

St. Basil the Great Orthodox Church



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Welcome visitors! If you are visiting with us for the first time, we greet you in the Holy Name of Christ, our Saviour, and hope you will join us in fellowship after worship. We are genuinely pleased to have you with us today. We must remind you that while the Orthodox Church prays for the unity of all, only those Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves with prayer, fasting, and regular confession should approach the chalice.

For questions, please contact Fr. James Purdie. Blessings.

Hymns



RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION (Tone 4)

Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel the women disciples of the Lord 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.

APOLYTIKION OF ST. BASIL (Tone 1)

In all the earth that received thy sayings, thy melody did resound O righteous father, through which thou didst go about and proclaim as worthy of God the nature of creatures, cultivating the character of mankind, O thou of kingly priesthood Basil, wherefore plead thou with Christ God to save our souls.

KONTAKION OF THE TRANSFIGURATION (Tone 7)

Thou wast transfigured on the mount, and Thy Disciples, in so far as they were able, beheld Thy glory, O Christ our God; so that, when they should see Thee crucified, they would remember that all Thy suffering was voluntary, and could declare to all the world that Thou art truly the effulgent Splendor of the Father.

The Epistle



*How great are Thy works, O Lord!
In wisdom hast Thou made them all.
Bless the Lord, O my soul.*

The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Romans. (10:1-10)

Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is that it may be saved. I bear them witness that they have a zeal for God, but it is not enlightened. For, being ignorant of the righteousness that comes from God, and seeking to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness. For Christ is the end of the law, that everyone who has faith may be justified. Moses writes that the man who practices the righteousness which is based on the law shall live by it. But the righteousness based on faith says: Do not say in your heart, "Who will ascend into Heaven?" (that is, to bring Christ down) or "Who will descend into the abyss?" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say? The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart (that is, the word of faith which we preach); because, if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For man believes with his heart and so is justified, and he confesses with his lips and so is saved.

The Gospel



The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew. (8:28-9:1)

At that time, when Jesus came to the country of the Gergesenes, 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 we to do to Thee, O Son of God? Art Thou 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 Thou castest 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.

Offerings



Prayers of Health and Safety are Offered for:

Fawn	Nathaniel	Angelina
John	John	Igor
Hayley	June	Alexander
Duffy	Maia & Family	Mark
Mary	Tamar	Alexander
Magdalena	Mirela & Family	Margie
Seraphim	Brenda & Family	Martha
Nicolette	Sergei	Bessie
Nicholas	Hilarion	Steve
Thomas	Gary	Kathy
Katerina	Nichole & Family	Jared & Diana
Irene	Brenda	Aiden & Sophia
John	Dn. Christopher & Family	Camron
Axenia	Ben	Tess
Maria	Ivan	Pat
Ana	Frank & Lauren	Abraham Family
Vasilii	Kati & Kyle	Nathan
Anton & Family	John & Mary	Sidney
Irina	Julian	Matt & Sarah
Stephen	David	Derek & Becca
Nikolai	Ephraim	Liz & Taylor
Katerina	Schaffer Family	Julie & Chuck
Nicholas	Saur Family	Palomino Family
Mariann	Ekaterina	Wheeler Family

Offerings



Prayers of Health and Safety are Offered for:

Hamilton	Jaime
Goodson	Dean
Dawes Families	Jana
Rachel	Michelle
Ran Li	Mason
Nadia	Brian
Riske Family	Franklin
Sumitra Family	Austin
Lindsey & Children	Spencer
Angela & Children	Zac
Katherine & Evan	Claire
Theresa & Brennan	Elizabeth
David & Susan	Ben
Luke	Ryan
Jonah & Juliana	Gwen
Mary	Peter

Ann
Gresham Family
Ross Family
Debbie
Brian
Brent
Carolyn

Offerings



Prayers of Loving Memory are Offered for:

Hillary	Michael	Marcie
Mindy	Alexey	Lena
Tatiana	Alexander	Gerhard
Sergei	Alexandra	Mary
Ion	Yuri	Roger
Maria	Boris	Kelly
Agrepina	Valentin	Charles & Lynn
Ion	Valentina	Gerald
Fr. John	Vladimir	Joe
Fr. Milan	Zinaida	Ben
Maria	Elena	Kent
Nadejda	Evdokia	Conrad
Maria	Paul	
Maria	James	
Lydia	Jeremiah	
Victor	Dwight & Beatrice	
Tatyana	Fr. Basil	
Alexander	Andreas	
Nun Thekla	Saedra	
Nun Nektaria	Jose & Esther	
Roman	David & Dianna	
Evdokia	George & Patricia	
Ephimia	Adam	
Ephim	-----	

Events



July 28

Antiochian Men's Meeting, 12:45 pm

August 4

Parish Council, 12:45 pm

Aug 11

Gourmet Club, 12:45 pm