



On Sunday, January 6, 2019 we commemorate:
The Theophany of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ
Theophan the Recluse



Ἀπολυτίκιον τῆς Ἑορτῆς

Ἐν Ἰορδάνῃ βαπτιζομένου σου Κύριε, ἡ τῆς
Τριάδος ἐφανερώθη προσκύνησις· τοῦ γὰρ
Γεννήτορος ἡ φωνὴ προσεμαρτύρει σοι,
ἀγαπητόν σε Υἱὸν ὀνομάζουσα· καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα
ἐν εἶδει περιστερεᾶς, ἐβεβαίῳ τοῦ λόγου τὸ
ἀσφαλές. Ὁ ἐπιφανεὶς Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, καὶ τὸν
κόσμον φωτίσας δόξα σοι.

Troparion of St. George

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλώτων ἐλευθερωτῆς, καὶ τῶν
πτωχῶν υπερασπιστῆς, ἀσθενούντων
ιατρός, βασιλέων υπέρμαχος, τροπαιοφόρε
μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ
τῷ Θεῷ θῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Κοντάκιον

Ἐπεφάνης σήμερον τῇ οἰκουμένῃ, καὶ τὸ
φῶς σου Κύριε, ἐσημειώθη ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, ἐν
ἐπιγνώσει ὑμνοῦντάς σε. Ἦλθες ἐφάνης τὸ
Φῶς τὸ ἀπρόσιτον.

Apolytikion of the Feast

As You were baptized in the Jordan, O Lord,
then the worship of the Trinity became manifest,
for the voice of the Father bore witness to You,
naming You the Beloved Son; and the Spirit, in
the form of a dove, confirmed the certainty of the
word. O Christ God, who appeared and illumined
the world, glory to You.

Troparion of St. George

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.

Kontakion

You appeared today to us * on earth, O Master,
* and Your light was signed on us * who cry
aloud to You and say * with understanding, O
Christ our God: You came and shone forth, O
Light unapproachable.



The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7

TITUS, my son, the grace of God has appeared for the salvation of all men, training us to renounce irreligion and worldly passions, and to live sober, upright, and godly lives in this world, awaiting our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of the great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all iniquity and to purify for himself a people of his own who are zealous for good deeds.

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of deeds done by us in righteousness, but in virtue of his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal in the Holy Spirit, which he poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that we might be justified by his grace and become heirs in hope of eternal life.



The Gospel according to Matthew 3:13-17

At that time, Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to John, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" But Jesus answered him, "Let it be so now; for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he consented. And when Jesus was baptized, he went up immediately from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and alighting on him; and lo, a voice from heaven, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."

PARISH INFORMATION

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Orthros: 9:00 AM Divine Liturgy: 10:00 AM

**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9 AM – 2 PM
Parish Office closed on Friday**

Church Usher Assignment

Sunday, January 6, 2019	Team B	Alexandra Casey, Brian Goodale, Scott Morlock
Sunday, January 13, 2019	Team C	Lucy Brady, Dimitrios Koutsopoulos, Athena Pagnotti

January Events

Sunday, January 6, 2019

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy
Parish Council Oath of Office
Epiphany Sanctification of Holy Water
Cutting of the Vasilopita

Tuesday, January 8, 2019

10:00 AM Soup Kitchen Prep
12:00 PM Soup Kitchen Serve – sponsored by Anna Ktenas in
Memory of Dimitrios, Diamando, & Thanasi Ktenas,
Elle Vagenas & Eleni Ktenas

Thursday, January 10, 2019

11:30 AM Senior Fellowship Meeting

Saturday, January 12, 2019

12:30 PM Tri-City Winter Party – Shaker Ridge Country Club

Sunday, January 13, 2019

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

6:30 PM AHEPA Chapter #125 Meeting

Thursday, January 17, 2019

5:30 PM Covered Dish Supper
6:30 PM Philoptochos Meeting

Sunday, January 20, 2019

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy
40 Day Memorial for Peter Zoulas

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

6:30 PM Parish Council Meeting

Sunday, January 27, 2019

9:00 AM Orthros
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy