



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, June 19, 2022

Tone 8 / Eothinon 1

First Sunday after Pentecost: All Saints Sunday

Apostle Jude (Thaddeus), Brother of the Lord;

Venerable Zenon of Palestine;

Martyr Zosimas the Soldier at Antioch in Pisidia



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.

Please join us on the patio after the Liturgy for Coffee Hour.

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

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!

Sunday, June 19-ALL SAINTS

9:00 a.m. Matins
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy
12:00 p.m. Coffee Hour

APOSTLES' FAST BEGINS

Monday, June 20

8:45 a.m.-2p.m. Summer School
7:00 a.m.. Daily Matins
5:15 p.m. St. Xenia Prayer Ministry—Akathist
by Zoom
7:00 p.m. Men's Fireside

Tuesday, June 21

8:45 a.m.-2p.m. Summer School
5:30 p.m. Daily Vespers

Wednesday, June 22

7:00 a.m. Daily Matins
8:45 a.m.-2p.m. Summer School
12:00 p.m. St. Xenia Prayer Ministry

Thursday, June 23

7:45 a.m. St. Xenia Prayer Ministry by Zoom
8:45 a.m.-2p.m. Summer School
10:00 a.m. Showers of Blessing
5:30 p.m. Daily Vespers
6:00 p.m. Youth Group

Friday, June 24—NATIVITY of St. John the Baptist

7:00 a.m. Daily Matins
8:45 a.m.-2p.m. Summer School

Saturday, June 25

6:00 p.m. Great Vespers/Confessions

Sunday, June 26-ALL SAINTS of N. AMERICA

9:00 a.m. Matins
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy
12:00 p.m. Coffee Hour

SUNDAY MORNING MINISTRIES SCHEDULE

EUCCHARIST BREAD

June 19 Meyer
June 26 Fr. Nicholas
July 3 Sieck
July 10 Dn. G. Braun

READERS

June 19 Kern
June 25 Washburn (Vespers)
June 26 Lange
June 28 Alexander (Vespers-Liturgy)
July 3 Butler
July 10 Gish

GREETERS

June 19 H. Lange/D. Washburn
June 26 C. Fisher/D. Lewis
July 3 K. Fox/L. Baker
July 10 M. Loulias/P. Cocores

USHERS

June 19 C. Speier/S. Speier
June 26 D. Washburn/K.L. King
July 3 P. King/J. King
July 10 D. Meyer/M. Loulias

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS

June 19 McCalmont
June 26 Vander Laan
July 3 King/Hoppe/Meyer/Gish
July 10 NEED A HOST

**TO SIGN UP TO HOST A COFFEE HOUR:
<https://bit.ly/SAOCcoffeehour>**

THURSDAY SHOWERS OF BLESSING HOSPITALITY TEAM

June 23 M. Loulias/K. Gomez
June 30 F. Young/S. Saunders
July 7 D. Alexander/D. Washburn
July 14 F. Young/S. Saunders

HOLY COMMUNION

In the Orthodox Church, the sacrament of Communion is offered only to Orthodox Christians who have prepared to receive. Non-Orthodox believers and others **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.

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

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”

After each of the verses, the choir and congregation sing the refrain:

“Remember us, O Lord, when you come in your Kingdom.”

**We sing the following hymns of the day after
The Little Entrance:**

Troparion of the Resurrection

Tone 8

From the heights Thou didst descend,
O Compassionate One;
and Thou didst submit to the three day burial,
that Thou might deliver us from passion.
Thou art our Life and our Resurrection,
O Lord, glory to Thee.

Troparion of All Saints

Tone 4

As with fine porphyry* and royal purple,
Your Church has been adorned with Your martyr’s blood,
shed throughout all the world.
She cries to You, O Christ God:
“Send down Your bounties
on Your people,//
grant peace to Your habitation and great
mercy to our souls!”

(*Porphyry is a deep purple stone quarried in Egypt.)

