

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Feast Day everyone!



There are no services this week.

Have a Blessed and

Happy Thanksgiving Day

Sat. Dec. 4th	1-3 pm	St. Nicholas Day Open House - Tours
	3:30 pm	Sacred Music Program
Fri. Dec. 24th	6 pm	Vesperal Liturgy for Christmas

If you have not already done so,
please turn in your pledge card for 2011 today.

See any Board member for a pledge form

Remember to read your Bible and pray every day!

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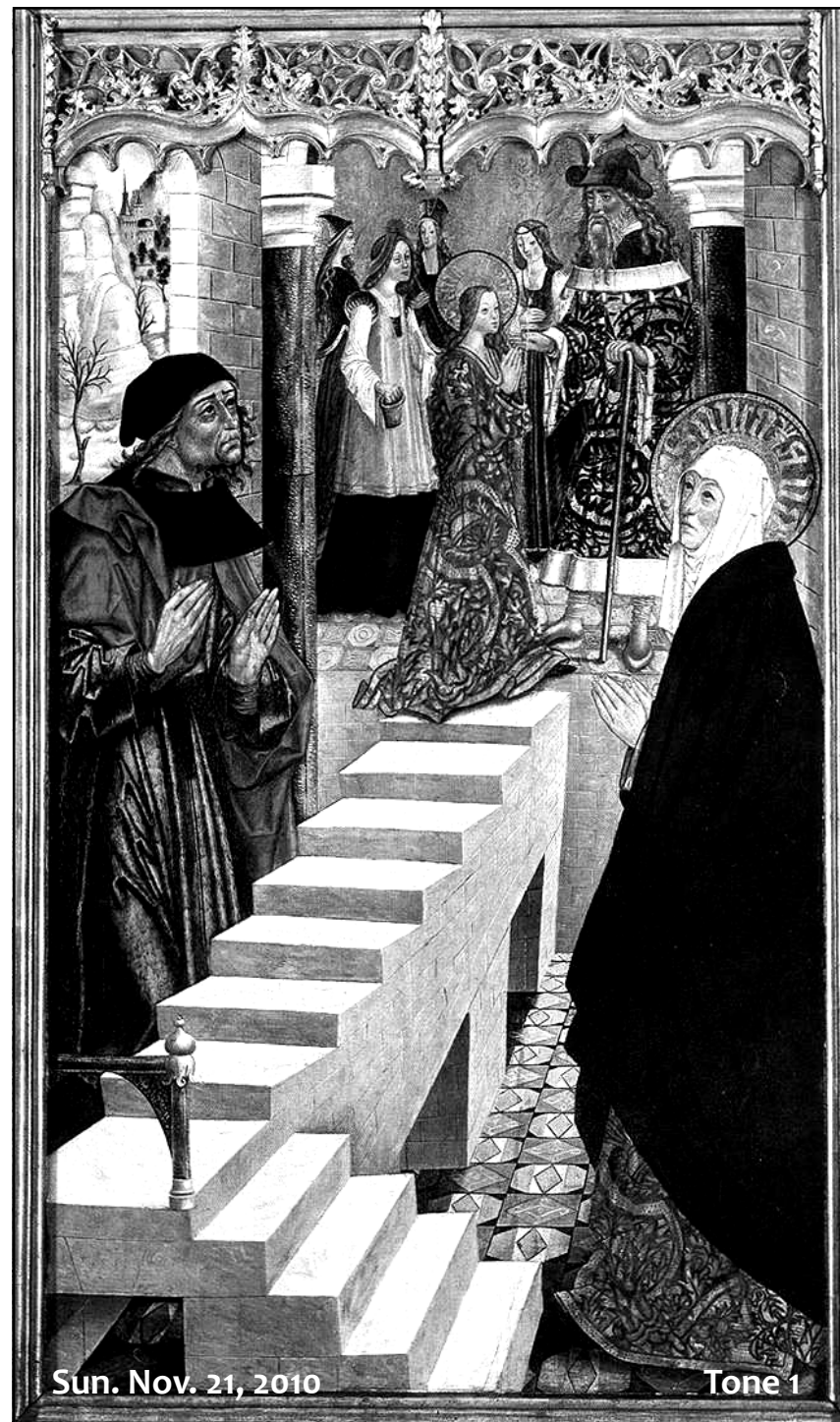
Emeritus: Fr. William John Clark

Parish Council: Dr. George Rizk, Raymond Zogob, Kris Wells, Marnie Butts, Kally Key,
Mike Winney, Bob Hunt, Jelena Timotijevic, Robert Frisby. Choir Director: Pres. Deborah

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Sun. Nov. 21, 2010

Tone 1

ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS INTO THE TEMPLE

Date	Readers
11-21	Robert Frisby & Virgil Aurand
11-28	Mike Winney & Robert Frisby

Matins Gospel: Luke 1:39-49, 56

Resurrection Hymn - Tone 1

While the stone was sealed by the Jews, and the soldiers were guarding Thy most pure body, Thou didst arise on the third day, O Savior, Granting life to the world. For which cause the heavenly powers cried aloud unto Thee, O Giver of Life, Glory to Thy Resurrection, O Christ, Glory to Thy Kingdom, Glory to Thy Providence, O Thou Who alone art the lover of mankind.

