become man and was  
crucified, O Christ our God, trampling down death by death, who art one of the Holy Trinity,  
glorified with the Father and the Holy Spirit: save us.

### **THIRD ANTIPHON—The Beatitudes or “Sermon on the Mount”**

In Thy kingdom remember us, O Lord, when Thou comest in Thy kingdom.  
Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of Heaven.  
Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.  
Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.  
Blessed are those who hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled.  
Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.  
Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.  
Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the sons of God.  
Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness sake,  
for theirs is the kingdom of Heaven.  
Blessed are you when men shall revile you and shall persecute you, and shall say all  
manner of evil against you falsely for my sake.  
Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your reward in heaven.

### **AS THE CLERGY ENTER THE ALTAR AT THE LITTLE ENTRANCE, WE SING THE FOLLOWING HYMNS FOR THE DAY:**

#### **Troparion of the Resurrection**

**Tone 3**

Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be glad,  
for the Lord hath done a mighty act with His own arm.  
He hath trampled down death by death  
and become the first born from the dead.  
He hath delivered us from the depths of Hades,  
granting the world the great mercy.

#### **Troparion to St. Athanasius**

**Tone 3**

Holy Bishop Athanasius,  
you became a stronghold of Orthodoxy,  
strengthening the Church through your divine teachings.  
Opposing the heretical opinion of Arius,  
you explained and taught that the Son is equal in nature with the Father.  
O holy Father, intercede with Christ God  
that He may grant us abundant mercy.

#### **Kontakion for the Presentation of the Theotokos**

**Tone 4**

The most pure Temple of the Savior;  
the precious Chamber and Virgin;  
the sacred Treasure of the glory of God,  
is presented today to the house of the Lord.  
She brings with her the grace of the Spirit,  
therefore, the Angels of God praise her:  
“Truly this woman is the abode of Heaven!”

### **TRISAGION (THRICE-HOLY) HYMN**

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

+Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,  
now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Holy Immortal have mercy on us.

Deacon: With strength!

People: Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

### **Preparatory Psalm Verses before the Epistle**

**Tone 3**

Sing praises to our God, sing praises. Sing praises to our King, sing praises. (*Ps 46/47:6*)

**Verse:** Clap your hands all you peoples!

Shout to God with a voice of joy! (*Ps 46/47:1*)

### **EPISTLE READING**

**Galatians 1:11-19**

Brethren, I would have you know that the Gospel which was preached by me is not man's gospel. For I did not receive it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through a revelation of Jesus Christ. For you have heard of my former life in Judaism, how I persecuted the Church of God violently and tried to destroy it; and I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my own age among my people; so extremely zealous was I for the traditions of my fathers. But when He Who had set me apart before I was born, and had called me through His grace, was pleased to reveal His Son to me, in order that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not confer with flesh and blood, nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were Apostles before me, but I went away into Arabia; and again I returned to Damascus. Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to visit Cephas, and remained with him fifteen days. But I saw none of the other Apostles except James the Lord's brother.

### **Preparatory Psalm Verses with Alleluia Refrain Before the Gospel      Tone 3**

Chanter: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

People: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

**Verse:** In Thee, O Lord, I have hoped; let me never be ashamed. (*Ps 30/31:1*)

**Verse:** Be unto me a God and protector, and a house of refuge to save me. (*Ps 30/31:2*)

## GOSPEL READING

### Luke 10:25-37

At that time, a lawyer stood up to put Jesus to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read?" And the lawyer answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And Jesus said to him, "You have answered right; do this, and you will live." But the lawyer, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?"

Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion, and went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; then he set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' Which of these three, do you think, proved neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" The lawyer said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

### Meglynarion (Hymn to the Mother of God)

It is truly meet to bless you, O Theotokos, ever blessed and most pure and the Mother of our God. More honorable than the Cherubim, and more glorious beyond compare than the Seraphim. Without corruption you gave birth to God the Word. True Theotokos, we magnify you.

### Communion Hymns

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! Alleluia. (*Ps 148:1*)

## Holy Communion & The Thanksgiving Prayers

In the Orthodox Church, the Sacrament of Communion is offered only to Orthodox Christians who have humbly prepared to receive through prayer and a recent Sacramental Confession.

**Non-Orthodox people and those not communing today may approach during Communion for a priestly blessing by saying, "Father, bless." After this you may take a piece of antidoron (blessed bread) offered in the bowls.**

If you are interested in joining the One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church, speak with our Pastor about how to become an Orthodox Christian.

At the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy, we offer **Thanksgiving Prayers** for having received the body and blood of Christ. These beautiful prayers help us to reflect on the mystery in which we have partaken and prepare us for our transition from the Kingdom back into "the world." If you have partaken, stay to listen to these prayers after you have venerated the cross. Immediately after, the priest will bless the Agape Meal. **We ask that all your socializing take place outside of the church.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**LADIES OF THE PARISH:** We will, once again, do our Secret Sisters activity during Advent. You can sign up with Cheryl Fisher on the patio today if you would like to participate.

**THE MONTHLY MEN'S FELLOWSHIP of St. John FIRESIDE GATHERING** is this Thursday, November 14th, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Mike Loulias and Penny Cocores. For more information, see Howard Lange.

**THERE WILL BE NO FRIDAY DIVINE LITURGY THIS WEEK (Nov. 15th).** There **WILL** be a liturgy this Wednesday, November 13th at 7:30 a.m. for St. John Chrysostom.

**JIM MORRISON INVITES THE MEN OF OUR PARISH TO JOIN HIM IN A WORK PARTY** at Hope Refuge on Saturday, November 16th from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. The group will be demoing the existing kitchen. If you are able to help, contact Jim at [mjim4216@gmail.com](mailto:mjim4216@gmail.com), or let him know after Liturgy that you are able to attend. Please bring your own water and a sack lunch.

### **NATIVITY PLAY — CAN YOU HELP US PURCHASE COSTUMES?**

On Thursday evening, December 5th, we will celebrate the Feast of St. Nicholas with Great Vespers at 6:00 p.m. Vespers will be followed by a Nativity play by the children and teens of our parish. We would like to invest in costumes and appropriate props for the play that can be used for many years to come. If you would like to make a donation towards this effort, you can contribute online on the parish website (DONATION PAGE) or by putting a check in the tithe box. Please be sure to include a memo that says, "Nativity Play." Thanks so much!

- **PARENTS:** There will be play rehearsal every Sunday in November after Agape Meal.

### **JOIN US FOR OUR ST. NICHOLAS CELEBRATION!**

**Thursday, December 5, 2024**

Festal Vespers at 6:00 p.m.

followed by Children's Nativity Play, Visit by St. Nicholas, Refreshments

### **SAVE THE DATE!**

**Friday, January 3, 2024**

**"Tenth Day of Christmas" Family Night**

Open-mic/Talent Show, Caroling & Holiday Goodies

#### **Young Adult Ministry**

Looking to get involved with our parish's Young Adult Ministry? Sign up using the QR code to stay updated on upcoming events and share your ideas for activities you'd like to see! Or use the following link: <https://bit.ly/YoungAdultSignup>

**AUTUMN SCHEDULE  
of  
WEEKDAY LITURGICAL SERVICES**

Monday/Wednesday/Friday (Fridays with a priest serving)	Daily Matins	7:00 a.m.
Tuesday/Thursday	Daily Vespers	5:30 p.m.
Wednesdays	Akathist or Paraklesis	5:30 p.m.
Fridays from 9/27-12/20 (except 11/8, 11/15, and 11/29)	Divine Liturgy	8:30 a.m.