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 All Saints

Tone 8

The universe offers You the God-bearing Martyrs
as the first fruits of creation, O Lord and Creator.
By their prayers keep Your Church,
Your habitation, in abiding peace//
through the Theotokos, O most Merciful One!

TRISAGION (THRICE-HOLY) HYMN (p. 9 of Liturgy Book)

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.

Prokeimenon before the Epistle

Tone 4

God is wonderful in His saints, the God of Israel. (Ps. 68:35)

VERSE: In the churches bless ye God the Lord, from the fountains of Israel.

THE EPISTLE READING

Hebrews 11:33-12:2

Brethren, all the saints through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and scourging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were tempted, they were killed with the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, ill-treated -- of whom the world was not worthy -- wandering over deserts and mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

And all these, though well attested by their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had foreseen something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect. Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfection of our faith.

Alleluia before the Gospel Tone 4

Chanter: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

People: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Verse: The righteous cried and the Lord heard them and delivered them out of all their troubles. (Ps 33/34:18)

Verse: Many are the afflictions of the righteous; the Lord will deliver them out of them all. (Ps 33/34:20)

THE GOSPEL READING FOR THE DAY
Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30 (All Saints)

The Lord said to His disciples, "Everyone who acknowledges Me before men, I also will acknowledge before my Father who is in heaven; but whoever denies Me before men, I also will deny before my Father who is in heaven." "He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me; and he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me; and he who does not take his cross and follow Me is not worthy of Me."

Then Peter said in reply, "Lo, we have left everything and followed you. What then shall we have?" Jesus said to them, "Truly, I say to you, in the New World, when the Son of Man shall sit on His glorious throne, you who have followed Me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My Name's sake, will receive a hundred fold, and inherit eternal life. But many that are first will be last, and the last first.."

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 defilement 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! (*Ps 148:1*)
Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous; praise befits the just! (*Ps 32/33:1*)
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Thanksgiving Prayers after Communion

At the end of the Divine Liturgy, we offer the prayers of thanksgiving for having received the Body and Blood of Christ. These beautiful prayers help us to reflect on the mystery in which we have just partaken, and prepare us for our transition back into the "world." We invite you to listen to these beautiful prayers during and after the veneration of the cross at the end of the service, and **ask that you show courtesy to those who are remaining to hear the prayers in their entirety by waiting until the blessing of the food at Coffee Hour to eat and socialize.**

UPCOMING FEAST DAY SERVICES

SAINTS PETER & PAUL

Tuesday, June 28

6:00 p.m.

Vesperal-Liturgy

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR DIOCESAN PARISH LIFE CONFERENCE is June 29-July 3, hosted by the Orthodox Church of the Redeemer in Los Altos Hills. If you are planning to attend all or part of the conference, and/or would consider being on an adult Bible bowl team, please let Fr. Symeon know immediately. The Bible Bowl is on Friday evening, July 1.

**For information on the Parish Life Conference, go to:
<https://www.antiochianevents.com/la>**

THE APOSTLES' FAST BEGINS ON MONDAY, JUNE 20th and ends when we receive the Eucharist at the Vespertal-Liturgy for the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul on Tuesday, June 28th.

THE MEN'S MONTHLY FIREPIT gathering will be tomorrow, June 20th at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Mike Loulias and Penny Cocores.

THE PARISH COUNCIL will meet a week from tomorrow, Monday, June 27th at 6:00 p.m.

THE START TIME FOR DAILY MATINS has been changed to 7:00 a.m., every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

WELCOME HOME to Subdn. Matthew (Galen) Wiley, who will be with us this summer before heading to St. Vladimir's Seminary to begin the Masters of Divinity program.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW CATECHUMENS, Sean Ryan and Chandler Baker. Both are students at Westmont College, and were received as catechumens last Sunday, the Feast of Pentecost.

THERE ARE LOTS OF GREAT PHOTOS FROM PENTECOST WEEKEND on the parish website at: <https://www.stathanasius.org/media/photo-gallery/>

CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

Wedding Anniversaries:

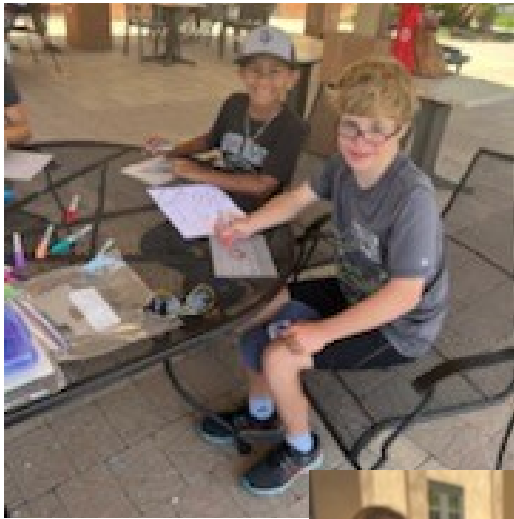
- ★ 6/19 Fr. John & Diane Carrillo
- ★ 6/21 Dan & Judy Braun
- ★ 6/24 Dn. Gary & Melissa Braun
- ★ 6/25 Scott & Terri Speier

Birthdays:

- ★ 6/20 Robert Rauchhaus
 - ★ 6/23 Wesley Brave Speier
 - ★ 6/24 Subdn. Michael Easbey
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**St. Athanasius SUMMER SCHOOL 2022
WEEK ONE**







Music Ministry at St. Athanasius

OPEN CHOIR REHEARSALS

Sunday, July 10 and Sunday, July 17

In the past 3 years, our numbers have been reduced due to relocation, health concerns, or significant changes in family obligations for some of our singers.

As we move forward from the unusual circumstances of the pandemic and begin to rebuild, we ask you to consider your calling, musical gifting, and ability to make a time commitment to the music ministry.

In July we will have two open rehearsals after Liturgy, and we welcome you to sit in. You can sing along or just observe and have some fun with us. Because while we take what we do very seriously, we are also a FUN LOVING group!

Attending an open rehearsal does not imply an obligation. It's just a way to get a peek into what we do.

Ultimately, anyone interested in the music ministry is asked to discuss it with Fr. Symeon, and then with the Music Director, who will assess your skill level and availability.

Give it some thought. Pray about it. Come and talk to me if you have questions!

Valerie Yova, Music Director

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. Markos
Fr. Jon 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.
Monsignor J. Yanek
Bob N.
Kh. Melissa H.
Cole K. (military)
Jeremiah H. (Airforce Academy)
Lauren & Fernando J. (military)
Chase K. (military)
Nick & Kristine J. (military)
Connor V. (military)

Steve T.
Phyllis M.
Abp. Benjamin
Kris F.
Temmo K.
Sarah B.
Coleman Family (Lori, Abby, Matt)
Jerry J.
Chuck S.
Mat. Trudi & Richter Family
Dn. John & Fay Y.
Zachary B.
Samantha & Chris N. & Family
Lander and Washburn Families
Bob
Jason T.

The Ethiopian Orthodox Church
The Church & people in Lebanon
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: Archbishop Paul G., Kh. Patricia R.

ST. ATHANASIUS CHURCH BOOKSTORE

The church bookstore is located in the foyer of the fellowship hall - two enclosed cabinets containing 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. Payment should be made at time of purchase and placed in brown lockbox on wall next to Fr. Nicholas' 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.

PENTECOST 2022

THANK YOU...
To all who made our Pentecost celebration SO beautiful and joyous!
Clergy & Choir, Catechists & Children of the Atria,
Christie Speier & the Social Team, Suzi Wiley & the Coffee Hour Team,
Festal Decorating Team, & our photographer, Nataliya Tinyayeva

