

**SUNDAY, JULY 15 TONE 5** Sixth Sunday after Pentecost  
Commemoration of the Holy Fathers of the first Six  
Ecumneical Councils

**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 8 Troparion** (*Holy Fathers*)

You are most glorious, O Christ our God!  
You have established the Holy Fathers as lights on the earth.  
Through them You have guided us to the true Faith.// O greatly  
compassionate One, glory to You!

**Tone 5 Kontakion** (*Resurrection*)

You descended into hell, O my Savior,  
shattering its gates as Almighty,  
resurrecting the dead as Creator,  
and destroying the sting of death.  
You have delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Man,// and  
we cry to You: "O Lord, save us!"

**Tone 8 Kontakion** (*Holy Fathers*)

The Apostles' preaching and the Fathers' doctrines have  
established one Faith for the Church.  
Adorned with the robe of truth, woven from heavenly  
theology,// it defines and glorifies the great mystery of piety.

**Tone 5 Prokeimenon**

You, O Lord, shall protect us and preserve us from this  
generation forever. (*Ps 11/12:7*)  
v: *Save me, O Lord, for there is no longer any that is godly!* (*Ps*  
*11/12:1*)

**Tone 4 Prokeimenon** (*Song of the Three Children*)

Blessed are You, O Lord God of our fathers, and praised and  
glorified is Your name forever! (*Song of the three Holy*  
*Children, v. 3*)



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But, as it is written: "What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man conceived, what God has prepared for those who love Him," But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God. For what man knows the things of a man except the spirit of the man which is in him? Even so no one knows the things of God except the Spirit of God. Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God. These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is rightly judged by no one. For "who has known the mind of the LORD that he may instruct Him?" But we have the mind of Christ. And I, brethren, could not speak to you as to spiritual people but as to carnal, as to babes in Christ. I fed you with milk and not with solid food; for until now you were not able to receive it, and even now you are still not able; for you are still carnal. For where there are envy, strife, and divisions among you, are you not carnal and behaving like mere men? For when one says, "I am of Paul," and another, "I am of Apollos," are you not carnal? Who then is Paul, and who is Apollos, but ministers through whom you believed, as the Lord gave to each one? I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase. So then neither he who plants is anything, nor he who waters, but God who gives the increase. Now he who plants and he who waters are one, and each one will receive his own reward according to his own labor.

**Tone 4**

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

v: *Go forth, prosper and reign, for the sake of meekness,*  
*righteousness and truth!* (*Ps 44/45:5*)

v: *For You love righteousness, and hate iniquity.* (*Ps 44/45:8*)



### Matthew 9:1-8 (Gospel)

So He got into a boat, crossed over, and came to His own city. Then behold, they brought to Him a paralytic lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith, He said to the paralytic, "Son, be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you." And at once some of the scribes said within themselves, "This Man blasphemes!" But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, "Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven you,' or to say, 'Arise and walk'?"

But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins" - then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house." And he arose and departed to his house. Now when the multitudes saw it, they marveled and glorified God, who had given such power to men.



### Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from  
the heavens! Praise  
Him in the highest!  
(Ps 148:1)

Rejoice in the Lord,  
O you righteous;  
praise befits the  
just! (Ps 32/33:1)

Alleluia, Alleluia,  
Alleluia.

### July Birthdays

Lukas Manos 7/16

Celine Kosita 7/17

Liz Cerrato 7/21

Mike Croston 7/25

Sally Wescott 7/27

coffee hour schedule

**July 16** - PICNIC

**July 23** - Manos Manos,  
Hoffman, Vorkapich

**July . 30** Huba, Wescott,  
Mailat

**Aug. 6** Gates, Gates,  
Brandon

**Aug 13** Condo, Tapyrik,  
Nikishin - DORMITION FEST

**Aug. 20** - Byrnes, Haywood,  
Mathewson

### Upcoming

**Sunday, July 16**

9:10 Hours

9:30 Liturgy

Parish Picnic

**Wednesday, July 19th**

**6:30pm Daily**

**Vespers**

**Saturday, July**

**22**

**5:00pm Great**

**Vespers**

**Sunday, July 23**

9:10 Hours

9:30 Liturgy

**For your calendar:**

**July 21& 22 (Fri & Sat)-Pierogies**

**Aug 1-14: Dormition Fast**

**Aug 13-Dormition Fest**

### WELCOME VISITORS

We are delighted to have visitors with us. We pray that you will be blessed in your time with us. Holy Communion is treated with reverence, respect and preparation in the Orthodox Church. Orthodox Christians prepare with confession, prayer, and fasting. Our non-Orthodox guests are welcome to participate with us in any other ways including venerating the icons, Cross and receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of Liturgy.

Please join us today at Schneider Park (across from GlenOak H.S.) for our Parish Picnic immediately following the Divine Liturgy. Please be sure to BRING YOUR OWN table service and beverage. If you would like to bring yard games (corn hole, bocce ball, yard golf, etc) feel free.

Father John, on his first Sunday with us, wishes to extend his gratitude to all of those that helped his family move into their new home. They are happily settling in. He asks that the parishioners keep him in mind in times of need, whether that be confession, hospital visits, or any other spiritual concern.