



SUNDAY BULLETIN

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6th Sunday of Matthew

July 24, 2022



Today we celebrate Christina the Great Martyr of Tyre, Athenagorus the Apologist, Boris and Gleb, the Passion-bearers, Kapiton, Himenaos and Hermogenes, the Martyrs, Theophilus the New Martyr of Zakynthos.



Welcome to St. George Greek Orthodox Church

Hymns of the Day

Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον

Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον Πατρί καὶ Πνεύματι, τὸν ἐκ Παρθένου τεχθέντα εἰς σωτηρίαν ἡμῶν, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοὶ καὶ προσκυνήσωμεν, ὅτι ἠύδοκῆσε σαρκί, ἀνελεῖν ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, καὶ θάνατον ὑπομεῖναι, καὶ ἐγεῖραι τοὺς τεθνεώτας, ἐν τῇ ἐνδόξῳ Ἀναστάσει αὐτοῦ.

The Holy Great Martyr Christina

Ἡ ἀμνάς σου Ἰησοῦ, κράζει μεγάλη τῇ φωνῇ. Σὲ Νυμφίε μου ποθῶ, καὶ σὲ ζητοῦσα ἀθλῶ, καὶ συσταυροῦμαι καὶ συνθάπτομαι τῷ βαπτισμῷ σου· καὶ πάσχω διὰ σέ, ὡς βασιλεύσω σὺν σοί, καὶ θνήσκω ὑπὲρ σοῦ, ἵνα καὶ ζήσω ἐν σοί· ἀλλ' ὡς θυσίαν ἄμωμον προσδέχου τὴν μετὰ πόθου τυθεῖσάν σοι. Αὐτῆς πρεσβείαις, ὡς ἐλεήμων, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Apolytikion of St. George

Ὡς τῶν αιχμαλώτων ελευθερωτῆς, καὶ τῶν πτωχῶν υπερασπιστῆς, ασθενούντων ἰατρὸς, βασιλέων υπέρμαχος, τροπαιοφόρε μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ θῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Κοντάκιον

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθὴ, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἱκεσίαν, ἢ προστατεύουσα αἰεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

Resurrectional Apolytikion

Let us worship the Word who is unoriginate * with the Father and the Spirit, and from a Virgin was born * for our salvation, O believers, and let us sing His praise. * For in His goodness He was pleased * to ascend the Cross in the flesh, and to undergo death, * and to raise up those who had died, * by His glorious Resurrection.

The Holy Great Martyr Christina

Your maiden Martyr, like a lamb, cries out, "O Jesus, for You, * my pure Bridegroom, I long; and seeking You I compete; * and I am crucified and buried with You in Your baptism. * I suffer for Your sake, that I may reign with You. * I die for You that I may also live in You. * Accept me as an unblemished sacrifice * as I offer myself to You with love." * At her entreaties and intercessions, * save our souls, O Merciful Lord.

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

O Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never fails, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and ever those who honor you.



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Epistle Readings Romans 12:6-14

Brethren, having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; if service, in our serving; he who teaches, in his teaching; he who exhorts, in his exhortation; he who contributes, in liberality; he who gives aid, with zeal; he who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness. Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with brotherly affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Never flag in zeal, be aglow with the Spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in your hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints, practice hospitality. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them.

Gospel Readings Matthew 9: 1-8

At that time, getting into a boat Jesus crossed over and came to his own city. And behold, they brought to him a paralytic, lying on his bed; and when Jesus saw their faith he said to the paralytic, "Take heart, my son; your sins are forgiven." And behold, some of the scribes said to themselves, "This man is blaspheming." But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, "Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say 'Rise and walk?' But that you may know that the Son of man has authority on earth to forgive sins," he then said to the paralytic—"Rise, take up your bed and go home." And he rose and went home. When the crowds saw it, they were afraid, and they glorified God, who had given such authority to men.

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Adult Greek School Registration Begins

The Adult Greek Language School 2022-2023 begins on the Wednesday right after Labor Day via Zoom, it comprises 30 sessions and ends before mid-May. The tuition is \$300 per student. This includes the textbook for the first time a student takes any of the classes. The book is 'Modern Greek' 8th Edition, by Th. Papaloizos. Please click below for more information. Register Now: <https://forms.gle/eLEBhMoedJy6sdcz5>



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Summer Services – Sundays 8:30 am Orthros and 9:30 am Divine Liturgy

August - Dekapentavgousto

Monday, August 1

*6:30 pm Small Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 2

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Wednesday, August 3

*6:30 pm Small Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Thursday, August 4

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Friday, August 5 *6:30 pm Vespers for Transfiguration of Christ

Saturday, August 6 - Transfiguration of Christ

*8:30 am Orthros & 9:30 am Divine Liturgy and blessing of the grapes

Sunday, August 7

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Monday, August 8

*6:30 pm Small Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 9

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Wednesday, August 10

*6:30 pm Small Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Thursday, August 11

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Tuesday, August 10

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Wednesday, August 11

*6:30 pm Small Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Thursday, August 12

*6:30 pm Great Paraklesis to the Virgin Mary

Sunday, August 14

*6:30 pm Great Vespers

Location: The Assumption Church in Windham, NY

Monday, August 15 - The Dormition of our Most Holy Lady the Theotokos and Ever Virgin Mary

*8:30 am Orthros & 9:30 am Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, August 16 - The Image of Christ Made-Without-Hands

* 9:10 am Hours and Divine Liturgy

Location: Christ the Savior in Ballston Lake, NY

Saturday, August 27

St. Phanourios

*8:30 am Orthros & 9:30 am Divine Liturgy and Phanouropita