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# BULLETIN

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Sunday of Orthodoxy

March 5, 2023



Today we celebrate the Sunday of Orthodoxy, Conon the Gardener Parthenios the New Martyr who contested in Didymoteichos and Mark the Ascetic.



# Welcome to St. George Greek Orthodox Church

## HYMNS OF THE DAY

### Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον

Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον Πατρὶ καὶ Πνεύματι,  
τὸν ἐκ Παρθένου τεχθέντα εἰς σωτηρίαν  
ἡμῶν, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοὶ καὶ  
προσκυνησωμεν, ὅτι ἠυδόκησε σαρκί,  
ἀνελθεῖν ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, καὶ θάνατον  
ὑπομεῖναι, καὶ ἐγείρει τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐν τῇ  
ἐνδόξῳ Ἀναστάσει αὐτοῦ.

### Τῆς Ἑορτῆς

Τὴν ἄχραντον Εἰκόνα σου, προσκυνοῦμεν  
ἀγαθέ, αἰτούμενοι συγχώρησιν τῶν  
παισμάτων ἡμῶν, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός· βουλήσει  
γὰρ ἠυδόκησας σαρκί, ἀνελθεῖν ἐν τῷ  
Σταυρῷ, ἵνα ῥύσῃ οὓς ἐπλασας, ἐκ τῆς  
δουλείας τοῦ ἐχθροῦ· ὅθεν εὐχαρίστως  
βοῶμέν σοι· Χαῖρε ἐπλήρωσας τὰ πάντα ὁ  
Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν, παραγενόμενος εἰς τὸ σῶσαι  
τὸν κόσμον.

### Apolytikion of St. George

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλῶτων ελευθερωτῆς, καὶ τῶν  
πτωχῶν υπερασπιστῆς, ἀσθενούντων ἰατρὸς,  
βασιλέων υπέρμαχος, τροπαιοφόρε  
μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ  
τῷ Θεῷ θῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς,

### Κοντάκιον

Τῇ ὑπερμάχῳ στρατηγῷ τὰ νικητήρια,  
Ἀναγράφω σοι ἡ Πόλις σου Θεοτόκε. Ἀλλ' ὡς  
ἔχουσα τὸ κράτος ἀπροσμάχητον, Ἐκ  
παντοίων με κινδύνων ἐλευθέρωσον, Ἴνα  
κράζῃ σοι· Χαῖρε νύμφη ἀνύμφευτε.

### 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.

### For the Feast

We venerate Your immaculate icon, O good  
Lord, and entreat You to forgive our offences,  
O Christ our God. By Your own choice you were  
pleased to ascend the Cross in the flesh, to  
deliver us, whom You created, from our slavery  
to the foe. Therefore, we cry to You with  
gratitude: You have filled all things with joy, O  
our Savior, by coming to save the world.

### 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 Champion General, I your City now inscribe  
to you, Being rescued from the terrors, O  
Theotokos. Inasmuch as you have power  
unassailable, From all kinds of perils free me,  
so that unto you I may cry aloud: Rejoice, O  
unwedded Bride.



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## **Epistle Hebrews 11:24-26,32-40**

Brethren, by faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to share ill-treatment with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. He considered abuse suffered for the Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he looked to the reward. And what more shall I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets—who through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign enemies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and scourging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were killed with the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, ill-treated — of whom the world was not worthy — wandering over deserts and mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, though well attested by their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had foreseen something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect.

## **Gospel Readings John 1:43-51**

At that time, Jesus decided to go to Galilee. And he found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael, and he said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." Jesus saw Nathanael coming to him, and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile!" Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, I saw you under the fig tree, do you believe? You shall see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of man."

## **Today in Church**

### **Usher Assignment**

Sunday, March 5, 2023

Toni Kananis, Arji Cakouros

Sunday, March 12 2023

Lucy Brady, Jan Gallas

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## Upcoming Events

Sunday, March 5, 2023

8:30am Orthros – Sunday of Orthodoxy  
9:30am Divine Liturgy & Procession of Icons  
12:15pm Philoptochos Meeting  
5:00pm Lenten Vespers- St. Basil, Watervliet  
(Κατανυκτικός Εσπερινός)

Monday, 6, 2023

5:30pm Great Compline  
6:30pm Fund Raising Committee Meeting

Tuesday, March 7, 2023

5:45pm Youth Meeting via Zoom

Wednesday, March 8, 2023

5:00pm Adult Greek School via Zoom  
7:00pm Presanctified Liturgy & dinner- Hudson Valley  
Clergy visiting

Thursday, March 9, 2023

11:30am Senior Fellowship Meeting  
4:30pm Greek School  
4:45pm Great Compline  
6:00pm Zoom Lenten Lecture & Dinner – Fr. John Vlahos

Friday, March 10, 2023

6:30pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Salutation to the Virgin Mary  
(Οι Χαιρετισμοί της Θεοτόκου)

Sunday, March 12, 2023

8:30am Orthros – Sunday of St. Gregory Palamas  
8:30am Divine Liturgy  
5:00pm Lenten Vespers, St. George, South Glens Falls  
(Κατανυκτικός Εσπερινός)