# Christ the Saviour Cathedral

## *"CATHEDRAL JOTTINGS"*




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**Cathedral Church of His Eminence, Metropolitan Gregory of Nyssa**
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**American Carpatho-Russian Orthodox Diocese**
of the
**Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople**


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Vol. 78 No. 1767 **Sunday, April 11th, 2021**


# *Fourth Sunday of the Great Fast*

## *Saint John Climacus*



**Divine Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great – 9 am**
**Sunday School - 10:20 am**

Panachida for ***+Michael and Justina, son John, parents Andrew and Mary, in-laws Paul and Anna, and brother Michael*** offered by Justina Slachta (Perpetual)

Resurrection Tone 3

Tropar & Kondak: pages 87 & 183-184

Epistle: Hebrews 6:13-20 Gospel: Mark 9:17-31

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**Services for the week of April 11th**

**Mon. 4/12** … +John and Elizabeth offered by Velma and Irene Vargo; +Andrew Mikolaj offered by Phyllis Mikolaj and family; +Mary and Michael Burcha (Perpetual) – Parastas……..8:00 am

**Tue. 4/13** … +Stella Matola; +Joseph Bearjar; +Anna C. Smider (Perpetual) – Parastas …8:00 am

**Wed. 4/14** …+Helen and Vasil Chopey offered by Anna Smider (Perpetual) – Parastas.…8:00 am

***Canon of Saint Andrew of Crete……7:00 pm***

**Thur. 4/15** … +Mother Susan Korinko offered by Pani Emily Molchany; and Stephen Kassander offered by Mathilda and Stephen Kassander (Perpetual) – Parastas……8:00 am


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**Fri. 4/16** … +Anna Gergel; +Mary Nemchik; +Anna Patchen offered by John Patchen; and +George and Helen Pazuchanics (Perpetual) – Parastas……...8:00 am

***Presanctified Liturgy……7:00 pm***

**Sat. 4/17** … Great Vespers…….……..6:00 pm

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**Sunday, April 18th, 2021**

## *Fifth Sunday of the Great Fast – Saint Mary of Egypt*

**Divine Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great - 9:00 am**
**Sunday School - 10:20 am**

Panachida for ***+Anna Fedornock*** offered by Fr. John, Steve and Mary; ***+Departed members of the Yurcisin and Popovich Families*** offered by Ann Melanie Yurcisin; ***+Frank Terchanik, John Dzura Jr. and Dorothy Neff*** offered by Pani Kathy Buczak and ***+Dorothy Kristofco*** offered by Carol Devine

Resurrection Tone 4 - Tropar & Kondak: pages 90 & 185-186
Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14 Gospel: Mark 10:32-45

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**Services for the week of April 18th**

**Mon. 4/19** … +Fr. Peter Pavlinchak; and +Peter and Helen offered by John Kuzivich (Perpetual) – Parastas…...…8:00 am

**Tue. 4/20** … +George and Pauline Stegura; and +John Yech Sr. Michael, John Jr. and Mary offered by Mary Yech (Perpetual) – Parastas……8:00 am

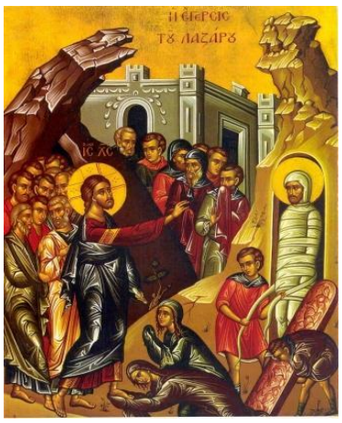
**Wed. 4/21** … +Julia Hamilla; and +Helen Krett offered by Edward and Rita Hanachak; and +Anna and Paul Csubar (Perpetual) – Parastas……..8:00 am

***Moleben to Saint Nectarios with anointing……7:00 pm***

**Thur. 4/22** … +Simon Lazarak offered by Anna Lazarak (Perpetual) Parastas……...8:00 am

**Fri. 4/23** … ***Presanctified Liturgy……7:00 pm***

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**Saturday, April 24th, 2021**

## *Lazarus Saturday*

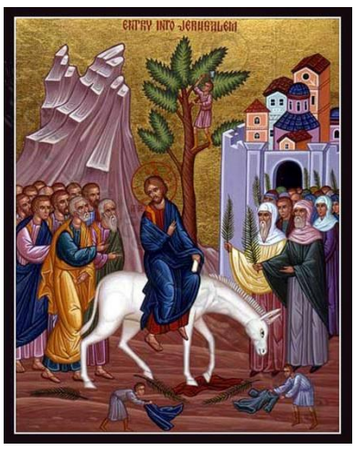
**Divine Liturgy - 9:00 am**

Tropar & Kondak: Pages 186-187
***Epistle***: Hebrews 12:28-29; 13:1-8
***Gospel***: John 11:1-45

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***Vespers for the Feast of the Triumphal Entry of Our Lord into Jerusalem – 6:00 pm***

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**Sunday, April 25th, 2021**

## *Triumphal Entry of Our Lord into Jerusalem*

## *Palm Sunday*

**Divine Liturgy: 9:00 am**
Tropar & Kondak: pages 188-192
Epistle: Philippians 4:4-9
Gospel: John 12: 1-18

***Bridegroom Matins – 2:30 pm***

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# BIBLE STUDY
# Tuesday, April 13th, 2021 @6:30 pm

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**BIRTHDAY PRAYERS** –***Sophie Martich- 100th Birthday (4/11), Carol Piechnik (4/13), Ed Sakmar (4/14), Jim Kobal (4/15), Susan Krenisky (4/15), Drake Thomas Billetdeaux (4/16), and Stella Nitkulinec (4/18).*** You were remembered in Prokomedia!

