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**TONE 2**

**MAY 12, 2019**

**EOTHINON 4**

## **SUNDAY OF THE MYRRH-BEARING WOMEN, PIOUS JOSEPH OF ARIMATHAEA & RIGHTEOUS NICODEMUS**

*GERMANOS, PATRIARCH OF CONSTANTINOPLE • EPIPHANIOS, BISHOP OF CYPRUS  
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# LITURGY VARIATIONS

## PASCHAL GREETING / RESPONSE

English:	<b>Christ is risen! / Truly He is risen!</b>
Arabic:	<b>Al-Maseeh qam! / Háqqan qam!</b>
Greek:	<b>Christós anéste! / Alethós anéste!</b>
Slavonic:	<b>Christós voskrése! / Vo-ístinu voskrése!</b>
Romanian:	<b>Christós a inviáht! / Adevarát a inviáht!</b>
Tigrenia:	<b>Christós Ténsiou! / Ba-háke Ténsiou</b>
Amharic:	<b>Christós Tenestwál! / Bergit Tenestwál!</b>
Spanish:	<b>¡Cristo ha resucitado! / ¡En verdad ha resucitado!</b>

### Schedule of Regular Weekly Services

<b>Sundays:</b>	<b>Matins, 8:50 AM</b>	<b>Confession:</b>	<b>After Saturday Vespers</b>
	<b>Divine Liturgy, 10 AM</b>		<b>During Sunday Matins</b>
<b>Wednesdays:</b>	<b>Vespers, 6:30 PM</b>		<b>Or by Appointment</b>
<b>Saturdays:</b>	<b>Great Vespers, 5 PM</b>		

*See Calendar for Feast Days and Other Weekday Services Scheduled*



**Remember to turn  
cell phones off!**

### Order for Holy Communion

Members of the Orthodox Church age seven and above must prepare for Holy Communion with a recent confession, prayer, fasting from all food and drink from midnight (unless medical condition preclude it), being in church *before* the Epistle and Gospel readings, and being at peace with everyone.

**CHILDREN** going to church school and their teachers should come down the center aisle first. (Small children may need to be assisted by their parents.)

**ALL OTHERS** should wait until an usher dismisses your row from the center aisle. Then return to your place by a side aisle for the prayers of thanksgiving and the final blessing and dismissal. Please let choir members pass when they come down for Communion.

### A Warm Welcome to Our Guests

We are glad you are worshipping with us. Please note that participation in **Holy Communion is limited to members of the Orthodox Church** in good standing, who have prepared with prayer, fasting and confession.

For all others: though we cannot share Communion with you—since it is an expression of membership and full unity in faith—you are welcome to come forward after the dismissal, receive a blessing and partake of the blessed bread (from the large bowls). Please also sign our guest book, and introduce yourself to Fr. Nabil during the coffee hour. You may inquire with him how you can become a member.

## PASCHAL TROPARION

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- English: Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death, and upon those in the tombs bestowing life.
- Arabic: Al-Maseeh qam min bayn il-amwaat, wa wati'a-l-mawt bil-mawt, wa wahaba-lhayah lil-ladheena fil-qubour.
- Greek: Christós anéste ek nekrón, thanáto thánaton patésas, kai tees en dees mnéma-si zoén charisámenos.
- Slavonic: Christós vos-kré-se iz mértvikh, smér-ti-u smért popráv, ee súschim vo grobékh jee-vót darováv.
- Romanian: Christos a in-vi-aht din mortz, cu mwarte-a pre mwarte culcund, shi chelor din mormunturi viatza dar-u-indu-leh.
- Spanish: Cristo ha resucitado de los muertos, por la muerte la muerte hollando, ya los que están en las tumbas la vida dando.

### 1<sup>ST</sup> ANTIPHON (PSALM 65.1-3 LXX)

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Make a joyful noise to God, all the Earth! Sing of His Name, give glory to His praise!

**Refrain:** Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us!

Say to God: How awesome are Thy deeds! So great is Thy power that Thine enemies cringe before Thee! **Refrain**

Let all the earth worship Thee and praise Thee! Let it praise Thy Name, O Most High!

