



SUNDAY BULLETIN

Saint George Greek Orthodox Church
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10th Sunday of Luke

December 4, 2022



Today we celebrate the 10th Sunday of Luke, Barbara the Great Martyr
John the Righteous of Damascus, New Hieromartyr Seraphim, Bishop of the Phanar in
Greece



Welcome to St. George Greek Orthodox Church

Hymns of the Day

Ἀπολυτικίον Ἀναστάσιμον

Ἐξ ὕψους κατήλθες ὁ εὐσπλαγχνος, ταφήν
κατεδέξω τριήμερον, ἵνα ἡμᾶς
ἐλευθερώσης τῶν παθῶν. Ἡ ζωὴ καὶ ἡ
Ἀνάστασις ἡμῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Τῆς Ἁγίας

Βαρβάραν τὴν Ἁγίαν τιμήσωμεν· ἐχθροῦ
γὰρ τὰς παγίδας συνέτριψε, καὶ ὡς
στρουθίον ἐρρύσθη ἐξ αὐτῶν, βοθηεὶα καὶ
ὄπλῳ τοῦ Σταυροῦ ἡ Πάνσεμνος.

Τοῦ Ὁσίου

Ὁρθοδοξίας ὁδηγέ, εὐσεβείας διδάσκαλε
καὶ σεμνότητος, τῆς οἰκουμένης ὁ
φωστήρ, τῶν μοναστῶν τὸ θεόπνευστον
ἐγκαλλώπισμα, Ἰωάννη σοφέ, ταῖς
διδαχαῖς σου πάντας ἐφώτισας, λύρα τοῦ
Πνεύματος· πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ,
σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Apolytikion of St. George

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

Κοντάκιον

Ἡ Παρθένος σήμερον, τὸν προαιώνιον
Λόγον, ἐν Σπηλαίῳ ἔρχεται, ἀποτεκεῖν
ἀπορρήτως. Χόρευε ἡ οἰκουμένη
ἀκουτισθεῖσα, δόξασον μετὰ Ἀγγέλων καὶ
τῶν Ποιμένων, βουλευθέντα ἐποφθῆναι,
Παιδίον νέον, τὸν πρὸ αἰώνων Θεόν.

Resurrectional Apolytikion

You descended from on high, O
compassionate One, and condescended to be
buried for three days, so that from the
passions You might set us free. Our life and
resurrection, O Lord, glory be to You.

For the Holy Woman

Let us honor the all-virtuous Saint Barbara;
for she broke the snares of the enemy, and
she escaped from them like a bird, with the
Cross as her help and shield.

For the Devout Man

Guide of Orthodoxy and a sacred teacher of
piety and dignity, luminary of the world, and
God-inspired jewel of monastics, O wise John,
the Spirit's instrument: by your teachings you
enlightened all. Intercede with Christ our God
for the salvation of our souls.

Apolytikion 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

On this day the Virgin Maid * goes to the
grotto to give birth * to the pre-eternal Word
* in an ineffable manner. * Dance for joy, all
the inhabited earth, on hearing. * Glorify
along with Angels and with the shepherds *
Him who willed that He appear as * a
newborn Child, * the pre-eternal God.



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Epistle Reading Galatians 3:23-29:4:1-5

Brethren, before faith came, we were confined under the law, kept under restraint until faith should be revealed. So that the law was our custodian until Christ came, that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a custodian; for in Christ Jesus, you are all sons of God, through faith. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise. I mean that the heir, as long as he is a child, is no better than a slave, though he is the owner of all the estate; but he is under guardians and trustees until the date set by the father. So with us; when we were children, we were slaves to the elemental spirits of the universe. But when the time had fully come, God sent forth his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons.

Gospel Readings Luke 13:10-17

At that time, Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And there was a woman who had a spirit of infirmity for eighteen years; she was bent over and could not fully straighten herself. And when Jesus saw her, he called her and said to her, "Woman, you are freed from your infirmity." And he laid his hands upon her, and immediately she was made straight, and she praised God. But the ruler of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had healed on the sabbath, said to the people, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be healed, and not on the sabbath day." Then the Lord answered him, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to water it? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the sabbath day?" As he said this, all his adversaries were put to shame; and all the people rejoiced at all the glorious things that were done by him.

Today in Church

Stewardship Sunday Today - December 4, 2022 after Divine Liturgy in the Hellenic Center. A small lunch will be served in the Center and a presentation will be offered by Lucy Brady and Fr. Neofitos.

Church Usher Assignment

Sunday, December 4, 2022 Lucy Brady, Roubina Morgan

Sunday, December 11, 2022 Norina McGowen, Phil McGowen



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2022 PARISH COUNCIL: Brian Goodale, President; Maria Dostis, Vice President; Alexandra Casey, Treasurer; Balwant Kingra, Secretary; Roubina Morgan, Lucy Brady, Arji Cakouros, Dimitri Koutsopoulos

Upcoming Calendar

Sunday, December 4 2022	8:30 am Orthros – St. Margaret the Great 9:30 am Divine Liturgy
Monday, December 5, 2022	5:30 pm Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary 6:30 pm Bible Study/Book Club
Tuesday, December 6, 2022	8:30 am Orthros – Feast of St. Nicholas 9:30 am Divine Liturgy 5:30 pm Youth Meeting via Zoom
Wednesday, December 7, 2022	5:00 pm Adult Greek School via Zoom
Thursday, December 8, 2022	1:00 pm Senior Fellowship Christmas Party – Bellevue Cafe 4:30 pm Greek School
Friday, December 9, 2022	8:30 am Orthros – Feast of St Anna 9:30 am Divine Liturgy

Save the Dates

Important Upcoming Events in our Schedule

Saturday, December 10	10:00am – 3:00pm Christmas Boutique
Friday, December 16	8:00pm – 1:00am Vespers, Artoklasia, Orthros Divine Liturgy - Evening Vigil – Agrypnia For Sts. Daniel the Prophet & the Three Youths & St. Dionysius of Zakynthos
Sunday, December 18	Christmas Pageant & Bake Sale following Divine Liturgy
Sunday, January 8	8:30 am – 11:00 am Orthros & Divine Liturgy & Blessing of the Mohawk River at the Harbor behind Casino

Is a Member of our St George Family in the Hospital or Extended Care?

Please contact Fr. Neofitos with the name and location of any members of our Saint George family that may be in the hospital, Rehab or Nursing Home. Please indicate whether the need is urgent. Email Frneofitos@saintgeorgegoc.com or call 518-393-0742.