**WE WILL ALSO CELEBRATE DIVINE LITURGIES  
ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:**

- Wed., Nov 13            7:30 a.m. for St. John Chrysostom
- Fri., Nov 22            8:30 a.m. for St. Iakovos of Evia
- Mon., Dec 2            7:30 a.m. for St. Porphyrios of Athos
- Fri., Dec 20            7:30 a.m. for St. Ignatius/St. John of Kronstadt

**OTHER DATES TO KEEP IN MIND:**

Wednesday, November 20	<b>Feast of the Presentation</b> of the Theotokos 5:30pm Matins/6:30 Liturgy
Wednesday, November 27	6:00 p.m. <b>Akathist of Thanksgiving</b>
Thursday, November 28	9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy (Thanksgiving Day)
Thursday, December 5	6:00 p.m. <b>Vespers for St. Nicholas</b>

# MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

## St. Lucia Visitation and Meal Train for New Moms & Parishioners in Need

### ST. LUCIA VISITATION MINISTRY

**TEAM LEADERS:** Kh. Jan Speier (jlspeier@gmail.com)  
Laurie Baker (laurievbaker@gmail.com)

**WHAT WE DO:**

We visit parishioners who are in the hospital, recovering at home, or are homebound due to long-term illness or disability. We act as ambassadors of the parish in offering encouragement, conversation, and love to those who are suffering.

**WHAT WE NEED:**

We would love to have a few more people on our team who have a heart for those who need a visit. We also ask that our parishioners please let Fr. Symeon know when you or someone in your family is in the hospital or homebound due to illness or injury.



### MEAL TRAIN MINISTRY

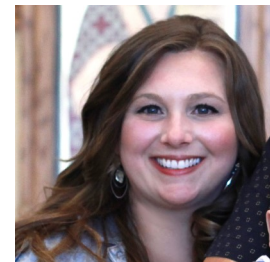
**TEAM LEADER:** Mary Denny (marymdenny5@gmail.com)

**WHAT WE DO:**

We provide meals to parish members in need! When someone has surgery, is giving birth, has a long-term illness, etc., we are here to organize meals for them and their family to help get them through healing times.

**WHAT WE NEED:**

If you haven't already reached out via the online survey, please let Mary know if you're interested in being on the Meal Train Email List.



### UPCOMING MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS:

Nov. 17 ☐ Festal Decorating

Nov. 24 ☐ St. Xenia Prayer Ministry



## CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

### Wedding Anniversaries

11/10 Gary & Cheyenne Braun  
11/11 Jason & Jody Wallace

### Birthdays

11/10 David Lewis  
11/13 Farley Easbey, James Morrison, Leticia Brunner  
11/14 Silas Easbey, Sophia Roberts  
11/15 Anna Grace Butler

### Patronal Feast Days

11/10 St. Olga of Alaska	Rebecca Beech
11/11 St. Victor of Damascus	Viktoria Hedges
11/13 St. John Chrysostom	Dn. John Young
11/14 St. Philip the Apostle	Dn. Gary Braun, Gary Braun, Jr., Gary Braun, III
11/16 St. Matthew the Apostle	Mateo Finley, Larry Lander, Subdn. Matthew (Galen) Wiley

## PARISH COUNCIL CORNER

- **Drinking Fountain**

The red light on the drinking fountain in the hallway can be disregarded. The fountain is connected to a large, reverse-osmosis filter in the wall, which is much more effective than the filter built into the fountain and lasts much longer. The smaller one in the fountain is programmed to light up after a certain number of gallons of water have been used as a reminder to change the filter.

- **Baby High Chairs**

We have approved the purchase of several high chairs to be used during the Agape Meal for infants and toddlers. We ask that the parents using them be responsible for wiping them down and putting them away when finished with them. The chairs will be purchased within the next few months.

- **St. Peter the Aleut Teen & Education Room**

We have finished remodeling the Teen and Education Room, including a large table, chairs, a built-in storage cabinet, refrigerator, wall-mounted flat screen, freshly painted walls, and an icon wall. Our Level III Catechesis will be using this room as their atrium on Sunday mornings this year. Ministry teams can schedule use of the room through the church office for meetings, study groups and other gatherings.

# Treasure self-assessment

*Can I move one step to the right?*

Household income	.5%	1%	2%	3%	5%	10% (tithe)
\$20,000	\$100	\$200	\$400	\$600	\$1000	\$2000
\$30,000	\$150	\$300	\$600	\$900	\$1500	\$3000
\$40,000	\$200	\$400	\$800	\$1,200	\$2000	\$4000
\$50,000	\$250	\$500	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$2500	\$5000
\$60,000	\$300	\$600	\$1,200	\$1,800	\$3,000	\$6000
\$70,000	\$350	\$700	\$1,400	\$2,100	\$3,500	\$7000
\$80,000	\$400	\$800	\$1,600	\$2,400	\$4,000	\$8000
\$90,000	\$450	\$900	\$1,800	\$2,700	\$4,500	\$9000
\$100,000	\$500	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$5,000	\$10,000
\$110,000	\$550	\$1,100	\$2,200	\$3,300	\$5,500	\$11,000
\$120,000	\$600	\$1,200	\$2,400	\$3,600	\$6,000	\$12,000
\$150,000	\$750	\$1,500	\$3,000	\$4,500	\$7,500	\$15,000
\$200,000	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$4,000	\$6,000	\$10,000	\$20,000

**STEWARDSHIP MONTH**  
**From November 10-December 1, 2024**  
**Stewardship Commitment Cards will be available**  
**next to the tithe box.**

**We ask that each active member/household fill out a form**  
**and put it in the tithe box, or hand it to Fr. Symeon.**

**You can also fill out the form online here:**

**<https://www.stathanasius.org/stewardship/time-talent-treasure-commitment/>**

**On Sunday, December 8th**, all of the cards will be put on the altar table during the Liturgy as an “offering,” and we will pray that our commitments for the coming year will be blessed. Commitment Cards will be collected each week from the tithe box until 9:45 a.m. on Sunday, December 8th and **all will be presented that day as an offering.**

### **What is Stewardship? Why is it important?**

Stewardship supports the Orthodox Christian practice of consistent, cheerful and purposeful giving of **time**, **talent** and **treasure** in support of our Church and its ministries to help further the word and teachings of Jesus Christ. On a personal level, it supports and showcases a life being lived in Christ.

Stewardship creates and fosters a spirit of generosity and giving for the Glory of God. When we are generous and give freely of our time, talent, and treasure we proclaim, preserve, and practice our Orthodox Christian faith and make a difference in our parish and community. Stewardship furthers Christ’s message within ourselves, our families, and our communities. This creates a spiritual atmosphere of worship, engagement, fulfillment, and inspiration that we can offer to the world, following the example set by God Himself of love, service, and giving.

### **What does it mean to be a Steward?**

Stewardship is a personal responsibility and prayerful commitment that each and every Christian makes in order to support the Church. Stewardship helps us understand that God is the true owner of our possessions, and each of us is accountable to God for the acceptable care and use of those possessions.

According to the Bible, a steward is one who responsibly manages the gifts entrusted to them for the perpetuation of the Lord's work. A steward honors and glorifies God.

**We want to recognize all the businesses that donated  
to our 2024 Silent Auction!  
We are grateful for their contributions to our Temple Fund.  
Please be sure and show them our appreciation.**

Ambiance Nail Care  
Anne Shelton Water Color  
B Boutique  
Blenders  
Bowlero - Goleta  
Cards by Fay  
Cheryl Fisher Designs  
Chick Fil A, Travis Collins  
Chicken Bridge Pottery, Rusty Sieck  
Cinquain Cellars  
CM Halsell Icons  
Custom made tennis shoes by  
Katie AbuGhazaleh  
Dean Brunner Rentals  
Donna Bella Skin Care and Spa  
Driftwood Leather - Paul Carr  
Family Eye Care Optometry Center  
Flip the Tide  
Holdren's Steaks and Seafood  
Home Depot  
Home Plate Grill  
Icons and Fine Art by Dorothy Alexander  
Imagine, Montecito  
In-N-Out Burger  
IV Properties  
Jamie Sloan Wine  
Jewelry by Shirley Dillon  
Karelyn Larson Massage

Killer B Fitness  
King Dental Group  
Lighthouse Coffee  
Lovely Nails  
Master Care Home Cleaning  
Montecito Fitness Center  
Moonlight Glassing, Co. - Noah Speier  
Mrs. Worthy's Candles  
Ocean Nails & Spa  
Paradise Springs Winery, Funk Zone SB  
Pet Smart  
Photography by Nataliya  
Polished Nail Spa  
Saint John's Monastery, Goldendale  
Samsara Wine Co  
Sandyland Real Estate - John Lund  
Santa Barbara Polo Club  
Santa Barbara Teleconnect Inc  
Seaside Emergency Associates  
Seattle Mariners - Gabe Speier  
Step N Out Goleta  
Stout and Cellar  
Sula's Beaded Baubles, Suzie Wiley  
The Eagle Inn  
Third Window Brewing  
Trader Joe's Goleta  
Tyler Speier Events  
Westmont College Bookstore  
Woodwork by Timmy Palmer

**Golf Tournament Proceeds this year were  
\$159,805!**

**Thanks be to God!**

The total proceeds from all of our Golf Tournament fundraisers  
now total

**OVER \$1 MILLION!!**

**A great big THANK YOU  
to all who contributed to the success of our  
2024 GOLF TOURNAMENT!**

- Our corporate sponsors, hole sponsors and donors
  - All who supported the auction and dinner
  - Terri Speier & her entire Auction Team
  - Our Golf Tournament Committee:  
Scott Speier, Jami Stetler, Terri Speier, Angel Speier,  
Chris Robinson, Dorian Florez

**with help from:**

Leticia Brunner, Liz Hoppe, Christie Robinson, Sherie Shackelford,  
Jenny Speier, Nataliya Tinyayeva, Melissa Wayne

**and many others who volunteered their time and expertise!**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests received through the parish office will be printed in the bulletin and will be prayed for during the litanies at the daily services. Prayer requests received in the box at the church will be prayed for quietly at the altar at all services. Prayer requests remain for 40 days unless requested otherwise.

**Send prayer requests for the bulletin to: [office@stathanasius.org](mailto:office@stathanasius.org).**

**Please pray for the health of:**

His Beatitude, Patriarch John X  
Metropolitan SABA  
Mother Victoria  
Met. Paul & Abp. John  
Abp. Benjamin  
Fr. Mathias in Tanzania (OCMC)  
Fr. Jon B.  
Fr. John & Kh. Diane C.  
Fr. Nicholas & Jan  
Fr. Turbo & St. Mary parish  
Fr. Paul and St. Moses parish  
Hieromonk Siloan  
Greg & Margaret Y.  
Hoppe Family in Albania (OCMC)  
Joseph Wm. B. in Kenya  
Duane F.  
Richard and Susan B.  
Bob N.  
Kh. Melissa H.  
Jeremiah & Sarah H. (military)  
Lauren & Fernando J. (military)  
Chase K. (military)  
Nick & Kristine J. (military)  
Connor V. (military)  
Julianna & Zaron D. (military)

P. Speier (military)  
Subdn. Matthew & Christina  
Steve T.  
Temmo K.  
Dn. John & Fay Y.  
Samantha & Chris N. & Family  
Wade  
Kh. Peggy K.  
Amanda, Chris & Baby James  
Kh. Janet Henderson  
Audrey D.  
Eric J.  
Jason T.  
Michael J.  
Bruce  
Monica  
Jake  
Christina S.  
Phyllis M.  
Marta C.  
Sonia T.  
Jon R.

For the local agencies and their leaders who are working to fight human trafficking.

The Ethiopian Orthodox Church

All those suffering and in danger in Ukraine, Africa, and the Middle East

Please pray for the raising up and support of long-term missionaries from our parish.

## OUR CATECHUMENS:

Karti Adimulam  
Kevin Duke  
Greg & Miki Hammel  
Isaak Lau  
Matthew, Ashley and Ryan McCauley  
Brennan Pawley  
Logan Strait  
Ethan Salcedo  
Logan Strait

**For repose of the souls of:** Fr. John

## ST. ATHANASIUS CHURCH BOOKSTORE

The church bookstore is located in the foyer of our building. The tables and two enclosed cabinets contain items that are FOR SALE. One cabinet holds icons, crosses, incense, prayer ropes, etc. The bookshelf has books for sale, arranged alphabetically by book title. Children's books are on the bottom shelf. See Terri Speier if you are looking for jewelry such as a cross or chain. **You can contact Terri at: [bookstore@stathanasius.org](mailto:bookstore@stathanasius.org).**

Payment should be made at time of purchase and placed in the brown lockbox on wall next to Fr. Symeon's office. Make checks payable to **S.A.O.C. Bookstore**.

The pamphlets in the rack are FREE, as are the 12-month liturgical calendars.)

**All proceeds go to the parish Temple Fund.**

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

### **Sunday, November 10**

9:00 a.m. Matins  
 9:00 a.m. Catechesis for children 3 yrs-6th grade  
 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
 11:30 a.m. Teen Religious Education  
 11:45 a.m. Agape Meal  
 12:15 p.m. Choir Rehearsal  
 12:15 p.m. Christmas Play Rehearsal

### **Monday, November 11**

7:00 a.m. Daily Reader's Matins  
 3:00 p.m. St. Xenia Prayer Ministry by Zoom

### **Tuesday, November 12**

5:30 p.m. Daily Vespers

### **Wednesday, November 13—ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**

7:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy (for St. John Chrysostom)  
 12:00 p.m. St. Xenia Prayer Ministry at the church  
 5:30 p.m. Akathist

### **Thursday, November 14**

7:45 a.m. St. Xenia Prayer Ministry by Zoom  
 10:00 a.m. Showers of Blessing  
 5:30 p.m. Daily Vespers  
 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal  
 6:00 p.m. Jr. High Youth Group  
 6:45 p.m. High School Youth Group  
 7:00 p.m. Men's Fireside at Loulias Residence

### **Friday, November 15**

7:00 a.m. Daily Matins  
**NO LITURGY**

### **Saturday, November 16—ST. MATTHEW**

5:30 p.m. Great Vespers/Confessions

### **Sunday, November 17**

9:00 a.m. Matins  
 9:00 a.m. Catechesis for children 3 yrs-6th grade  
 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
 11:30 a.m. Teen Religious Education  
 11:45 a.m. Agape Meal  
 12:15 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

## SUNDAY MORNING MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

### **EUCCHARIST BREAD**

November 10	Jacobs
November 17	Kern
November 24	Hoppe
December 1	Dillon

### **READERS**

November 10	Lange
November 17	Meyer
November 20	Gish (Festal Liturgy)
November 23	Kern (Vespers)
November 24	Butler
December 1	Lange

### **GREETERS**

November 10	G. Hoppe
November 17	L. Baker
November 24	M. Loulias
December 1	H. Lange

### **USHERS**

November 10	K.L. King/D. Meyer
November 17	S. Speier/C. Speier
November 24	M. Loulias/D. Washburn
December 1	P. King/J. King

### **AGAPE MEAL HOSTS**

November 10	Team Worthington
November 17	Team Aviles/Wood
November 24	Wiley Family in honor of Subdn. Matthew & Christina
December 1	Team Wayne



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**HOLIDAY  
GIFT  
BOUTIQUE**

**HOLIDAY ITEMS • GIFTS  
ANTIQUES • RARE FINDS  
AND MORE!**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2024  
10AM - 4PM**

**1205 SAN ANTONIO CREEK RD.**

**PERFORMANCES BY:  
THE HOLLYBERRYS,  
CHORAL QUARTET**

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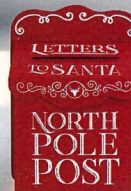
**GEORGE MAMALAKIS,  
JAZZ PIANIST**

**WINE TASTING  
FROM 12PM - 3PM  
COMPLIMENTS OF**

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WINERY**

**SPECIALTY  
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