

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS: Sunday, October 10, 2010

Service Schedule

Saturday Great Vespers - October 16 - 6:00 pm

Thank You!

A huge thank you to everyone who volunteered at both of the "church beautification" work days. Thank you to Brandon Suehs for organizing these projects and providing the lunches (and for all of the other projects that he works on continually!)

Also, many thanks to Ralph Jones for spending an entire day getting our internet service back and our computers in working order! May God bless you all for the selfless giving of your time!

HOPE / ΔΟΥ

The GOYAns are hosting a "Holy Hoase" party for the HOPE/ΔΟΥ students on Saturday, Oct. 30th. Please join us for Vespers at 6:00pm followed by a very fun party! The children may come dressed in their favorite saint or super-hero costume. No scary costumes, please.

Greek School

The Greek School classes will be Tuesday evenings from 6:45pm to 8:00pm.

OCF - College Ministry

OCF will meet on Tuesday, October 12 at 6:30 at the Episcopal Center on the UT campus.

GOLF

The ladies are reading/discussing the book Elder Paisios of the Holy Mountain, by Priestmonk Christodoulos. **Next class is 10/13 - hope to see you there!**

Philoptochos

- * Thank you to everyone who attended the Philoptochos membership tea which was a fantastic success! It was filled with enthusiastic women ready to do their part to help others. Thank you to Diana Angelo and Linda Robertson for making this project such a success.
- * Scrip cards are available. This week we are featuring our restaurant.com cards. Please think of Transfiguration and use these cards. Stop by our table and see what other cards we have to offer. This is a great opportunity for Transfiguration to receive additional money without it costing you any additional expense. We would like everyone to do their part. Thank you in advance!
- * Our 2nd Annual Holiday BAZAAR is set for Saturday, November 20th from 9am to 5pm. Vendors please contact Judy Eagle at 775-7672 or by email - judyeagle2001@yahoo.com to reserve your table space. The cost is \$40 per table. We have limited space so reserve today!
- * The Annual Christmas Card project is underway! Stop by our table to preview the card and to get your name on the list. Effie can arrange payment deadlines to meet your financial needs.

Digital Pictures needed for 25th anniversary Gala DVD slideshow

We are requesting your best TGOC pictures from the last 25 years to share some in the TGOC Gala slideshow. Please bring your pictures on a CDR to church office or if you are sending in under ten pics, you can email them to David_Horwedel@Dell.com. We will finalize the DVD slideshow by early October. Many thanks in advance!

Thank you to today's Coffee Hour Sponsors: Meador, Nicolaou, Nikas, Norman, Glarakis

Thank you to last week's Coffee Hour Sponsors: Latto, Leara, Leatherwood, Lerman, Levendakes

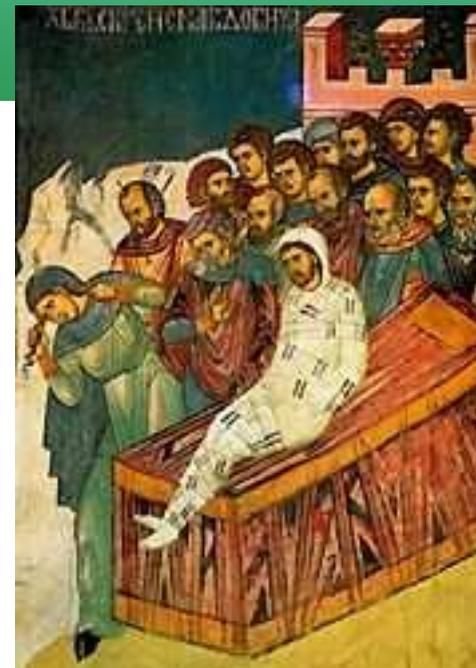
Next week's Luncheon Sponsors: Ebeling, Phocas and Skevofilax

*Today's ushers are:
Stuart Yoder and Sami Yagnam*

*Next week's usher will be:
Peter Kangos and Sami Yagnam*

SUNDAY BULLETIN
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**THIRD SUNDAY OF ST. LUKE
EULAMPIOS & EULAMPRIA THE MARTYRS**



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SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

ORTHROS 8:45AM; DIVINE LITURGY 10:00 AM

Reverend Fr. Vasileios Flegas, Proistamenos

OCTOBER 10, 2010

3RD SUNDAY OF ST. LUKE

HOLY SCRIPTURE READING

EPISTLE – GALATIANS I: 11-19

GOSPEL – LUKE 7: 11-16

But I make known to you, brethren, the Gospel which was preached as good tidings by me, that it is not according to man; for I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but by a revelation of Jesus Christ. For ye heard of my manner of life at one time in Judaism, that according to excess, I used to persecute the Church of God, and was ravaging her. And I kept on advancing in Judaism beyond many contemporaries in mine own race, being more exceedingly a zealot of the traditions of my fathers. But when it pleased God, Who separated me from my mother's womb and called me by His grace, to reveal His Son in me, that I be preaching Him as good tidings among the nations, immediately I conferred not with flesh and blood, neither did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me, but I went away into Arabia, and again returned to Damascus. Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to visit Peter, and remained with him fifteen days; but of the other apostles I saw none, except Iakovos the brother of the Lord.

