



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

Thanks to Father Stephen Mathewes for covering services this week. Father Joseph and the Kimmetts are in Colorado, where his parents are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. By your prayers they will return to Norwood Friday.

Monday - Paraklesis, 7:00 pm

Wednesday - Paraklesis, 7:00 pm

Saturday - Great Vespers, 5:00 pm

Next Sunday - Matins, 9:00 am / Divine Liturgy, 10:00 am

Monday the 15th - Liturgy for the Dormition, 9:00 am

The Dormition Fast continues through August 14th.

7 August
2011



Eighth

Sunday after

Pentecost



Sunday after

Transfiguration

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GIFTS TO SAINT GEORGE

Kay & Edward Moseley
. *in memory of Michael Joseph, John Panazzo and Nabil Ayoub's mother*
Florence Esper and Alice Kelley *in memory of Michael Joseph*
Dolres Elias, Sharon & Jenna Weiskerger *in memory of Rudolph Mosesso*
Donald & Demetria Phillips *in memory of Thonmas Varitimos*
Yvonne Fotopoulos & Family *for Maya on her birthday*
..... *and in memory of Nicholas Fotopoulos*

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 and Helen (Lucine's parents), 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), Kathrynne (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.

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)
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**Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday after the Transfiguration**

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 7)

Thou didst shatter death by thy Cross; thou didst open paradise to the thief; thou didst turn the mourning of the ointment-bearing women into joy, and didst bid thine Apostles proclaim warning that thou hast risen, O Christ, granting the world Great Mercy.

TROPARION OF THE TRANSFIGURATION (TONE 7)

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.

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.

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 Thy suffering was voluntary, and could declare to all the world that thou art truly the effulgent Splendour of the Father.

EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

Prokeimenon and Verse: The Lord will give strength to his people. Bring to the Lord, O sons of God, bring to the Lord honor and glory.

**The Reading is from the First Epistle of
Apostle Paul to the Corinthians**
(1:10-17; 8th Sunday)

I appeal to you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree and that there be no dissensions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same judgment. For it has been reported to me by Chlo'e's people that there is quarreling among you, my brethren. What I mean is that each one of you says, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apol'los," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? I am thankful that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Ga'ius; lest any one should say that you were baptized in my name. (I did baptize also the household of Steph'anas. Beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized any one else.) For Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, lest the cross of Christ be emptied of its power.

Alleluia. I waited patiently for the Lord. *Alleluia.* Many are the troubles of the righteous, but the Lord will deliver them from them all. *Alleluia.*

**The Reading is from the Holy Gospel accord-
ing to Saint Matthew**
(14:14-22; 8th Sunday)

As Jesus went ashore he saw a great throng; and he had compassion on them, and healed their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a lonely place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." They said to him, "We have only five loaves here and two fish." And he said, "Bring them here to me." Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass; and taking the five loaves and the two fish he looked up to heaven, and blessed, and broke and gave the loaves to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children. Jesus then made the disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds.