

ST. GEORGE ORTHODOX CHURCH

His Eminence Metropolitan PHILIP, Primate
Very Rev. Father Joseph Kimmett, Pastor
Very Rev. Father Nifon Abraham, Pastor Emeritus



20 JULY 2008

5TH SUNDAY
AFTER
PENTECOST:

PROPHET
ELIAS

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS AND FRIENDS.
IT IS A BLESSING TO HAVE YOU WITH US AT SAINT GEORGE .
IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT OUR PARISH,
OR THE ORTHODOX CHURCH, PLEASE SEE THE PRIEST.

ONLY THOSE ORTHODOX CHRISTIANS WHO ARE REPENTANT OF THEIR
SINS AND HAVE PREPARED THEMSELVES THROUGH FASTING ARE INVITED
TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION. EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO VENERATE
THE CROSS AND SHARE HOLY BREAD FOLLOWING THE LITURGY.

THIS WEEK AT SAINT GEORGE

Next Sunday - Matins 9:00 am / Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

*There is fasting on Wednesday and Friday this week.
The Dormition Fast begins August 1st and continues through the 14th. There is
katalysis for oil and wine on Saturdays and Sunday, and for fish, wine and oil on
August 6th, the Feast of the Transfiguration.*

HOLY BREAD

The gifts are offered today by Katherine Howard and her family, in memory of Halem. A one-year memorial will be served at the conclusion of the Liturgy.

COFFEE HOUR

Please stop downstairs after Liturgy today for coffee and refreshments; sponsored by Katherine Howard, in memory of Halem.

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CLERGY SYMPOSIUM AND SOYO MEETING

Father Joseph leaves tomorrow for Antiochian Village where the biennial Clergy Symposium will take place. Bishops, priests and deacons from all over the archdiocese will be in attendance. The topic this year is *Christianity and Islam*. As the symposium concludes, the Summer Meetings and NAC SOYO Leadership Conference begin and run through early next week. Father Joseph, as the Spiritual Advisor for the Diocese of New England Teen SOYO, will be attending.

If you should have an emergency, requiring the attention of a priest, please contact Council Chairwoman Leeann Plouffe, who will be able to assist. She is likely to be on her cell phone, so call .

ALSO AT THE VILLAGE

While archdiocese clergy and lay leaders are at the Conference Center, hundreds of young people are attending church camp at the Village.



Currently the third session is underway, at which you will find *Nick and Zach Kimmett* and *Nicholas Kelley*. The fourth session which begins in a week will include *Jenna Weiskerger, Leah Shalbey* and *Brian Boudreau*. If you want to check up on these folks, or just enjoy a few photos from camp, visit the web-site for daily pictures and stories: www.antiochianvillage.org/camp/memories.html

PARISH HALL AND KITCHEN PAINTED



Thanks to the team of painters who recently completed painting the parish hall **and most recently the kitchen**. Stop in after Liturgy and check out the new color scheme.

DIOCESAN FELLOWSHIP JOINS HABITAT



The Diocesan Fellowship of St.

John the Divine is sponsoring a day working with Habitat for Humanity on the Cape.

It will be Saturday, August 9th from 8:00am to 3:30 pm at one of two sites in Falmouth. More details will be forthcoming.

AUGUST DATES

The month of August brings the *Dormition Fast*, a two-week period of preparation for the Feast of the Falling Asleep of the Mother of God. The *Paraklesis* will be served on the 4th, 7th & 11th at 8:00 pm. For the Feast, *Vespers & Artoklasia* will be served on the 14th at 7:00 pm and *Divine Liturgy* on the 15th at 9:00 am.

Also in August is the Feast of the *Transfiguration*, on the 6th and the *Beheading of the Forerunner*, on the 29th; Liturgy both days is at 9:00 am

DIRECTORY UPDATES

Below are new addresses for two parishioners. Please remember, if you move, get a new phone or email address to let us know. If you have an email and aren't receiving *E-Notes From The Church*, please send Father Joseph a note and he will add you to the list.

Katherine Howard
same phone

Frances McDermott

A Gigantic



Saturday, September 6th

Beginning at 8:00 am

Bring items to the Saint George starting August 17th

**Plus: The General Store,
and burgers & dogs at lunch**

 and while you are marking your calendars ...

THE STREET FESTIVAL

RETURNS SEPTEMBER, 12, 2009

TOTAL DEPOSIT <i>JUNE 6 & 13</i>	PLEDGES	LONG-RANGE (MEMORIALS & DONATIONS)	TRAY	SPECIAL TRAY	COFFEE HOUR OUTREACH BASKET
\$4427.00	\$1050.00	\$2885.00	\$314.00	N.A.	\$78.00



PRAYERS OF OBLATION AND DONATIONS

Frances McDermott *in memory of Halem Howard*
 Kay Mike *for the health of Evelyn Shade and in memory of Barbara Mike*
 Charles Kapetanakis *for the health of Paul*

Rich & Leeann Plouffe, George & Catherine Keches, Sarah Kelley, John Shalhoub, Anthony & Jane Gulla, Brian & Marlene Lupaczyk, Suzanne Potts, Frederick Dunne Jr., Delia Bartucca, Nick & Jackie Saber, Ernest & Sally Peter, George & Anne Shagoury, John & Priscilla Shagoury, Richard & Violet Robbat, Anthony & Sarah Grasso, Sophie Boulis, Elizabeth Lasden, Anthony Bashir, Joseph & Mary Shagoury, Helen Abril & Family, Josephine Purpura, J.M. David, L.M. Resha, Stephen Lasden, Philip & Rose Tawa, Heather Lincoln, Robert & Nanette Dickson, David & Cindy Dunn, Robert & Paula Horne, Nick & Doris Copoulos, Alma Haddad, Dolores Elias, Marylou Catelli, Jeff & Marcia Shapiro, Sam & Beverly DiFlaminies, James & Mary Alto, Michael & Samera Mike, Peter & Mildred Metro, Lila & Deborah Leotsakos, Carolyn Ferris, Michael & Marilyn Robbat, Helen Kelley, Kenneth & Janet Webster, Annie Tolia, Mary Cali, Joyce Tarabanovic, Roger Ferris, Joseph & Loretta Eysie, Frederick & Linda Dunn, Alfred & Janet Palmariello, Mitchell & Mary Hallal, Joseph & Nancy Conti, Carolyn Solomon, Stephen & Nella Pazniokas, Frederick & Elizabeth Tomm, Regina Jennings, Harold & Janet Kane, Lillie Kelley, Don & Camille Florio, Joseph & Elizabeth Curran, Nancy Wildes, Edward & Mary Kwiatkowski, Roger Eysie & Family, George Eysie & Family, Patricia Shalbey, Sandy - Linda & Robert Thomas, Robert & Nancy Deeb, Nancy Jones & Family, Margaret Saba & Family, Jim & Odette Abdelnour, Alex & Mary Deeb, June Wolff, John Howard, Emailie Eakle, Peter & Beverly Veglas, Paul & Christine Grady, Ida & Helen Rossetsky, Julia Philips, Mitch & Mary Thomas, Ernest Khouri, Rachel Pazarskis, George & Lovee Thomas, Frank & Eleen Cusick, Mr & Mrs Nick Shaheen, Catherine Destitso, Lowella Cardood, Bruno & Reggie DiCicco, Margaret Domet, Marion Redonnet, Father John Kastsoulo & Family, Marwan & Ibtisam Samman, Nancy Connors, Jane O'Brien, Mr & Mrs James Dunn, Cameron & Sandra Kelley, Sarah Pucci, Rosemary Shore, Michelle Mabardy & Family and anonymous donors *in memory of Edward Kelley*

