

**Our Vision: *To know and love Christ, sharing His love with others***

May 17th, 2015

**Tone 5 Troparion (Resurrection)**  
 Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born for our salvation from the Virgin; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead// by His glorious Resurrection.

**Tone 4 Kontakion (from the Pentecostarion)**  
 I come to You, O Christ, blind from birth in my spiritual eyes, and call to You in repentance:// “You are the most radiant Light of those in darkness.”

**Tone 8 Kontakion (Pascha)**  
 You descended into the tomb, O Immortal, You destroyed the power of death. In victory You arose, O Christ God, proclaiming: “Rejoice!” to the Myrrhbearing Women,// granting peace to Your Apostles, and bestowing resurrection on the fallen.

**Tone 8 Prokeimenon (Resurrection)**  
 Pray and make your vows before the Lord, our God!  
 (Ps 75/76:11)

*v: In Judah God is known; His name is great in Israel. (Ps 75/76:1)*

**Epistle Acts 16:16-34**

**Tone 8 Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**  
*v. Look upon me and have mercy on me! (Ps 118/119:132) v. Guide my steps according to Your word! (Ps 118/119:133)*

**Gospel John 9:1-38**

*(Instead of “It is truly meet ...,” we sing:)*  
 The Angel cried to the Lady, full of grace:  
 “Rejoice, O pure Virgin! Again, I say: ‘Rejoice, your Son is risen from His three days in the tomb!

**Today’s commemorated feasts and saints**

**6th SUNDAY OF PASCHA — Tone 5. Blind Man.**

Apostle Andronicus of the Seventy and his fellow-laborer, Junia (1st c.). St. Euphrosyne (Princess Eudoxia) of Moscow (1407). Martyrs Solochon, Pamphamer, and Pamphalon, at Chalcedon (284-305). St. Stephen, Archbishop of Constantinople (893).

With Himself He has raised all the dead.”  
 Rejoice, O ye people!



Shine, shine, O New Jerusalem!  
 The glory of the Lord has shone on you!  
 Exult now, and be glad, O Zion!  
 Be radiant, O pure Theotokos,  
 in the Resurrection of your Son!  
**Communion Hymns**  
 Receive the Body of Christ; taste the fountain of immortality! Praise the Lord from the heavens! Praise Him in the highest!  
 (Ps 148:1)  
 Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.



# Announcements

**Today** at 4:30 PM there will be a **Neighborhood Association** Meeting at the Church.

Our vacancy on Parish Council has been filled! **Kayla Devitto-Skiles** has volunteered and has been elected to Parish Council. Congratulations Kayla! We look forward to having you as part of the leadership team of this parish!

This coming Thursday is one of the 12 Great Feasts in the Church Year - The **Ascension of our Lord**. We will be having a Vespertal Liturgy on Wednesday evening at 6:30 to celebrate this important event in the life of our Lord Jesus and in our salvation!

Saturday May 23 from 11 am to 1 pm There will be a **memorial day celebration** (like a block party) on 19th street near the church. This is a neighborhood event, of which our church is a part. Help is needed, in particular face-painters (please see Fr Stacey if you can help with this). Come out and reach out into our neighborhood!

**Bishop Paul** will be visiting our church on the week-end of **June 7!** The plan is for both *Bruce Miller* and *Jeff Byrnes* to be tonsured readers by the Bishop.

## WELCOME VISITORS!

We are delighted to have visitors worship with us, and we pray that you will be blessed in your time with us! Regarding participation in the Lord's Supper, Holy Communion is treated with the utmost respect and reverence in the Orthodox Church, and it is the rule that only practicing Orthodox Christians may receive it. Our non-Orthodox guests are welcome, however, to participate with us in any other way they may desire, and are welcome to join us in venerating the Cross and receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy.

### Please Join us for Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy in the Social Hall!



If this is your first visit to our parish, we welcome you and invite you to return as often as you are able. For those interested in learning more about Orthodox Christianity please ask any of our church community – or feel free to contact Fr Stacey. Our parish library is available for your reading interests. Children are welcome to join church school classes after liturgy.

### CONFESSIONS

Fr Stacey can usually hear confessions after any weekday service or after Saturday Vespers. He is also available by appointment, or during his regular office hours.

#### Mission Statement:

Bringing the love of Christ to our community through prayer, worship, fellowship, discipleship, service, and outreach within the tradition of historic Orthodox Christianity.

#### This Week:

Today

<b>Hours</b>	<b>9:10 AM</b>
<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	<b>11:15 AM</b>
<b>Church School</b>	<b>11:45 AM</b>

Monday

<b>Parish Council</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>
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Wednesday

<b>Vespertal Liturgy</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
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Saturday

<b>Great Vespers</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
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Next Sunday

<b>Hours</b>	<b>9:15 AM</b>
<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	<b>11:15 AM</b>
<b>Church School</b>	<b>11:30 AM</b>

Going to miss a service? Listen online to our Divine Liturgy and other Orthodox Christian Teachings INBN.net

### Coffee Hour Schedule



**MAY17** KKW, KISHA, MONAHAN, KOSITA

**MAY24** MUDRAK, WAGSTER, BLANCHARD

**MAY 31** LEWIS, FRISCHKORN, BYRNES, DEGENHART

**JUNE 7** ARCHER, T.MANOS, CONDO

**JUNE 14** WESCOTT, ROMANO, MATHEWSON

**JUNE 21** FEDORKO, MILLERTER, POWELL, BRANDON

**JUNE 28** HAYWOOD, HUBA, KRAJCI, KOSITA