

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Remember, we are still in the Nativity Fast. Please bring appropriate fasting foods (no meat or dairy products) to our fellowship hour.



Wed. Dec. 1	6 pm	Vespers
Thurs. Dec. 2	6pm	Choir Practice - MANDATORY Peck's House - 520 Hillcrest Dr.
Fri. Dec. 3	10 am	Divine Liturgy
Sat. Dec. 4th	1-3 pm 3:30 pm	St. Nicholas Day Open House - Tours Sacred Music Program
Wed. Dec. 8th	6 pm	Vespers <i>following Vespers</i> Parish Council meeting
Fri. Dec. 24th	6 pm	Vesperal Liturgy for Christmas

**Remember to read your Bible and pray every day!**

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

*See any Board member for a pledge form*

**ST. GEORGE ORTHODOX CHURCH OF PRESCOTT**

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Mike Winney, Bob Hunt, Jelena Timotijevic, Robert Frisby. Choir Director: Pres. Deborah

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2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sun. Nov. 28, 2010

Tone 2



Date	Readers
11-28	Mike Winney & Robert Frisby
12-5	Jelena Timotijevich & Mike Winney

**Matins Gospel: Luke 24:13-35**

**Resurrection Hymn - Tone 2**

When Thou did submit Thyself unto death, O Thou deathless and Immortal One, then Thou did destroy hell with Thy godly power! And when Thou did raise the dead from beneath the earth, all the powers of heaven did cry aloud unto Thee, "O Christ, Thou Giver of Life, glory to Thee!"

**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.

**Hymn of the Theotokos - Tone 2**

Exceedingly glorious beyond the power of thought are the mysteries, O Theotokos, For being sealed in purity and preserved in Virginity you were acknowledged to be, in very truth, the Mother who did bring forth the true God. Wherefore entreat Him to save our souls.

**Prokeimenon in 2nd Tone (Ps 118)**

The Lord is my strength and my song. He has become my salvation.

The Lord has chastened my sorely, but He has not given me over to death.

**Epistle: Ephesians 6:10-17**

**B**RETHREN, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we are not contending against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, against the powers, against the world rulers of this present darkness, against the spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. Therefore take the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand, therefore, having girded your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, and having shod your feet with the equipment of the gospel of peace; besides all these, taking the shield of faith, with which you can quench all the flaming darts of the evil one. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. +

**Alleluia in the 2nd Tone (Ps 20)**

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Lord answer you in the day of trouble! The Name of the God of Jacob protect you!

Save the king, O Lord, and hear us on the day we call!

**Gospel: Luke 18:18-27**

**A**T THAT TIME, a ruler came to Jesus and asked him, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: 'Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Honor your father and mother.' " And he said, "All these I have observed from my youth." And when Jesus heard it, he said to him, "One thing you still lack. Sell all that you have and distribute it to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." But when he heard this he became sad, for he was very rich. Jesus looking at him said, "How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God! For it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." Those who heard it said, "Then who can be saved?" But he said, "What is impossible with men is possible with God."+

**PRAYERS FOR OUR SEARCH BEFORE DISMISSAL**

*As we search and seek out a new location for our parish, we will be praying this prayer weekly during Liturgy, and ask you to pray it daily at home.*



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. To You we give glory, to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Almighty God, our Help and Refuge, who knows that we can do nothing right without Your guidance and help; direct us by Your wisdom and power, that we may accomplish this task and, whatever we do according to Your divine will, so that it may be beneficial to us, to others and to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.

Our Lord and Savior, 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,

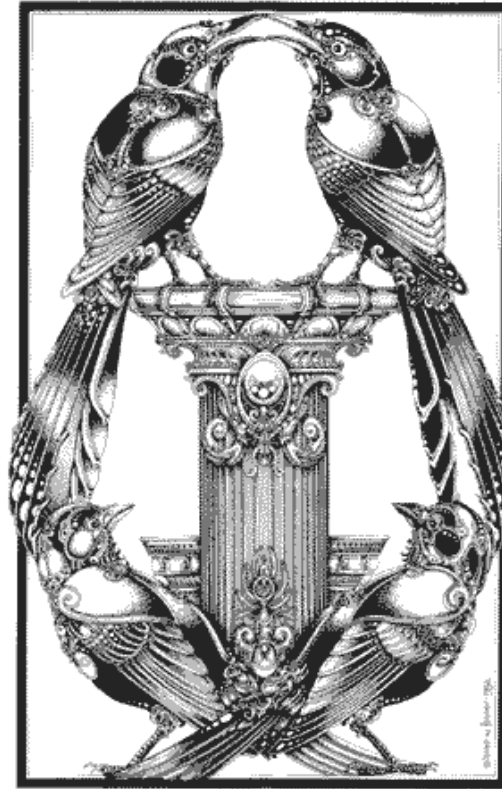
GIVE REST, O LORD, TO YOUR SERVANTS,

## 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 Hyde, 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:

George Komashko, 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.



# 12 Days of Christmas Mystery & Meaning

*We'll explore the origin, and real meaning of, the well loved, well known, but nonsensical carol, The Twelve Days of Christmas, only to see that it refers not to gift giving, but to a pilgrimage made from England to the Holy Land.*

*One of our LIVING FAITH Classes*

**11 am– 1 pm  
Sat. Dec. 18th**

**The class is free, but please let Fr. John know you are coming so there is enough handout material.**

## 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!

# 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.**



**Please sign up today to bring baked  
goods, drinks and goodies for our  
holiday visitors.**

**The sign up list is in the Narthex.**

## 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