At that time, Jesus went to a city called Nain, and his disciples and a great crowd went with him. As he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and a large crowd from the city was with her. And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her and said to her, "Do not weep." And he came and touched the bier, and the bearers stood still. And he said, "Young man, I say to you, arise." And the dead man sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother. Fear seized them all; and they glorified God, saying, "A great prophet has arisen among us!" and "God has visited his people!"

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐπορεύετο ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἰς πόλιν καλουμένην Ναϊν, καὶ συνεπορεύοντο αὐτῷ οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ καὶ ὄχλος πολὺς. Ὡς δὲ ἤγγισεν τῇ πύλῃ τῆς πόλεως, καὶ ἰδοὺ ἐξεκομίζετο τεθνηκῶς μονογενῆς υἱὸς τῆ μητρὶ αὐτοῦ, καὶ αὐτὴ ἦν χήρα, καὶ ὄχλος τῆς πόλεως ἱκανὸς ἦν σὺν αὐτῇ. Καὶ ἰδὼν αὐτὴν ὁ κύριος ἐσπλαγχνίσθη ἐπ' αὐτῇ καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῇ, Μὴ κλαῖε. Καὶ προσελθὼν ἤψατο τῆς σοροῦ, οἱ δὲ βαστάζοντες ἔστησαν, καὶ εἶπεν, Νεανίσκε, σοὶ λέγω, ἐγέρθητι. Καὶ ἀνεκάθισεν ὁ νεκρὸς καὶ ἤρξατο λαλεῖν, καὶ ἔδωκεν αὐτὸν τῇ μητρὶ αὐτοῦ. Ἐλαβεν δὲ φόβος πάντας, καὶ ἐδόξαζον τὸν θεὸν λέγοντες ὅτι Προφήτης μέγας ἠγέρθη ἐν ἡμῖν, καὶ ὅτι Ἐπεσκέψατο ὁ θεὸς τὸν λαὸν αὐτοῦ.

HYMNS FOR TODAY

Resurrection Hymn (Third Tone)

“Let all things above in heav’n rejoice, and let all things below on earth be glad
With all the might and strength of His arm an eternal deed the Lord did perform.
Beneath His feet He has trampled down death by death, and first born of the dead has He become.
From the womb of Hades has He delivered us, and to all the world has granted His great redeeming mercy”

Hymn for the Martyrs

“Thy martyrs O Lord in their courageous contest for Thee, received as the prize the crowns of incorruption
and Life from Thee, our Immortal Lord. For since they possessed Thy strength, they cast down the tyrants,
and wholly destroyed the demons strengthless presumptions.
O Christ God, by their prayers, save our souls since Thou art merciful.”

Hymn for Transfiguration of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

“Metemorphosis en to ori, Christe o Theos, dixas tis mathites Sou tin doxan Sou,
kathos I dynando Lampson ke imin tis amarto lis to fos Sou to aidion,
presvies tis Theotokou Fotodoto doxa Si.”
“When O Christ our God Thou wast Transfigured on the mountain
Thou didst reveal Thy glory to Thy disciples in proportion as they could bear it.
Let Thine everlasting light also enlighten us sinners. Through the intercessions of the Theotokos,
O Thou Bestower of light, glory to Thee.”

Kontakion

“A protection of Christians unshamable, Intercessor to our Holy Maker, unwavering, reject not,
the prayerful cries of those who are in sin. Instead, come to us, for you are good;
Your loving help bring unto us, Who are crying in faith to you:
Hasten to intercede and speed now to supplicate, As a protection for all time,
Theotokos, for those who honor you.”

Receiving Holy Communion

The sacrament of Holy Communion is reserved for only baptized and/or chrismated Orthodox Christians who have properly prepared by fasting, prayer and confession. The Orthodox Church is not in sacramental communion with any other church outside the Orthodox Christian Faith. If you would like information about the Orthodox Church and becoming an Orthodox Christian, please see Father Vasileios after services.

Please allow the Church School children and teachers to go to Holy Communion first so they can leave for their classes. All others should wait until the ushers dismiss you by rows to receive Communion.

WELCOME VISITORS!

We welcome all new visitors who worshipped with us this morning. Please join us next door after service for coffee and fellowship. There is material in the entrance of the church regarding ministries and events of our church. Please sign our guest book!

PRAYERS FOR HEALTH

Dolly, Betty, Arlena, Sophie, Archie, Lou, Thomas, Kathy, Suzanne, Pat, Steve, Nina, Phyllis, Katheryn, Panayioti, Anna, Margaret, Sami, Ibrahim, Mary, George, Susan, Matthew, Ellen, Gary, Katina, Nelda, Nick, Elaine, Fotini, Malone, Tracy, Richard, Lilly, Kimberly, Dion, Jamil, Dimitrios, Lisa, Maggie, Mindy, Joan, Nakis, Estela, Micky, Kiane, Lari, Ed, Sally, Mariana, Brian, Kaeley, Tristan, Matt, Jeff, Sophia, Konstandinos, Angela, Jennifer, Rose Marie, Elia, Bilyana, Maria