



# SUNDAY BULLETIN

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Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women

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## ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ ΑΝΕΣΤΗ!



## CHRIST IS RISEN!

## HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day Flowers donated in memory of Fanny Aliferis, Anna Argyros, Sophie Corsones, Mary Ferro, Ann Lambrose, Helen Pagones, Irene Stathis, Mary Stathis, Theresa Yavornicky.

**Mother's Day Cake & Coffee Hour sponsored by the Thursday Morning Boys.**



# Welcome to St. George Greek Orthodox Church

## Hymns of the Day

### **Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον**

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

Ὅτε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ Ζωὴ ἡ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν Ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας τῇ ἀστραπῇ τῆς Θεότητος, ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεώτας ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

Ὁ εὐσχήμων Ἰωσήφ, ἀπὸ τοῦ ξύλου καθελών, τὸ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα, σινδόνι καθαρᾷ, εἰλήσας καὶ ἀρώμασιν, ἐν μνήματι καινῷ, κηδεύσας ἀπέθετο· ἀλλὰ τριήμερος ἀνέστης Κύριε, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Ταῖς μυροφόροις Γυναιξί, παρὰ τὸ μνήμα ἐπιστάς, ὁ Ἄγγελος ἐβόα· Τὰ μύρα τοῖς θνητοῖς ὑπάρχει ἀρμόδια, Χριστὸς δὲ διαφθορᾶς ἐδείχθη ἀλλότριος, ἀλλὰ κραυγάσατε· Ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

### **Apolytikion of St. George**

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

### **Κοντάκιον**

Εἰ καὶ ἐν τάφῳ κατήλθες Ἀθάνατε, ἀλλὰ τοῦ ἄδου καθεῖλες τὴν δύναμιν· καὶ ἀνέστης ὡς νικητῆς, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, γυναιξί Μυροφόροις φθεγξάμενος, Χαίρετε, καὶ τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοις εἰρήνην δωρούμενος, ὁ τοῖς πεσοῦσι παρέχων ἀνάστασιν.

### **Resurrectional Apolytikion**

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life.

### **Resurrectional Apolytikion**

When You descended unto death, O Lord who yourself are immortal Life, then did You mortify Hades by the lightning flash of Your Divinity. Also when You raised the dead from the netherworld, all the Powers of the heavens were crying out: O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You.

When he took down Your immaculate Body from the Cross, the honorable Joseph wrapped it in a clean linen shroud with spices and laid it for burial in a new tomb. But on the third day You arose, O Lord, and granted the world Your great mercy.

The Angel standing at the sepulcher cried out and said to the ointment-bearing women: The ointments are appropriate for mortal men, but Christ has been shown to be a stranger to decay. So go and cry aloud, The Lord has risen and granted the world His great mercy.

### **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**

Though You went down into the tomb, O Immortal One, yet You brought down the dominion of Hades; and You rose as the victor, O Christ our God; and You called out "Rejoice" to the Myrrh-bearing women, and gave peace to Your Apostles, O Lord who to the fallen grant resurrection.



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## **Readings of the Day**

### **Epistle Readings 1 Jn. 1:1-7**

That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life - the life was made manifest, and we saw it, and testify to it, and proclaim to you the eternal life which was with the Father and was made manifest to us - that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you may have fellowship with us; and our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ. And we are writing this that our joy may be complete. This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him is no darkness at all. If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not live according to the truth; but if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.

### **Gospel Readings Mark 15:43-47; 16:1-8**

At that time, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus. And Pilate wondered if he were already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him whether he was already dead. And when he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the body to Joseph. And he bought a linen shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud, and laid him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Jesus saw where he was laid. And when the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week they went to the tomb when the sun had risen. And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the door of the tomb?" And looking up, they saw that the stone was rolled back; for it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, "Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here; see the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him, as he told you." And they went out and fled from the tomb; for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

### **Upcoming Memorial**

On Wednesday, May 11 at 4 pm we will commemorate the 40-day Memorial for Stavroula Avramidis. May her memory be eternal.

### **Usher Assignments**

Sunday, May 8 - Toni Kananis, Arji Cakouros

Sunday, May 15 - Panos Rallatos, Brian Goodale

# St. George Greek Orthodox Church June 4th Baseball outing with the TriCity ValleyCats



Join the St. George Greek Orthodox Church Parish and Fellowship as we celebrate our Community and Greek Heritage and Culture.

Join all of us, Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> as our Capital Region Hometown Heroes, the TriCity ValleyCats, take on their Can-Am Conference rivals - Trois-Rivieres Aigles.

**Pre-sale sign-up and tickets are available now.**

Add your name and donation to our growing list and share the news with your family and friends as well.

**Joseph L. Bruno Stadium (in Hudson Valley Community College)**

**80 Vandenberg Ave, Troy, NY 12180**

**"The Joe" - Picnic Pavilion**

**Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, Game Time is 7:00 pm (arrive at 6:00pm for picnic)**

**Accommodates 20-300 guests.**

**Pricing: \$45 per adult/child 12 & under**

**\*Each guest attending a picnic at "The Joe" will receive a FREE ValleyCats cap!**

**Buy your Ticket now! <https://st-george-fundraiser.square.site/>**

Enjoy a delicious pre-game dinner, then head to your reserved box seats to enjoy the game! Each guest receives a souvenir ValleyCats cap!

**\*\_Each Person Receives: \*\_BBQ chicken, pulled pork, hot dog, pasta salad, coleslaw, dinner roll, soda or water. \*Menu is subject to change\***

***Picnic is served upon arrival between 1-hour prior to first pitch until posted game time which is 7pm.***

Event is organized by Ahepa chapter 125 and St. George Fundraising Committee. Ticket sale proceeds to go toward improvements in the church and the Hellenic center.