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Pray for the good health of the servants of God: Archpriest Edward, Priest Robert, Khouriyee Elizabeth, Deacon Elias, Stephanie, Mary, Florence, Alice, Hayes, Katrina, Elsa, John, Jeanne, Gregory, Albert, Dimitri, James, Frederick, Anne, Grace, Renee, Robert, Nicole, Mary, Pauline, Ioana, Nicolae, Kathleen, Lillie, Jennifer, Carrie, Sam, Camille, Michael, Mikayla, Christopher, Nancy, Kenneth, Joy, Claudia, Thomas, Sarah, Nicholas, Charles, Catherine, Joyce, Janice, Barbara, Beverly, John, Katherine, Mary, Beverly, Najlae, Irene, Edmond, Helen, George, Frances, Marlene, Felecia, Catherine, Lana, Gail, Margaret, Brian, Nicole, Marion, Donna, Linda, Edmond, Emaline, Carrie, Nicholas, George, Lovee, Elizabeth, Sarah, Charles, Jenine, Josephine, George, Sandy, Edward, Michael, Madeline, Rosemary, John, Margaret, Sarah, Nima, Dean, David, Sterling, William, Mary.

SUNDAY 20 JULY 2008 • FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

TONE 4 • EOTHINON 5 • PROPHET ELIAS

Eisodikon

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ, O Son of God, who art risen from the dead, save us who sing unto thee, Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Troparion of the Resurrection (Tone 4)

Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel, the women Disciples cast from them their parental condemnation, and proudly broke the news to the Disciples, saying, Death hath been spoiled. Christ God is risen, granting the world Great Mercy.

Troparion of Prophet Elias (Tone 4)

O angelic of body, pillar of the Prophets and their corner-stone, the forerunner of the Second Coming of Christ, the venerable and glorious Elijah, thou didst send grace from on high to Elisha to dispel sicknesses and to purify lepers. Wherefore, he ever overfloweth with healing to those who honour him.

Troparion of Saint George, Patron of our Community (Tone 4)

As deliverer of captives, and defender of the poor, healer of the infirm, champion of kings, victorious Great-Martyr George, intercede with Christ our God, for our souls' salvation.

Kontakion (Tone 2)

O Undisputed intercessor of Christians, the mediatrix unrejected by the Creator, turn not away from the voice of our petitions, though we be sinners. Come to us in time,

EPISTLE & GOSPEL

Prokeimenon and Verse:

You are a priest forever after the order of Melchizadek. The Lord said to my lord; "Sit at my right hand, till I make your enemies my footstool."

The Reading is from Apostle James Universal Letter (5:10-20 - for the Prophet)

Brethren, take as an example of suffering and patience, brethren, take the prophets who spoke in the

name of the Lord. Behold, we call those happy who were steadfast. You have heard of the steadfastness of Job, and you have seen the purpose of the Lord, how the Lord is compassionate and merciful. But above all, my brethren, do not swear, either by heaven or by earth or with any other oath, but let your yes be yes and your no be no, that you may not fall under condemnation. Is any one among you suffering? Let him pray. Is any cheerful? Let him sing praise. Is any among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord; and the prayer of faith will save the sick man, and the Lord will raise him up; and if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man has great power in its effects. Eli'jah was a man of like nature with ourselves and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again and the heaven gave rain, and the earth brought forth its fruit. My brethren, if any one among you wanders from the truth and some one brings him back, let him know that whoever brings back a sinner from the error of his way will save his soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

Alleluia

The Reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew

(8:28-9:1 5th Sunday)

Glory to Thee O Lord, Glory to Thee

When Jesus came to the other side, to the country of the Gadarenes, two demoniacs met him, coming out of the tombs, so fierce that no one could pass that way. And behold, they cried out, "What have you to do with us, O Son of God? Have you come here to torment us before the time?" Now a herd of many swine was feeding at some distance from them. And the demons begged him, "If you cast us out, send us away into the herd of swine." And he said to them, "Go." So they came out and went into the swine; and behold, the whole herd rushed down the steep bank into the sea, and perished in the waters. The herdsmen fled, and going into the city they told everything, and what had happened to the demoniacs. And behold, all the city came out to meet Jesus; and when they saw him, they begged him to leave their neighborhood. And getting into a boat he crossed over and came to his own city.

Glory to Thee O Lord, Glory to Thee
