



SAINT GEORGE

ORTHODOX CHURCH

A parish of the Self-Ruled Antiochian
Orthodox Christian Church of North America

Most Rev. Metropolitan Philip, Primate
Very Rev. Father Joseph Kimmett, Pastor

Rev. Father Stephen Mathewes, Seminarian
Rev. Deacon Luke Toumi
Subdeacon Gheorge Doros
Subdeacon Joseph Kouyoumjian

*It is our pleasure to welcome visitors and friends to our church.
If you would like to know more about our parish,
or the Orthodox Church, please feel free to ask.*

Orthodox Christians who have confessed their sins, who and have prepared themselves by fasting and who have been present from the beginning of the Liturgy are invited to receive Communion.

CALENDAR

Monday - Liturgy for the Dormition, 9:00 am
Parish Life Conference Meeting, 6:30 pm
Parish Council Meeteing, 7:00 pm

Saturday - Great Vespers, 5:00 pm

Next Sunday - Matins, 9:00 am / Divine Liturgy, 10:00 am
One-year memorial for Michael Mike

*There is fasting today in preparation for the Dormtion
and on Wednesday and Friday this week.*

14 August
2011



Ninth
Sunday after
Pentecost



Sunday before
the Dormition

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HOLY BREAD - The gifts are offered today by Christine Grady and Susan Davis in memory of the departed of their family.

COFFEE HOUR - Please stay for refreshments following Liturgy, hosted by Christine Grady and Susan Davis.

VOTIVE - A seven day candle burns before the Icon of Christ for the health of Timothy Markatos and Anne Krekis.

GIFTS TO SAINT GEORGE

Kay Moseleyfor Joe, Lucine & Mari Kouyoumjian
.....and in memory of Lucine's mother Helen

REMEMBER IN PRAYER -

Pray for the servants of God: Archpriest Michael, Christopher and the Abdelahad Family; Archpriest Michael (Lewis), Archpriest Alexander (Atty), Kh. Joanne (Bitar), Anne (Krekis), Jack (Lucine's father), Karen, Charles, Ilinca, Mahasen Yacoub (Hanna -- Ibtis's mother), Sean (Hatfield), David (Rediker), Michael (Pepin), Beverly (DiFlaminies), Pamela (Manikas), Deacon Elias (Hamaty), Janet, Noah, William, Kate (Melchert), Fred (Tomm), John (Howard), Nicole (Tourigney), Darcey, David (Knipe and family), Tripp (Head), Alan (Andrew), Lana (Joseph), Christina (Adams), Emaline (Eakle), Cleo (Eysie), Janis, Timothy (Wright), Kathryne (Howard), Nicholas, Claudia (Eysie), Najlae (Solomon), Lillie (Kelley), Lovee (Thomas), Sandy (Thomas), Loretta (Thomas), George (Fares), Charles (Howard), Mary, Ioana, Nicolae, Sam, Catherine, Margaret, Brian, Marion, Sarah, Josephine, Sterling.

Pray for Elsa (Nashawaty Stallings) and David (Elliott) - currently deployed in the US armed forces.

Pray for Helen, newly departed, the mother of Lucine Kouyoumjian.

July 24 & 31 Income	Pledges	Donations & Memorials	Tray	Special Tray
2027.00	1192 .00	\$45.00	\$465.00	N.A.

Council & Parish Leaders

Christine Byron (Secretary)
Joseph Eysie (Vice Chairman)
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Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday before the Dormition of the Theotokos
Prophet Micah

EISODIKON

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ, O Son of God, who art risen from the dead, save us who sing unto thee, Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

TROPARION OF THE RESURRECTION (TONE 8)

O Compassionate One, thou didst descend from the heights; thou didst submit to the three-day burial, that thou mightest deliver us from passion. Thou art our Life and our Resurrection, O Lord, glory to thee.

FOREFEAST OF THE DORMITION (TONE 4)

Come forward, O ye people, and receive the glad tidings, clapping your hands together. Gather together today anxiously and joyfully, and shout ye all in joy for the Theotokos is about to rise in glory from the earth to the heavens. Let us ever glorify her with praises for she is the Theotokos.

TROPARION OF SAINT GEORGE, PATRON OF OUR COMMUNITY (TONE 4)

As deliverer of captives, and defender of the poor, healer of the infirm, champion of kings, victorious Great-Martyr George, intercede with Christ our God, for our souls' salvation.

KONTAKON OF THE DORMITION (TONE 2)

Neither the tomb nor death had power over the Theotokos, who is ever watchful in her prayers and in whose intercession lies unfailing hope. For as the Mother of Life she has been transported into life by Him who dwelt within her ever-virgin womb.

EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

Prokeimenon and Verse: Make your vows to the Lord our God and perform them. God is known in Judah; his name is great in Israel.

**The Reading is from the First Epistle of
 Apostle Paul to the Corinthians**
(3:9-17; 9th Sunday)

Brethren, we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, God's building. According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and another man is building upon it. Let each man take care how he builds upon it. For no other foundation can any one lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any one builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw-- each man's work will become manifest; for the Day will disclose it, because it will be revealed with fire, and the fire will test what sort of work each one has done. If the work which any man has built on the foundation survives, he will receive a reward. If any man's work is burned up, he will suffer loss, though he himself will be saved, but only as through fire. Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you? If any one destroys God's temple, God will destroy him. For God's temple is holy, and that temple you are.

Alleluia. O Come, let us sing to the Lord; let us shout for joy to God our Saviour. *Alleluia.* Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving.
Alleluia.

**The Reading is from the Holy Gospel accord-
 ing to Saint Matthew**
(14:22-34; 9th Sunday)

Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but the boat by this time was many furlongs distant from the land, beaten by the waves; for the wind was against them. And in the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out for fear. But immediately he spoke to them, saying, "Take heart, it is I; have no fear." And Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, bid me come to you on the water." He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus; but when he saw the wind, he was afraid, and beginning to sink he cried out, "Lord, save me." Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, "O man of little faith, why did you doubt?" Then, when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God." And when they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret.