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LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM Sunday, June 8 2014

THE FEAST OF PENTECOST 50 days after Pascha



WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

We are glad you are with us this morning.
If you are not Orthodox, we invite you to
partake of the blessed bread during
Communion and to join us at Coffee Hour ~
we'd love to meet you!

Calendar for this Week

Sunday, June 8—PENTECOST

Religious Ed. 3 yrs-High School 9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. **Matins**

Divine Liturgy/Baptism of Giana 10:00 a.m.

Grace Brunner

Potluck and Musical Program 11:45 a.m.

FAST-FREE WEEK

Monday, June 9

6:45 a.m. **Daily Matins**

5:00 p.m. Outreach Meal at St. Michael's

University Church in Isla Vista

Tuesday, June 10

5:30 p.m. Daily Vespers

7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, June 11

Daily Matins 6:45 a.m.

12:00 p.m. Women's Prayer Group

6:30 p.m. Catechists meeting

Thursday, June 12

Daily Vespers 5:30 p.m.

Friday, June 13

Grades 7 & 8 to RAGING WATERS

Daily Matins 6:45 a.m.

Saturday, June 14

4:30 p.m. **Book Study-Early Church History**

6:00 p.m. Vespers/Confession

Sunday, June 15-Sunday of All Saints

HAPPY FATHER, S DAY!

Religious Ed. 3 yrs-High School 9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. **Matins**

Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour 11:45 a.m.

LOST AND FOUND

The Lost and Found basket is located in the little alcove next to the sitting area with the sofas and rocking chair.

AED

(Automated External Defibrillator)

The AED is located in the foyer, on the ledge of the window that looks into the church office.

Sunday Morning Ministries Schedule

DENITECOST DOTLLICK

Eucharist Bread

June 8	Gish
June 15	Dillon
June 22	Meyer
June 29	Tinyayeva

Coffee Hour

Julie o	PENTECUST PUTLUCK
June 15	Easbey
June 22	Project Mexico Team
June 29	Gish

Greeters

June 8	D. Washburn/D. Lewis
June 15	S. & C. Shackelford
June 22	D. & D. Alexander
June 29	D. Morrison/D. Genatone

Ushers

June 8	Jon King, G. Braun Jr., P. King
June 15	S. & L. Speier, P. Brunner
June 22	D. Meyer, R. Barre, D. Lewis
June 29	C. Speier, Rita Schneider, P. Kins

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 with verses for the Feast of Pentecost

Verse: The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims His handi-

work. (Ps. 18/19:1)

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

Verse: Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.

(Ps 18/19:2) [**Refrain**]

Verse: Their proclamation has gone out into all the earth, and their words to the ends of

the universe. (Ps 18/19:4) [Refrain]

Verse: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto

ages of ages. Amen. [Refrain]

SECOND ANTIPHON with verses for the Feast of Pentecost

Verse: The Lord answer you in the day of trouble; the name of the God of Jacob

protect you! (Ps.19/20:1)

Refrain: O Good Comforter, save us who sing to Thee, Alleluia!

Verse: May He send you help from the sanctuary and give you support from Zion!

(Ps 19/20:2) [**Refrain**]

Verse: May He remember all your offerings, and fulfill all your plans!

(Ps 19/20:3) [**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 wast 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!

PROCESSION OF THE CLERGY AND THIRD ANTIPHON

Verse: In Your strength the king rejoices, O Lord, and exults greatly in Your

salvation. (Ps. 20/21:1)

Refrain:

<u>Troparion of Pentecost (Music on page 8 of this bulletin)</u>

Blessed art Thou, O Christ our God,

Who hast revealed the fishermen as most wise,

having sent upon them the Holy Spirit,

and through them Thou hast fished the universe,

O Lover of Mankind, glory be to Thee.

Verse: You have given him his heart's desire, and have not withheld the

request of his lips. (Ps 20/21:2) [Refrain]

Verse: For You meet him with goodly blessings; You set a crown of fine gold

upon his head. (Ps 20/21:3) [Refrain]

Kontakion of Pentecost

When the Most High came down, and confused the tongues, He divided the nations.

But when He distributed the tongues of fire, He called all to unity.

Therefore, with one voice we glorify the Holy Spirit.

BAPTISM

As the clergy process to the altar, we sing:

ANTI-TRISAGION

People: As many as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ Alleluia,

Alleluia, Alleluia. (Repeat 3X)

All glory be to the Father to the Son and Holy Ghost, now and ever and unto ages of

ages. Amen.

Deacon: With strength!

People: As many as have been baptized ...

PREPARATORY PSALM VERSES before the Epistle (Prokeimenon) Tone 8

Their proclamation has gone out into all the earth, and their words to the ends of the universe! (Ps. 19)

Vs. The heavens are telling the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims His handiwork.

EPISTLE READING FOR BAPTISM

THE EPISTLE READING for PENTECOST Acts 2:1-11

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly a sound came from heaven like the rush of a mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. And there appeared to them tongues as of fire, distributed and resting on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in his own language. And they were amazed and wondered, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians, we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God."

PREPARATORY VERSES and ALLELUIA Response Before the Gospel—Tone 1

Chanter: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia All: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse: By the word of the Lord the heavens were established, and all their

power by the Spirit of His mouth. (Alleluia...)

Verse: From heaven the Lord hath looked upon the earth: He saw all the

children of humankind. (Alleluia...)

GOSPEL READING FOR BAPTISM

THE GOSPEL READING for PENTECOST

John 7:37-52, 8:12

On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and proclaimed, "If anyone thirst, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, 'Out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.'" Now this He said about the Spirit, which those who believed in Him were to receive; for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

When they heard these words, many of the people said, "This is really the prophet." Others said, "This is the Christ." But some said, "Is the Christ to come from Galilee? Has not the Scripture said that the Christ is descended from David, and comes from Bethlehem, the village where David was?" So there was a division among the people over Him. Some of them wanted to arrest Him, but no one laid hands on Him.

The officers then went back to the chief priests and Pharisees, who said to them, "Why did you not bring Him?" The officers answered, "No man ever spoke like this man!" The Pharisees answered them, "Are you led astray, you also? Have any of the authorities or of the Pharisees believed in him? But this crowd, who do not know the Law, are accursed." Nicodemus, who had gone to Him before, and who was one of them, said to them, "Does our Law judge a man without first giving him a hearing and learning what he does?" They replied, "Are you from Galilee too? Search and you will see that no prophet is to rise from Galilee."

Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world; he who follows Me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

HYMN TO THE MOTHER OF GOD (Meglynarion)

9th Ode of the Canon for Pentecost:

Rejoice, O Queen, glory of mothers and virgins! No tongue, however sweet or fluent, is eloquent enough to praise you worthily. Every mind is overawed by your childbearing.

Therefore, with one voice, we glorify you.

HOLY COMMUNION

In the Orthodox Church, the sacrament of Communion is offered only to Christians who are baptized in the name of the Trinity and chrismated into the Orthodox Faith. Non-Orthodox believers may approach the chalice for a blessing and the blessed bread instead of the Eucharist. So that the priest is aware of this, please just say,

"Father, bless" when you get to the chalice.

Hymns for Communion of the Clergy:

- 1) Music by Paul Tschesnokoff, Arranged and edited by Peter Lindsay "May Thy Holy Spirit come upon us, O Lord.
 - Come Holy Spirit, Thou art our Love, our love and joy divine. "
- 2) Let Your good Spirit lead me on a level path. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. (Ps. 143)

Instead of "We have seen the true light, we sing the <u>Troparion for Pentecost</u>. (Music on next page of this bulletin)

CELEBRATTONS for THIS WEEK

Birthdays

6/8	Greyson AbuGhazaleh
6/9	O.J. Finley
6/11	Andrew Meyer
6/12	Stoney Stetler
6/13	Gary Braun Jr., June Easbey, Melissa Hedges
6/14	Aaron Sokoll

Patronal Feast Days

6/15 Holy Prince Jonathan (Sunday of All Saints)

Fr. Jon Braun

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

You can access a complete calendar of services and other parish activities on our website: www.stathanasius.org.

MANY YEARS to Giana Grace Brunner on her baptism today, and congratulations to her parents, Beau and Leticia Brunner, sisters Anastasia and Juliana, grandparents Dean and Penny, and godparents Corie & Brian Sieck.

JOIN US FOR OUR FESTIVE PENTECOST POTLUCK AND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT ON THE PATIO TODAY AFTER THE LITURGY!

SUMMER OPPORTUNITY FOR TEENS

If any high school or junior high students would like to volunteer to help during Summer School this year, please contact Lara Jacobs at cpejacobs@gmail.com.

FAST AND FEAST OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

We will celebrate the Feast of SS. Peter and Paul on Sunday, June 29th. The Apostles' Fast is from June 16-29.

CALL FOR PARISH COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

The Nominating Committee is accepting nominations for the Parish Council from now until June 22nd. There are two positions to be filled beginning in September 2014. Voting will take place from June 29-July 6th. Please send nominations to Fr. Nicholas at frnicholas@stathanasius.org or 685-5495.

ALL-PARISH MEETING JUNE 29th

Please mark your calendar for an All-parish meeting on Sunday, June 29th after Coffee Hour. We will have an update on the parish finances and begin to talk about financial priorities.



THE GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

On Pentecost, fifty days after His glorious resurrection, Jesus gave his friends the promised gift of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit—the treasury of good things and giver of life—brought gifts—life-giving gifts. These gifts were not just for Jesus' friends long ago. Jesus promises these gifts to all who ask. These gifts are for us. These gifts are Kingdom gifts. Ask that you may receive and God's kingdom may come on earth as it is in heaven!

Wisdom: knowing the way that pleases God and walking in it

Understanding: seeing clearly with spiritual eyes as a result of listening for God's voice with an open heart

Counsel: helpful words and wise guidance for others

Might: strength and courage to do what's right

Knowledge: knowing more and more of God through prayer, God's Word and God's Creation

Fear of the Lord: living without fear of anyone or anything except the awesome, holy, and almighty God in whom we take refuge

Delight: living in joy and wonder at the recognition of God's presence all around, all the time

As we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost...

...we invite you to pray, along with the children of our Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program, that God will bestow upon you one of the gifts of the Holy Spirit!

TEEN SCENE

JOURNEY TO ADULTHOOD

Schedule of Activities and Service Projects

Teens in grades 9-12

Monday, 6/16 Sunday, 6/22 at 5 p.m. Disneyland Trip End-of-school-year BBQ

Teens in grades 7-8 Raging Waters Trip

Friday, 6/13 Sunday, 6/29 at 5 p.m.

End-of-school-year BBQ at home of Jon & Kristin King

All Teens and their Families

Sunday, 7/13 after church Friday, 8/8 at Noon

Family Bowling Party Family Beach Day

WORK PARTY AT MONASTERY Saturday, June 14, 2014

There will be a work party at St. Barbara Monastery on Saturday, June 14, beginning at 9:00 a.m. (following Matins at 7:00 a.m. and breakfast). There are tasks of all kinds to be done for volunteers of all ages, including:

Staining of outside cedar walls of the house Weeding and harvesting of lavender Assembling lavender sachets Sanding in the wood shop



The work day will end with Vespers at 4:30 p.m. Lunch will be served. Please let the monastery know if you are planning to attend:

sbmonastery@gmail.com or 805-921-1563

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. Please pray for the health of:

Mother Victoria	Dean & Penny	Melina L.
Met. Paul & Abp. John of Syria	Olga G.	Duane F.
Peggy K. and Family	Mary & Susan	Susan R.
Fr. Gordon & Mary Sue W.	Baby Christian F.	All those suffering and
The Hartung Family	Molly M.	in danger in the Ukraine
Greg & Margaret Y.	Joy	and Syria
Mary Ellen B.	Victoria T.	The girls kidnapped in
Mother Olga	Frances C.	Nigeria
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Isla Vista Community

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For repose of the souls of: Sharon L., Thomas S., Tommy M., victims of Isla Vista tragedy, All who have died in the conflict in the Ukraine and Syria

ABOUT OUR PRAYER LISTS:

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Prayer requests in the bulletin are prayed out loud during the deacons' litanies and should be submitted to the church office@stathanasius.org.

Prayer requests put into the **wooden box in the narthex** will be said silently at the altar at most services. During the **Great Entrance of the Divine Liturgy**, only Orthodox Christians are commemorated, and that list is comprised of the sick, those celebrating special occasions listed in the bulletin, and those who prepared the Eucharist bread. Others are prayed for during the Proskomedia (Preparation of the Bread and Wine for Communion).

-For the children to color during the homily or at home -

