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> NOVEMBER 6, 2022 7<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LUKE Paul the Confessor

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## FOR THE HIERARCH. MODE 3.

Your confession of the true divine faith \* manifested you unto the whole Church \* as another Paul and zealot among the priests. \* With you together is shouting the righteous blood \* of Zacharias and Abel unto the Lord. \* Holy Father Paul, beseech Christ our God fervently, \* entreating that He grant us His great mercy.

Θείας πίστεως ὁμολογία, ἄλλον Παῦλον σε τῆ Ἐκκλησία, ζηλωτὴν ἐν ἱερεῦσιν ἀνέδειξε, Συνεκβοᾶ σοι καὶ Ἄβελ πρὸς Κύριον, καὶ Ζαχαρίου τὸ αἶμα τὸ δίκαιον, Πάτερ Ὅσιε, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἱκέτευε, δωρήσασθαι ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### **APOLYTIKION OF ST. ANTHONY THE GREAT. MODE 4**

Emulating the ways of Elijah the zealot, and following the straight paths of the Baptist, O Father Anthony, you made the wilderness a city, and did support the world by your prayers. Wherefore intercede with Christ our God, that our souls be saved.

Τὸν ζηλωτὴν Ἡλίαν τοῖς τρόποις μιμούμενος, τῷ Βαπτιστῆ εὐθείαις ταῖς τρίβοις ἑπόμενος, Πάτερ Ἀντώνιε, τῆς ἐρήμου γέγονας οἰκιστής, καί τήν οἰκουμένην ἐστήριξας εὐχαῖς σου· διὸ πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

## KONTAKION. MODE 2.

O Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never fails, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and ever those who honor you.

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδῃς, ἁμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθή, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἱκεσίαν, ἡ προστατεύουσα ἀεί, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE DAY

# **EPISTLE READING**

<sup>7th</sup> Sunday of Luke St. Paul's Letter to the Galatians 2:16-20

> Prokeimenon. Mode 4. Psalm 103.24,1

O Lord, how manifold are your works. You have made all things in wisdom. Verse: Bless the Lord, O my soul. The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Galatians 2:16-20

Brethren, knowing that a man is not justified by works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ, and not by works of the law, because by works of the law shall no one be justified. But if, in our endeavor to be justified in Christ, we ourselves were found to be sinners, is Christ then an agent of sin? Certainly not! But if I build up again those things which I tore down, then I prove myself a transgressor. For I through the law died to the law, that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me; and the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

# Gospel Reading

#### 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Luke The Gospel According to Luke 8:41-56

At that time, there came to Jesus a man named Jairus, who was a ruler of the synagogue; and falling at Jesus' feet he besought him to come to his house, for he had an only daughter, about twelve years of age, and she was dying. As he went, the people pressed round him. And a woman who had had a flow of blood for twelve years and had spent all her living upon physicians and could not be healed by anyone, came up behind him, and touched the fringe of his garment; and immediately her flow of blood ceased. And Jesus said, "Who was it that touched me?" When all denied it, Peter and those who were with him said, "Master, the multitudes surround you and press upon you!" But Jesus said, "Some one touched me; for I perceive that power has gone forth from me." And when the woman saw that she was not hidden, she came trembling, and falling down before him declared in the presence of all the people why she had touched him, and how she had been immediately healed. And he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace." While he was still speaking, a man from the ruler's house came and said, "Your daughter is dead; do not trouble the Teacher any more." But Jesus on hearing this answered him, "Do not fear; only believe, and she shall be well." And when he came to the house, he permitted no one to enter with him, except Peter and John and James, and the father and mother of the child. And all were weeping and bewailing her; but he said, "Do not weep; for she is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him, knowing that she was dead. But taking her by the hand he called, saying, "Child, arise." And her spirit returned, and she got up at once; and he directed that something should be given her to eat. And her parents were amazed; but he charged them to tell no one what had happened.

#### **METROPOLIS ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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#### **PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **Divine Services for the month of November**

(saint-anthonys.org/calendar):

Tuesday, Nov. 8 – Synaxis of the Archangels
(Orthros 9:00, Liturgy 10:00)
Tuesday, Nov. 8 – Great Vespers for St. Nectarios in Covina (7:00pm)
Wednesday, Nov. 9 – St. Nectarios <i>in Covina</i> (Orthros 8:15am, Liturgy to follow)
Monday, Nov. 21 – Entrance of the Theotokos (Orthros 9:00, Liturgy 10:00)
Wednesday, Nov. 30 – Andrew the First-called (Orthros 9:00am, Liturgy 10:00am)

**Order for Holy Communion** (*only Baptized or Chrismated Orthodox Christians*): Please allow ushers to dismiss you row by row in an orderly fashion.



#### St. Anthony's Coffee Hour is coordinated by St. Anthony Philoptochos:

Please assist with bringing weekly goodies. A sign-up poster has been placed in the foyer of the hall. Please sign up on the poster or contact Tanya Christodoulelis at 626-379-2304. Thank you for your support.

Please contact the Church office if you need to schedule a memorial.



**VIPs-VIPs** will meet following the Synaxis of the Archangels Michael and Gabriel. Meeting will be November 8, Tuesday at 11:00 AM and a Fellowship Festive Feast will be 11:45 AM in our beautiful Trinity Ballroom. Contact Stavroula Kiotas to sign up for a side dish at 626-340-7474 or email: rula320@hotmail.com. All seniors are welcomed to join us for Fellowship, Festive Feast and Fun.

**GOYA** - On Sunday, November 13th the 2022/2023 GOYA Board will be sworn in by Fr. Peter right before communion.

Presenting the 2022/2023 GOYA Board: President- Katerina Gittings,

Vice President-Yianni Kades, Corresponding Secretary-Katerina Nastri,

Recording Secretary-Talia Grafos, Co-Treasurers-Mita Gittings & John Ioannou, Middle School Ambassadors-Gia Balntas, Tessa Grafos, Thanos Mitsos, & Maria Syrengelas.

November 13th, GOYA Sunday Funday - All GOYAN's are invited to the monthly GOYA lunch, meeting and activity.

GOYA Parent meeting on November 13th. Both activities will be upstairs immediately following. Sunday School.

#### **PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Annual Christmas Benefit 2022

Please join us on Saturday, December 3rd at The Langham Huntington Hotel in Pasadena for "**Let There Be Peace**", our 53rd annual benefit luncheon. Proceeds will benefit Humanitarian Relief Projects for Ukraine supported by International Orthodox Christian Charities.

There are many ways to support this charitable event by becoming a **Star Donor**, ordering delicious sweets from **Santa's Kitchen** for 12/4 pickup, or participating in the **Grand Awards** raffle. Visit <u>https://stanthonybenefit.square.site</u> for the details on this event and how to help support our philanthropic works.



# **STUDIES IN THE FAITH**

# Winter Session 2022: November 14– December 19

Our Studies in the Faith Winter Session will be organized into 6 evening classes meeting on Monday evenings from 6:30 - 7:30 PM.

These informative zoom classes will serve as an excellent introduction to Orthodoxy for those interested in, learning more about the Greek Orthodox Church. These classes also will provide an inspiring enrichment and review for practicing Orthodox Christians. For those interested in the class please email Fr. Peter. frpeter@saint-anthonys.org

Introductory Session – Monday November 14

A guide to the Season of Advent

Second Session – Monday November 21

**Spiritual Preparation** 

<u>Third Session – Monday November 28</u>

Searching the Scriptures part 1

Fourth Session – Monday December 5

Searching the scriptures part 2 (THE KATAVASIAS)

Fifth Session – Monday December 12

The Icon of the Nativity

Sixth Session – Monday December 19

The Incarnation

# St. George Greek Orthodox Church Fall Parish Retreat

# Saturday, November 12, 2022

10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Luncheon included\*)

OUR THEME FOR THE YEAR: UNDERSTANDING THE DIVINE LITURGY

#### Our Speaker is Dr. Eve Tibbs

# Dr. Tibbs is the celebrated author of the newly published book, *A Basic Guide to Eastern Orthodox Theology*.

Copies of Dr. Eve Tibbs' book will be available in our parish book store. In addition, Dr. Tibbs is the affiliate assistant professor of theology at Fuller Theological Seminary. and the director of our Metropolis of San Francisco Christian Education Ministry.



