

The Martyr

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Up-coming Services and Events

Today: *The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost*
The Sunday after the Dormition

9:00 a.m. Informal Church School

9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

20: 7:00 a.m. Matins

21: 7:00 a.m. Matins

22: 7:00 a.m. Matins

23: 7:00 a.m. Matins

24: 7:00 a.m. Matins

25: 11:00 a.m. Bettencourt Baptism

4:00 p.m. Great Vespers

26: *The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

9:00 a.m. Informal Church School

9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

27: 7:00 a.m. Matins

28: 7:00 a.m. Matins

29: 7:00 a.m. Matins

30: 7:00 a.m. Matins

31: 7:00 a.m. Matins

Sept. 1: 11:00 a.m. Green Baptism

2: *The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

9:00 a.m. Informal Church School

9:15 a.m. General Confession

9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Prayers for Blessings and Health

Bishops Paul and John of Aleppo, *captive in Syria*.

Those who are sick: Archbishop Nikon; Fr. Steven Belonick; Fr. Daniel Montgomery; Fr. Dimitrie Vincent; Christy & Christina Adams; Mildred & Michael Arendacs; Thomas Batura; Paul Betts; Alexis Black; James Brideau; Debi Broadus; Arlene Bunnell; Sharon Buzi; Jim Cerner; Joyce Chadwick; Frank Chamberlain; Bernard & Annie Christenson; Bobby Christo; Tara Coppola; Anthony Cordero; Peter

Costa; Renate Deer; Armando Dias; Pandora Dionis; Louise Karoli Gallagher; Luba Geeza; Irene Jordhamo Hughes; Shirley Hunter; Nancy Hurd; Kiril & Patricia Ivanov; Sug Jones; Donald & Shirley Jordan; Christy Lambert; Violet Laska; Bruce Lazar; June Lopen; Carole Lundquist; Jeannine Masek; Thomas Matthews; Barbara Maynard; Jaimie McCarvill; Serge Mihaly; Michael Moras, Jr.; Theodore Morrison; Dolores Nauchy; Andy Nunn; Kimberly Orosz; James Pando; Katherine Pando; Pat Perrotta, Judi Petro; Dena Soter Reardon; Helen Reh; Linda Rich; David Schutte; Andrea Snedegar; Angie Soter; Charles & Joann Soter; Tessie Sotir; Sue & Thomas Spero; Christian Tallcouch; Thomas Terzakis; Thalia Thomas; William Thomas; Poullette Todisco; Margaret Torre; Alice Vasil; Ann Vitale.

Prayers in Memoriam

40 Days

Janet Youngblood; Stephen Moros;
Gowan Dacey

August

- 20 Harry Adam (2014)
21 Spiro Sotir (1954)
Arthur Lika (2011)
Pandora Plasa (2014)
22 Soter (Charles) Demetri (1944)
23 Pano Bedgio (1962)
Peter Lambi Michael (2001)
24 Anastasia Theodos (1946)
Gago Nako (1952)

Coffee Hour

Today: ???

26: ???

Sept. 2: ???

If you would like to sponsor Coffee Hour, please sign up on the poster in the Church Hall.

Congratulations

Yesterday, August 18th, **River Madison Davis** was received in to the Holy Orthodox Church through the Mysteries of Baptism and Chrismation.

River is the daughter of *Sarah & Brian Davis*, the granddaughter of *Kim & John O'Brien*, and the great-granddaughter of *Toni Barmashi*.

Many Years! Për Shumë Vjet!

Condolences

We offer our condolences to *Julia Pikulik*, whose brother, **Stephen Moros**, died on Tuesday, August 7th.

We also offer our condolences to *Peter Dacey*, his mother *Bev Dacey* and their family, on the death of **Gowan Dacey**, who passed away on Thursday, August 16th.

Memory Eternal! I Përjetshim Kujtimi!

Scholarships available

Applications for the 2018 **Thomas and Katherine LaBache Scholarships** are now being accepted. The list of requirements is inserted in today's Bulletin.

Applications are available at the Candle Desk or on-line on our Parish website, and must be returned by September 30th.

Coffee Hour Sign-up Sheet

The new **Coffee Hour Sign-up Sheet** for 2018/2019 is now posted on the wall in the Church Hall.

Take a look today and sign up to host a Coffee Hour in honor of a special event or in memory of a loved one.

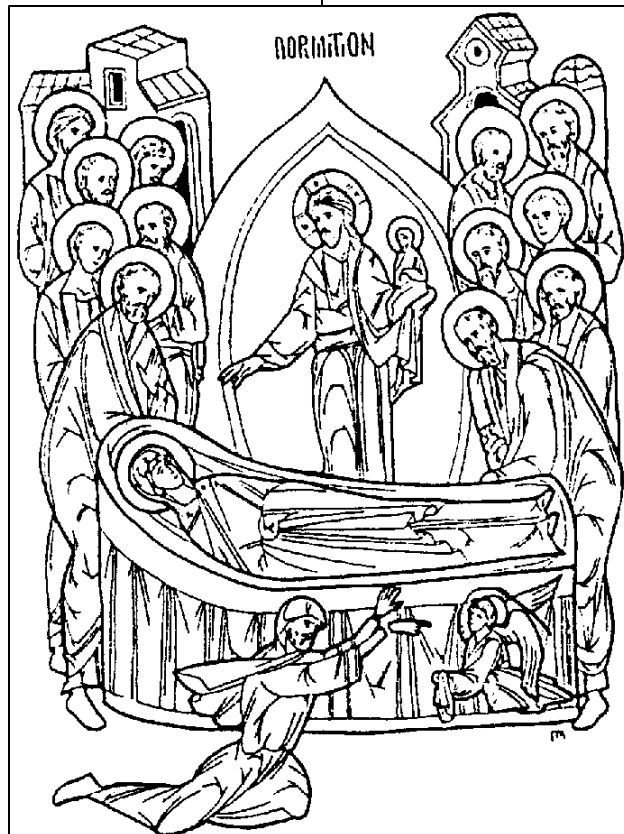
Parish Finances

Be sure to take a look at the sign at the Candle Desk which shows last month's income and expenses.

Charity Collection

This month, our Charity Collection will be used to benefit the **Red Cross** in Korça Albania.

Please be generous!



1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Brethren, I remind you of the Good News I preached to you, and which you received, and in which you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold fast to it as I preached it to you—otherwise you would have believed in vain. For I delivered to you first of all which I had also received: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day according to the Scriptures, and that He appeared to Cephas, and after that, to the Twelve. Then He was seen by more than five hundred brethren at one time, many of whom are still with us, while some have fallen asleep. After that, He was seen by James, then by all the Apostles, and last of all, as by one born out of due time, He was seen also by me. For I am the least of the Apostles, and am not worthy to be called an Apostle, because I persecuted God's Church. But by God's grace, I am what I am, and His grace in me has not been fruitless—in fact, I have labored more than any of them, yet not I, but God's grace with me. Whether it be I or they who speak, this is what we preach, and this you have believed.

Matthew 19:16-26

At that time, a certain young man came to Jesus and said, "Good Master, what good work shall I do to have eternal life?" He said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God. But if you will enter into life, keep the commandments." He said to Him, "Which?" And Jesus answered, "Thou shalt not kill, thou shalt not commit adultery, thou shalt not steal, thou shalt not bear false witness, honor thy father and mother, and, thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." The young man said to Him, "All these I have kept; what is still lacking in me?" Jesus said to him, "If you will be perfect, go, sell what you have, and give to the poor, and you shall have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." But when the young man heard these words, he went away sad, for he had great possessions. But Jesus said to His disciples, "Amen I say to you, with difficulty will a rich man enter the Kingdom of Heaven. And further I say to you it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of Heaven." The disciples, hearing this, were exceedingly astonished, and said, "Who then can be saved?" And looking upon them, Jesus said to them, "With men this is impossible, but with God all things are possible."

1 Kornthianëve 15:1-11

Vëllezër, ju tregoj ungjillin që ju ungjillëzova, të cilin edhe e morët, në të cilin edhe qëndroni. Me anë të tij edhe shpëtoni, po ta mbani atë, siç jua ungjillëzova, veç në besuat më kot. Sepse ju dhashë para së gjithash atë që mora edhe unë, se Krishti vdiq për mëkatet tona, sipas shkrimeve; edhe se u varros, dhe se u ngjall të tretën ditë, sipas shkrimeve; edhe se iu duk Qefait, pastaj të dymbëdhjetëve. Pastaj iu duk më tepër se mbi pesëqind vëllezërve njëherësh, prej të cilëve më të shumtët rrojnë deri sot, por disa kanë fjetur. Pastaj iu duk Jakovit, pastaj gjithë apostujve. Edhe më në fund nga të gjithë m'u shfaq edhe mua, si një të dështuari. Sepse unë jam më i vogli i apostujve, dhe s'jam i denjë të quhem apostull, sepse përdoqa kishën e Perëndisë. Po me hirin e Perëndisë jam ai që jam; dhe hiri i tij mbi mua nuk shkoi kot, po u mundova më tepër se ata të gjithë; por jo unë, po hiri i Perëndisë që është bashkë me mua. Qoftë unë pra, qoftë ata, kështu predikojmë dhe kështu besuat.

Matheu 19:16-26

Në atë kohë, i erdhi pranë Jisuit një djalosh, e i tha: "Mësues i mirë, ç'të mirë të bëj që të kem jetë

të pasosur?" Edhe ai i tha: "Ç'më thua i mirë? Asnjë s'është i mirë, veç një, Perëndia. Po nëse do të hysh në jetë, ruaj porosinë". I thotë atij: "Cilat?" Edhe Jisui i tha: "Mos vrit; mos shkel kurorën; mos vidh; mos jep dëshmi të rreme; ndero atin tënd dhe nënën tënde;" dhe "Të duash të afërmin tënd si veten tënde." Djaloshi i thotë atij: "Të gjitha këto i kam ruajtur që në rininë time, po ç'më mbetet më?" Jisui i tha atij: "Në do të bëhesh i përsosur, shko e shit pasurinë tënde, dhe jepua të varfërve; dhe do të kesh thesar në qiell, dhe eja e ndiqmë pas." Por djaloshi kur dëgjoi këtë fjalë, iku i helmuar, sepse kishte shumë pasuri. Edhe Jisui u tha nxënësve të tij: "Me të vërtetë po ju them juve, se njeriu i pasur mezi do të hyjë në mbretërinë e qiejve. Edhe përsëri po ju them juve: Më kollaj është të shkojë gamilja nëpër vrimën e gjilpërës, se të hyjë i pasuri në mbretërinë e Perëndisë." Edhe nxënësit e tij, kur dëgjuan, tmerroheshin fort e thoshin: "Vallë, cili mund të shpëtojë?" Po Jisui hodhi sytë mbi ta e u tha atyre: "Për njerëzit kjo është punë që s'mund të bëhet, por për Perëndinë të gjitha janë të mundshme."