Hymn of the Entrance of the Theotokos

Today is the prelude of God's good will and the heralding of the salvation of mankind. In the temple of God the virgin is presented openly, and she proclaims Christ unto all. To her then, with a great voice, let us cry aloud, "Rejoice, O Thou fulfillment of the Creator's dispensation!"

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,

Hymn of Great Martyr George - Tone 4

Liberator of captives, defender of the poor, physician of the sick, and champion of kings, O trophy-bearer, Great Martyr George, intercede with Christ God that our souls be saved.

now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakion of the Entrance of the Virgin

The sacred treasury of God's holy glory, the greatly precious Bridal Chamber and Virgin, the Savior's most pure temple, free of stain and undefiled, into the House of the Lord on this day is brought forward, and bringeth with herself the Most Divine Spirit. Her do God's Angels hymn with songs of praise, for she is truly the heavenly tabernacle.

Prokeimenon in the 1st Tone (Ps 33)

Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on Thee!

Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous! Praise befits the just!

Epistle: Hebrews 9:1-7

BRETHREN, the first covenant had regulations for worship and an earthly sanctuary. For a tent was prepared, the outer one, in which were the lampstand and the table and the bread of the Presence; it is called the Holy Place. Behind the second curtain stood a tent called the Holy of Holies, having the golden altar of incense and the ark of the covenant covered on all sides with gold, which contained a golden urn holding the manna, and Aaron's rod that budded, and the tables of the covenant; above it were the cherubim of glory overshadowing the mercy seat. Of these things we cannot

now speak in detail. These preparations having thus been made, the priests go continually into the outer tent, performing their ritual duties; but into the second only the high priest goes, and he but once a year, and not without taking blood which he offers for himself and for the errors of the people. +

Alleluia in the 1st Tone (Ps 18)

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

God gives vengeance to me and subdues people under me!

He magnifies the salvation of the king, and deals mercifully with His Christ, with David and his seed forever!

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28

AT THAT TIME, Jesus entered a village; and a woman called Martha received Him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. But Martha was distracted with much serving; and she went to Him and said,

"Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve you alone? Tell her then to help me."

But the Lord answered her,

"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things; one thing is needful. Mary has chosen the good

portion, which shall not be taken away from her."

As he said this, a woman in the crowd raised her voice and said to him,

"Blessed is the womb that bore you, and the breasts that nursed you!"

But He said,

"Blessed rather are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"+

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH BEFORE DISMISSAL

Lord Jesus Christ, our God, You have said, "Apart from me You can do nothing." In faith we embrace Your words, Lord, and we entreat Your goodness. Help us to carry out the work we are about to begin, to find another home for our parish. You became man and labored with Your hands until the time of Your ministry. Bless us as we begin this work. Help us to bring it to completion. Lord, enlighten our minds and strengthen our bodies, that we may accomplish our task according to Your will. Guide us to bring about works of goodness to Your service and glory. Amen.+

PARISH PRAYER LIST

HAVE MERCY, O LORD, ON YOUR SERVANTS,

GIVE REST, O LORD, TO YOUR SERVANTS,

LIVING:

Irene Teneralli, Connie, Crystal, Tom & Kymie Bowden, James Anthony, Jim Burns, Alex, Sandy, Adrian, Melanie Schlapfer, Bill Mueller, Judy Raessler, Viola Hammerstrom, John Berkholtz, Kris Wells, Helen Vlahakis, Dr. & Mrs. Oden, Mr & Mrs Seth Burgess, Ovi Lungu, Bill Kountanis, Darrell and Patty Bostic, Deon Christensen and family, Helen Ko, Campbell Mackenzie, Betty Dudley, Will Degenhart & family, Stephen & Cassandra Landis. Nathan & Merilee Peck, Sky Rizk, Dumitri Popita, Susan Hill, Tanya, Darlene, Glenn, Fr. Hans & Susan Jacobse, Fr. John Stavropoulos, Fr. Bill Clark, Steve Brooks, Tom & Geris Kourkoumelis, Kristi & Dan Thanos, Philip Winney, Lindsay, Gail & Vicki Brannock, George Peter Rizk, Steve & Robin Hyduke, Barbara Wright, Boyd Jackson, Marnie Butts, Luke Glen, Charity Books, Kathy Hunt, the Borza family, Elizabeth, Seraphima, Macrina, Mary, Silas, Fr. Daniel & Theresa, Gray, Susana, Robert, Kayla, Briana, Joel, Kelsey, Shaun, Theresa, Chris' 2 grandmothers, Raymond Zogob's father, Diane Robertson, Kathy & Chris Hough.

DEPARTED:

Archpriest Antony Vladimir, Lambrini, Dominic Teneralli Sr., Dominic Teneralli Jr., Rose Bachmann, Janine, George Hicha, Lola Christie, Jackie Pelkey, Helen Shugrue, Eugenia, Elizabeth Higbee, Janet Maissen, Nat, Amanda, James, Abp Job, Abp Anthony, Don, Anastasia Jones, Jack Christensen, Ethel Hunt, Child Nicholas, John, Delores, Lydia (Letitia) Preda, Fr. Gabriel Cooke, Richard & Larry Peck, Chuck, Lisa Covington, Andrew Lubnick, Dennis Kontanis, Julia Sedon, Ariel Borza, Michael Hicha, Tom Pallad, Peter Rizk; Demos Vlahakis; Rhonda Dawson; Nicholas, Peter, Kay, Shirley, George Cosmakos, Andrew Degenhart, Annuncio Aaflaq; Bishop Innocent (Gula); Fr. Michael St. Andrew.



Visitors

We are happy that you joined us today, and we want you to know the following;

- Visitors and children are always welcome at all of our worship services.
- You won't be asked to do anything that would make you uncomfortable.
- We don't expect visitors to contribute anything financially to support our parish.
- Our children worship with us, and we love having them here.

If you are an Orthodox Christian, please introduce yourself to Fr. John before the service begins, so that, if possible, you may receive the Holy Mysteries of our Lord Jesus Christ.

If you are not an Orthodox Christian, we invite you to partake of the blessed bread distributed at the end of the service, to fill out a "Welcome" card (available in the Narthex), and to join us after the service for some hospitality!

THE WORLD OF THE GENEROUS GETS LARGER AND LARGER

It is at this time that we want to thank every one of our Stewards, whose pledge has allowed our Church to prosper and grow. As we look ahead to the year's end, there are a few things to keep in mind:

- ❖ **Complete your pledge.** Finishing our pledge for the year builds up our faith as we see that God Himself has provided what we needed to bring it to completion, and He will be faithful to provide for us again.
- ❖ **Make a substantial gift to the Church.** Don't have all your finances squared away for tax purposes for the new year? Donations to St. George are tax deductible, and benefit the Body of Christ, and those we serve, in so many ways. As we grow, your gift allows us to set the foundation of future blessings for coming generations now.
- ❖ **Give a special offering, in thanksgiving to God,** for all the blessings you have received this year. Many people are living in fear, but we all rest in the palm of the God of Life. He will not disappoint, and leads us to every good thing in His time. Give generously now.

Behold, now is the appointed time. Today is the day of salvation.

St. Nicholas Day

OPEN HOUSE

& SACRED MUSIC PROGRAM

Sat. Dec. 4th

Church Tours: 1-3 pm
Music Program: 3:30 pm

Treats & Refreshments following

**Learn about the real St. Nicholas,
His life, deeds, and miracles.**



**Have a safe and happy
Thanksgiving Day!**



New Testament Challenge

25 DAYS

- 1. Matthew 1-9
- 2. Matthew 10-18
- 3. Matthew 19-28
- 4. Mark 1-8
- 5. Mark 9-16
- 6. Luke 1-8
- 7. Luke 9-16
- 8. Luke 17-24
- 9. John 1-7
- 10. John 8-13
- 11. John 14-21
- 12. Acts 1-9
- 13. Acts 10-19
- 14. Acts 20-28
- 15. Romans 1-8
- 16. Romans 9-16
- 17. 1 Corinthians 1-9
- 18. 1 Corinthians 10-16
- 19. 2 Corinthians 1-13
- 20. Galatians - Colossians
- 21. 1 Thessalonians - 2 Timothy
- 22. Titus - Hebrews
- 23. James - 2 Peter
- 24. 1,2,3 John - Jude
- 25. Revelation 1- 22

40 DAYS

- 1. Matthew 1-7
- 2. Matthew 8-12
- 3. Matthew 13-18
- 4. Matthew 19-24
- 5. Matthew 25-28
- 6. Mark 1-4
- 7. Mark 5-8
- 8. Mark 9-12
- 9. Mark 13-16
- 10. Luke 1-3
- 11. Luke 4-7
- 12. Luke 8-11
- 13. Luke 12-16
- 14. Luke 17-21
- 15. Luke 22-24
- 16. John 1-5
- 17. John 6-10
- 18. John 11-16
- 19. John 17-21
- 20. Acts 1-6
- 21. Acts 7-10
- 22. Acts 11-16
- 23. Acts 17-22
- 24. Acts 23-28
- 25. Romans 1-8
- 26. Romans 9-16
- 27. 1 Corinthians 1-9
- 28. 1 Corinthians 10-16
- 29. 2 Corinthians 1-13
- 30. Galatians - Ephesians
- 31. Philippians - Colossians
- 32. 1-2 Thessalonians
- 33. 1 -2 Timothy
- 34. Titus - Philemon
- 35. Hebrews 1-10
- 36. Hebrews 11-13 & James
- 37. 1- 2 Peter
- 38. 1 John - Jude
- 39. Revelation 1-11
- 40. Revelation 12-22