



ST. ATHANASIUS ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

A Parish of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America
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DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM Sunday, April 19, 2020

Great & Holy Pascha



CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 19—PASCHA

LIVE-STREAMED ON FACEBOOK PAGE

5:30 a.m. Rush Service/Matins and
Paschal Liturgy

Monday, April 20

6:30 p.m. Men's Firepit will meet by Zoom
(If you would like to attend, contact Howard Lange: hman3000@verizon.net)

Wednesday, April 22

12:00 p.m. Intercessory Prayer Ministry will meet by Zoom. (Contact Dorothy Alexander if you would like to participate: dotalexander@westmont.edu)

Thursday, April 23

7-9 p.m. Youth Group will meet by Zoom.
(Contact Michael Easbey if you want the link and password: measbey@gmail.com)

Friday, April 24

5:00 p.m. Akathist to Our Sweetest Lord Jesus on Zoom (Contact Dorothy Alexander if you would like to participate: dotalexander@westmont.edu)

Sunday, April 26—THOMAS SUNDAY

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9:00 a.m. Matins

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

We hope to be able to bless the graves next Sunday, but will confirm closer to the time.

Please note:

The latest instructions from Metropolitan JOSEPH have directed that only those conducting the services may be permitted in the building until further notice. There will be no confessions heard or Eucharist distributed at the church until further notice. If an emergency situation arises, please call Fr. Nicholas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THERE IS NO FASTING REQUIRED DURING BRIGHT WEEK.

CHANGE IN DAILY TRISAGION PRAYERS:

1. From Pascha until Pentecost, omit “O Heavenly King...”
2. From Pascha until Ascension, replace “Holy God, Holy Mighty...” with “Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death, and upon those in tombs bestowing life.” (3 times)

MEN’S FIREPIT THIS MONDAY AT 7:00 P.M.

The April men's gathering on Bright Monday 4/20/20 at 7:00pm will be by Zoom. Use this link (zipurl.xyz/cyberpit) to join the conversation. Please test in advance to ensure your computer (or smartphone; either will work) is set up to run the Zoom app.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER MINISTRY

Here are some opportunities to join fellow parishioners in praying together online:

- This Wednesday at 12:00 Noon, regular Intercessory Prayer Group
- This Friday at 5:00 p.m. — Akathist to Our Sweetest Lord Jesus (This group was meeting at Westmont College prior to Social Distancing.)

If you would like to join either or both of these sessions on ZOOM, contact Dorothy Alexander at dotalexander@westmond.edu.

YOUTH GROUP WILL MEET THIS THURSDAY FROM 7-9 p.m. via ZOOM. If you do not receive the invitation from Michael Easbey with the link and password, and would like to participate, contact him at measbey@gmail.com.

BLESSING OF THE GRAVES

We hope to be able to bless the graves next Sunday at Goleta Cemetery, but will confirm closer to the time. Rather than going in procession, we will ask you to stand next to the grave of your loved one(s) that you would like to be blessed and wait for Father to come to you. If you cannot be there, Fr. Nicholas will bless all of the graves on his list of parishioners and their family members.

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:

Metropolitan JOSEPH
Mother Victoria
Met. Paul & Abp. John
Fr. Jacob
Mother Christophora
Fr. Jon B.
Joseph B.
Dn. Richard E.
Kh. Diane C.
Greg & Margaret Y.
Hoppe Family in Albania
Joseph Wm. B. in Kenya
Duane F.
Richard and Susan B.
Zac B.
Kh. Carla Z.

Vanessa K. and son Anthony
Monsignor J. Yanek
Ryder H.
Kent F.
Bob N.
Fr. Jon-Stephen H.
Cole K. (military)
Jeremiah H. (Airforce Academy)
Lauren K. (military)
Chase K. (military)
Jeff H.
Steve T,
Bonita M.
Olga Marie G.

Dn. John Y.
Azalea, Dahlia, Dominic, Rose
Roger R.
Glenn F.
Loretta V.
Elliott and Family
Mitch D. Sr.

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.

For repose of the souls of:

Jeff H. Fuddah S., Elder Pavlos of Sinai,
All who have died in the conflicts in Ukraine Africa & the Middle East

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

Wedding Anniversaries

4/22 Owen J. & Monica Finley

Birthdays

4/19 Dn. Richard Easbey
4/20 Paul Wintz
4/21 Carla Brunstead
4/22 Dn. Gary Braun, Elias Hedges
4/23 Cheryl Fisher
4/24 Christie Robinson, Julianna Ballew, Sydney Hedges

Patronal Feast Days

4/19	The Resurrection	Velislava Nikolav
4/23	St. George the Great Martyr	Richard Ballew
4/25	St. Mark the Evangelist	Mark Kern