**Refrain**

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen. **Refrain**

### 2<sup>ND</sup> ANTIPHON (PSALM 66.1-3, LXX)

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God be bountiful to us, and bless us! Show the light of Thy countenance upon us, and have mercy on us!

**Refrain:** O Son of God Who art risen from the dead, save us who sing unto Thee: Alleluia.

That we may know Thy way upon the earth, and Thy salvation among all nations! **Refrain**

Let the people give thanks to Thee, O God! Let all the people give thanks to Thee! **Refrain**

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen. O only-begotten Son....

**3<sup>RD</sup> ANTIPHON: PASCHAL VERSES AND TROPARION**  
**(TONE 5; PSALMS 67.1-2 & 117.24 LXX)**

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Let God arise, and let His enemies be scattered, and let them that hate Him flee from before His face.

**Refrain:** Christ is risen from the dead....

As smoke vanishes, so let them vanish, as wax melts before the fire. **Refrain**

So let the sinners perish before God; but let the righteous rejoice. **Refrain**

This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. **Refrain**

**ENTRANCE HYMN (TONE 2)**

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**Clergy:** In the gathering places bless ye God the Lord from the springs of Israel. Save us, O Son of God, Who art risen from the dead,

**People:** [save us] who sing unto Thee: Alleluia.

**APOLYTIKIA AFTER THE ENTRANCE**

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**Troparion of the Resurrection (Tone 2)**

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When Thou didst submit Thyself unto death,  
O Thou deathless and immortal One, then  
Thou didst destroy hell with Thy Godly  
power. And when Thou didst raise the dead

from beneath the earth, all the powers of  
Heaven did cry aloud unto Thee: O Christ,  
Thou Giver of life, glory to Thee.

**Troparia of Joseph of Arimathea and the Myrrhbearing Women (Tone 2)**

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The pious Joseph, having brought down Thy  
pure body from the Tree, wrapped it in fine  
linen, embalmed it with ointment, provided  
for it, and laid it in a new tomb. But Thou  
didst verily rise after three days, O Lord,  
granting the world Great Mercy.

Verily, the angel came to the tomb and said  
to the ointment-bearing women: The oint-  
ment is meet for the dead, but Christ is  
shown to be remote from corruption. But  
cry ye: The Lord is risen, granting the world  
the Great Mercy.

**Troparion for St. George (Tone 4, Byzantine)**

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Liberator of captives, Defender of the poor,  
the Physician of the sick and the Champion  
of kings, O Trophy-bearer, Great-martyr

George, intercede with Christ our God that  
our souls be saved.

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### **Kontakion of Pascha (Tone 8)**

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**Clergy:** Though Thou, O Deathless One, didst descend into the grave, Thou didst destroy the power of Hades, and, as Victor, Thou didst rise again, O Christ our God. Thou didst greet the ointment-bearing

women, saying, Rejoice! Thou didst bestow peace upon thy Disciples and

**People:** resurrection upon those that are fallen.

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### **THE SCRIPTURE LESSONS**

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#### **Prokeimenon (Psalm 117.14 LXX; Tone 2)**

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The Lord is my strength and my song.

*Verse:* The Lord has chastened me sorely.

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#### **Reading from the Acts of the Apostles (6.1-7; Myrrhbearers)**

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IN THOSE DAYS, when the disciples were increasing in number, the Hellenists murmured against the Hebrews because their widows were neglected in the daily distribution. And the twelve summoned the body of the disciples and said, "It is not right that we should give up preaching the Word of God to serve tables. Therefore, brethren, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we may appoint to this duty. But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." And what they said pleased the

whole multitude, and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit, and Philip, and Prochorus, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolaus, a proselyte of Antioch. These they set before the apostles, and they prayed and laid their hands upon them.

And the Word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the Faith.

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#### **Holy Gospel according to St. Mark (15.43-16.8; Myrrhbearers)**

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AT THAT TIME, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the Kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus. And Pilate wondered if He were already dead, and summoning the centurion, he asked him whether Jesus was already dead. And when he learned from the centurion that He was dead, he granted the

body to Joseph. And he bought a linen shroud, and taking Him down, wrapped Him in the linen shroud, and laid Him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock, and he rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joses saw where He was laid.

And when the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and

Salome, bought spices, so that they might go and anoint Him. And very early on the first day of the week they went to the tomb when the sun had risen. And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the door of the tomb?" And looking up, they saw that the stone was rolled back, for it was very large.

And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a

long white robe, and they were amazed. And he said to them, "Do not be amazed, you seek Jesus of Nazareth, Who was crucified. He has risen, He is not here, see the place where they laid Him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that He is going before you to Galilee; there you will see Him, as He told you." And they went out and fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had come upon them, and they said nothing to any one, for they were afraid.

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### **MEGALYNARION FOR PASCHA (TONE 1)**

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*The angel cried to the Lady full of grace: Rejoice, rejoice O pure Virgin. Again, I say rejoice. Your Son is risen from His three days in the tomb. With Himself He has raised all the dead. Rejoice, rejoice all you people.*

Shine, shine, O New Jerusalem. The glory of the Lord has shone on you. Exult now, exult, and be glad O Zion. Be radiant, O pure Theotokos, in the Resurrection, the Resurrection of your Son.

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### **REFRAIN OF THE COMMUNION HYMN (TONE 8)**

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Receive the Body of Christ; taste the Fountain of immortality. Alleluia.

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### **INSTEAD OF "WE HAVE SEEN THE TRUE LIGHT ..." (TONE 5)**

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Christ is risen....

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### **HOLY OBLATIONS AND PRAYER REQUESTS**

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- For the health of all our mothers, grandmothers and godmothers, and for the repose of all our mothers departed this life.
- For the health of Deacon James and Sarah Childs, on the fifth anniversary of his ordination.
- By George and Sohir McKary, for the health of Mira, Magy, Michael and Monica, and in memory of Shehata, Reda, Emily, Narges, Samir and Fawzy.
- By Alice Godby-Schwab, in memory of Fouad Khamis.
- By Bassem Razzouk, in memory of Fouad Khamis

Please also see our current parish prayer list—those who are struggling with acute illness and those newly departed this life—on the back page of this bulletin, and include them in your daily prayers at home.

## **BLESSED NAME DAY TO METROPOLITAN JOSEPH!**

*We extend our prayers and love to His Eminence Metropolitan Joseph on the occasion of his Nameday.*

*After the Dismissal, we chant the phimi (in Tone Two) in honor of His Eminence, Metropolitan JOSEPH on the occasion of his patronal feast day in the following order:*

- 1) *The priest intones the phimi from the beautiful gate.*
- 2) *The clergy then chant the phimi from the sanctuary.*
- 3) *The choir then chants the phimi from where it stands.*

### **PHIMI OF METROPOLITAN JOSEPH**

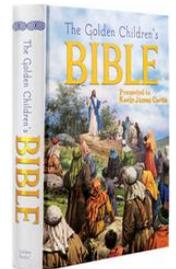
JOSEPH, the most devout, the most reverend, chosen by God as Archbishop of New York and Metropolitan of all North America, our Father and Chief Shepherd, may God grant him many years!



## **TODAY'S STUDY TOPIC: LESSON III.23**

All church school classes from age 5 up will be studying:

- **Paul Continues to Corinth (Acts 18; *Golden Children's Bible* 484)**
- **The Epistles of Paul to the Corinthians (1 Cor. 1, 4; GCB 484-85)**
- **Role of the Apostles (1 Cor. 12; GCB 485)**
- **Paul Likens Christians to the Parts of a Body (1 Cor. 12; GCB 486)**
- **The More Excellent Way (1 Cor. 13; GCB 486-87)**
- **The Letter of Christ (2 Cor. 3, 13; GCB 487)**
- **Paul's Third Journey (Acts 19; GCB 488)**
- **The Silversmiths' Revolt (Acts 19; GCB 488-90)**
- **Eutychus Falls Asleep (Acts 20; GCB 490)**
- **Paul Hastens to Reach Jerusalem (Acts 20; GCB 491)**



### **Please Join Us for Fellowship after the Liturgy**

**Following the dismissal and verbal announcements, come forward for a blessing, then exit via the north (left side) doors, and join us in the fellowship hall for refreshments. The ushers will hand you the announcements bulletin as you exit.**

## PARISH PRAYER LIST

*Please include in your daily prayers the following—those struggling with acute illness and those newly departed this life—from our parishioners and those for whom they have requested our prayers. (Names are kept for 40 days, the date indicated after the name, and may be renewed upon request.)*

### LIVING

**Metropolitan Paul and Archbishop John**

**Fr. Athanasius** Wilson, to undergo surgery, 6/22

**Hana and Fouad** Musleh, Copper Trace Rehab., 5/25

**Elias AlTawil**, Carmel Care Rehab., 5/24

**Mary Ann** Bischoff, cousin of George Freije, 6/18

**Israel** Grotzinger, Sarah Phillips' brother, 6/13

**Skylar** Thomas, Chuck's daughter, 6/6

**Rachelle** Fadel, Doug's sister, 6/1

**Daniel** Grotzinger, Sarah Phillips' father, 5/31

**John** Pappas Jr., friend of Tony Nasser, 5/28

**John** Meyer, Fr. Nabil and Elaine Hanna's brother-in-law, 5/25

**Samia**, Sohir McKary's sister, 5/24

**Alice** Capshaw, Chris' mother, 5/21

**Karen** Christoff, friend of Kathleen Everhart, 5/20

**Joseph** Corey, David's father, 5/17

**Paul** Mokhiber, cousin of Doug Fadel, 5/15

**All those suffering from illness, violence or want** throughout the world

### DEPARTED

**Bartholomew** Webb, 6/8

**Janet** Farah, Jackie Razzouk's mother, St. Vincent Hosp., 5/28

**Debara** Melvin, aunt of Brian Phillips, 5/26

**Giotto** Tabanelli, uncle of Joanne Beck, 5/25

**Hilwah, Naseef, Hannah and Mary**, relatives of Riyadh Bannourah and family, 5,24

**Fouad** Khamis, father of Sameeh, Emil and Sameh, 5/22

**Ron** Egypt, former parishioner, 5/20

**The victims of violence** throughout the world

## ST. GEORGE PARISH CALENDAR

May 2019

<b>Sun. 12</b>	<p><b>Sunday of the Myrrhbearing Women</b>  <b>Matins</b>, 8:50 am  <b>Choir practice</b>, 9 am  <b>Divine Liturgy</b>, 10 am</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Church School</b> classes</li> <li>• <b>Review/Q&amp;A of Parish Financial</b> statement and Annual Reports</li> </ul>
<b>Wed. 15</b>	<p><b>Vespers</b>, 6:30 pm</p>
<b>Thu. 16</b>	<p><b>Men's Fellowship</b> Prayer breakfast, 6:30 am at Sunrise Café  <b>Ladies of St. George</b> dinner, 6:15 pm at Old Spaghetti Factory (918 S. Rangeline Rd., Carmel)</p>
<b>Sat. 18</b>	<p><b>Teen SOYO</b> service day at Anna's House, leaving from church at 7:45 am  <b>Chant practice</b>, 4:30 pm  <b>Great Vespers</b>, 5 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Confessions</b> heard</li> <li>• <b>20 &amp; 30 Somethings</b> social at Books and Brews (61 W City Center Dr., Carmel)</li> </ul>
<b>Sun. 19</b>	<p><b>Sunday of the Paralytic</b>  <b>Matins</b>, 8:50 am  <b>Choir practice</b>, 9 am  <b>Divine Liturgy</b>, 10 am</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Church School</b> classes</li> <li>• <b>Annual Parish Meeting</b></li> <li>• <b>Lamb Roast – Celebration of St. George Feast</b></li> </ul>
<b>Tue. 21</b>	<p><b>Parish Council</b> meeting, 7 pm</p>
<b>Wed. 22</b>	<p><b>Vespers</b>, 6:30 pm</p>
<b>Thu. 23</b>	<p><b>Men's Fellowship</b> Prayer breakfast, 6:30 am at Sunrise Café</p>

See the full calendar and the latest additions and updates at [www.stgindy.org/calendar](http://www.stgindy.org/calendar)