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# QUOTES FROM THE HOLY FATHERS

Since spiritual pleasures are both everlasting and beyond compare, and the delights of the flesh are pointless and short-lived, let us, brethren, prefer those that are permanent, ineffable and heavenly, rather than those that are swept away and go into ruin. Let us overlook things that are fleeting, even if they treacherously beguile our senses for a moment; and let us lay claim to the lasting and eternally indestructible good things to come.

***St. Gregory Palamas***

You have an obligation to protect your members from what is harmful. If your body is innocent of fornication, keep your mouth from making false and defamatory statements. Your mouth may be unable to commit adultery, but it can lie and slander and thereby involve you in the same perdition; for if one of your members is guilty, you are entirely condemned on account of that condemned member.

***St. Ephraim the Syrian***

Our starting point is always wrong. Instead of beginning with ourselves, we always want to change others first and ourselves last. If everyone were to begin first with themselves, then there would be peace all around.

***Elder Thaddeus of Vitovnica***

The first step toward freedom from anger is to keep the lips silent when the heart is stirred; the next, to keep the thoughts silent when the soul is stirred; the last, to be totally calm when unclean winds are blowing.

***St. John Climacus***

In spite of our sinfulness, in spite of the darkness surrounding our souls, the Grace of the Holy Spirit, conferred by baptism in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, still shines in our hearts with the inextinguishable light of Christ…. And when the sinner turns to the way of repentance the light smooths away every trace of the sins committed, clothing the former sinner in the garment of incorruption, spun of the Grace of the Holy Spirit. It is this acquisition of the Holy Spirit about which I have been speaking.

***St. Seraphim of Serov***

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## PRAYER CHAIN

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| Thomas Buczak | Ronald Kmet | Arianna Risso | Margaret Blehi | Robert Stokes |
| Cindy LaBarr | Michael Derby | Charlie Erisman | Bill Pringle | Barbara Stokes |
| Annie Mishurda | Sue Miller | Rachael Costlow | Valentina Yaremenko | Marcia Matthews |
| Steve Martyak | Maureen & Jay Dabbs | Marshall Rosenow | Olga Yaremetko | Jolene McClain |
| Joan Wine | Judith Pringle | Shirley Mazurak | Steve Prieber | Dorothy Kapolka |
| Jessica McLaughlin | Robert Pringle | Donna Babble | Aberdeen Rudge | Georgene Coulter |
| Michael Sakmar | Barbara Virostek | Richard Barnes | Mark Kuruzovich | Tommy Lee Knipple |
| Joseph Muchesko | Robert Janeway | Michael Logan | Pat Hanuska | Tanya Britan |
| Roberta Kovalik | Helen Duray | Lloyd Broadwater | Dwight Nugle | Frank Porembka |
| Theresa Milkovich | Andy Walls | Nick Timko | Rose and Terry Fyock | Helen Porembka |
| Kira Pronin | Jack Dahl | Erin Demich | Rosalia Horner | Daniel Porembka |
| Alexxa Lowery | Janet Hanak | Mary Ann Muchesko | Beverly Mayo | Dr. Rose Ann Jordan |
| Romayne Laichak | Eva Zeleniak-Whitak | Joella Hamlin | Al Kuzmyak | Elmer C. Laslo |
| Debbie Dawson | Malcolm Barnes | Donna Martyak | Michael Paul Gost | Steve Kuzmiak |
| Zachary Rogina | Ann Koehnlein | Veronica Ronchak | Brooklyn Balamuto | Demetra Mavrophilipos |
| Robert J. Gritzer | Larry Eisenhauer | Mary Jane Matolyak | Victoria Bennett | Gaynell Shrift |
| Ron Kuzmyak | Evelyn Houston | Michaela Miller | Christina Sakmar | |
| Paul Kalcik | Dave Podolak | Arianna Jade Miller | Matushka Helen | |
| Henry Laichak | Judith Rowlands | Taylor Miller | Jasiukowicz | |
| Beverly Tinkle | Angeline Komara | Jennifer Gardenhour | Joanne Democko | |

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**Rectory Office Hours** – Father is available any time by appointment.

**Emergency Sick Calls** can be made at any time. Please phone the rectory when a family member is admitted to the hospital.

**Marriages** are solemnized on Saturdays or Sundays. Consult the pastor at least six months in advance and before plans have been made for the wedding reception. Marriages cannot be celebrated during the fasting seasons of the church, or on Fridays.

**Baptisms** are normally scheduled on Saturdays or Sundays. Consult the pastor. Two God-parents are required, at least one of whom must be Orthodox by faith and the other a practicing Christian.

**Church Funerals** are provided for practicing Orthodox Christians who are current in their spiritual and financial obligations to the parish; otherwise burial is from the funeral home.

The Church does not permit cremation.

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