The Topics for the day: 1)"Why Do We Worship the Way We Do?

2) "Understanding the Great Feasts Through Icons and Hymns"

Dr. Tibbs' presentations are fast-moving, interactive, visually interesting, and accessible!

St. George Greek Orthodox Church, 74-109 Larrea Street, Palm Desert, California 92260 Phone: (760) 568-9901

\*Registration: \$10.00 payable to St. George Greek Orthodox Church



# Pasadena Rose Bowl AHEPA #373 2022 Christmas Party

Honoring Past President John S. Buzas on his 40 years of paid membership



#### Friday, December 9, 2022 North Woods Inn

at Huntington Drive & Rosemead Boulevard 7247 Rosemead Blvd, San Gabriel, CA 91775 7:00 p.m. no host cocktails, 7:30 p.m. dinner — free parking

• Choice of Filet Mignon Steak, New York Steak, Icelandic Filet of Cod, or Broiled Mahi Mahi

- ♦ Two Salads, Cheese Bread, and Rice Pilaf
- Baked Potato with Butter and Chives or Mushroom Gravy, plus dessert!

#### \$60 each, limited to 50 persons

Paid Reservations Required

Virginia Lappas will lead us in an optional \$15—\$20 Gift Exchange after dinner. Neutral gift, wrapped, with no names. Anyone who brings a gift will receive a gift. The community is invited.

Please make checks payable to: Pasadena AHEPA Send to: Dean Tripodes, Post Office Box 486, Sierra Madre, CA 91025-0486 Or pay by Zelle on your bank's app or website, enter ahepa373@gmail.com as the recipient.

# Synaxis of the Archangel Michael & the other Bodiless Powers: Gabriel, Raphael, Uriel, Salaphiel, Jegudiel, & Barachiel November,8 2022

All the Angels, according to the Apostle Paul, are ministering spirits, - sent forth to minister to them who shall be heirs of salvation -(Heb. 1:14). God set them as overseers of every nation and people, and guides to that which is profitable (Deut. 32:8); and while one Angel is appointed to oversee each nation as a whole, one is also appointed to protect each Christian individually. He commands them to guard them that hope on Him, that nothing should harm them, neither should any evil draw nigh to their dwelling (Ps. 90:10-12). In the Heavens they always behold the face of God, sending up to Him the thrice-holy hymn and interceding with Him in our behalf, seeing they rejoice over one sinner that repents (Esaias 6:2-3; Matt. 18:10; Luke 15:7). In a word, they have served God in so many ways for our benefit, that the pages of Holy Scripture are filled with the histories thereof. It is for these reasons that the Orthodox Catholic Church. wisely honouring these divine ministers, our protectors and guardians, celebrates today the present Synaxis that is, our coming together in assembly for their common feast to chant their praises, especially for the Archangels Michael and Gabriel, who are mentioned in the Scriptures by name. The name Michael means "Who is like God?" and Gabriel means "God is mighty." The number of Angels is not defined in the divine Scriptures, where Daniel says that thousands of thousands ministered before Him, and ten thousands of ten thousands attended upon Him -(Dan. 7:10). But all of them are divided into nine orders which are called Thrones, Cherubim, Seraphim, Dominions, Powers, Authorities, Principalities, Archangels, and Angels.

# WELCOME!

We hope you enjoy your time with us today and that your worship experience is inspirational and uplifting.

Please note that *only baptized and/or Chrismated Orthodox Christians may partake of the Sacrament of Holy Communion.* At the end of the Divine Liturgy, you are welcome to come and receive the *Antidoron* (blessed bread) from the priest.

Contact our office at 626-449-6943 or office@saint-anthonys.org to receive more information about our parish or the Orthodox Christian faith.

If you are new to the community and want to become a member in our Church, please feel free to either take a pledge card from the announcement table in the narthex, contact the Church office or *Please visit <u>saint-anthonys.churchgiving.com</u> to make your offering and schedule your regular stewardship giving* 



Deadline for submitting information for the Sunday Bulletin is every Wednesday. please send it to office@saint-anthonys.org