



# SAINT GEORGE

## ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN CHURCH

### NORWOOD, MA

مرحبا بكم    Καλώς ορίσατε!    Добро пожаловать  
**Welcome! It is a pleasure to have visitors and friends  
 with us at Saint George. If you would like to know  
 more about our parish or the Orthodox Church, please ask.**

*Communion: Those Orthodox Christians who have confessed their sins,  
 who have prepared themselves by fasting, and who have been present  
 from the start of the Liturgy are invited to approach the chalice.  
 Everyone may partake of the holy bread.*

**Most Rev. Archbishop  
 JOSEPH**  
*Metropolitan of North  
 America*

**Right Rev. Bishop JOHN**  
*Diocese of Worcester &  
 New England*

**Very Rev. Father  
 Joseph Kimmett, Pastor**



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**Sunday 13 July 2014**



### Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the Fourth Ecumenical Council

#### Upcoming Services and Events

- Today - Third Session of Camp at Antiochian Village begins
- July 14-18 - Father Joseph at Clergy Symposium, Antiochian Village
- July 18-19 - Father Joseph at Archdiocese / Teen SOYO meetings, AV
- Next Sunday - Matins -9:00 am / Divine Liturgy - 10:00 am  
 One-year memorial for Alec Deeb
- Fasting - *There is fasting on Wednesday and Friday this week.*

#### **HOLY BREAD**

The gifts are offered today by the Byron family.

#### **COFFEE HOUR**

Please join us for refreshments after the Liturgy, hosted today by the Byron family.

#### **GIFTS TO SAINT GEORGE**

A full list of donors will be included in the bulletin on 20 July. The generosity and love of our donors is greatly appreciated.

#### **REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

**Pray for** Metropolitan Paul of Aleppo and Archbishop Yohanna (Syriac bishop) and all who are in danger and captivity.

**Pray also for** Archpriest Michael & the Abdelahad Family, Kh Elizabeth (Bethoney), Priest Michael (Bird), Frances (Giandomenico), Elaine (Bitar), Joyce (Boulis), Kenneth (Hadge), Helen (Kelley), Marcia (Shapiro), Dolores (Elias), Marion (Corcoran), Lina (Karam), Ernest (Peter), Florence (Esper), Shannon (Prevatt), Patricia (Elliot), Margaret (Domet), Effie (Kalliel), Anne (Krekis), Marion (Redonnet), Nicolae (Daniela's father), Beverly (DiFlaminies), Deacon Elias (Hamaty), Fred (Tomm), John (Howard), Darcey, David (Knipe & family), Alan (Andrew), Lana (Joseph), Christina (Adams), Emaline (Eakle), Cleo (Eysie), Timothy (Wright), Kathyryne (Howard), Lovee (Thomas), Sandy (Thomas), Josephine (Purpura).

#### **Council & Parish Leaders**

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June 15 & 29 Income	Pledges	Donations & Memorials	Tray	Special Collection
\$2905.00	\$1999.00	\$155.00	\$271.00	N.A.



**Holy Fathers of the Fourth Ecumenical Council****Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel; Venerable Stephen of Mar Sabbas Monastery****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 4)**

Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel, the women Disciples 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.

**TROPARION OF THE FATHERS (TONE 8)**

Thou, O Christ, art our God of exceeding praise who didst establish our holy Fathers as luminous stars upon earth, and through them didst guide us unto the true Faith, O most merciful One, 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 (TONE 2)**

O Undisputed intercessor of Christians, the mediatrix unrejected by the Creator, turn not away from the voice of our petitions, though we be sinners. Come to us in time, who cry to thee in faith, with assistance; for thou art good. Hasten to us with intercessions, O Theotokos, who dost ever intercede for those who honour thee.

**EPISTLE AND GOSPEL**

*Prokeminon and Verse:* Blessed art Thou, O Lord, the God of our Fathers, and praised and glorified is Thy name unto the ages. For righteous art Thou in all which Thou hast done for us.

**The Reading is from the Epistle of Apostle Paul to Titus (3:8-15 for the Fathers)**

The saying is sure. I desire you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to apply themselves to good deeds; these are excellent and profitable to men. But avoid stupid controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels over the law, for they are unprofitable and futile. As for a man who is factious, after admonishing him once or twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is perverted and sinful; he is self-condemned. When I send Artemas or Tych'icus to you, do your best to come to me at Nicop'olis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apol'los on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to apply themselves to good deeds, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not to be unfruitful. All who are with me send greetings to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all.

*Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.*

**The Reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew (5:14-19; for the Fathers)**

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. "Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfil them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven.