



**GREAT-PRINCE VLADIMIR OF KIEV,
EQUAL-TO-THE-APOSTLES &
SUNDAY OF THE HOLY FATHERS OF
FOURTH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL**

JULY 15, 2018

SAINTS OF THE DAY:

GREAT PRINCE VLADIMIR (BASIL) OF KIEV, EQUAL-TO-THE-APOSTLES;
MARTYRS KYRIKOS AND HIS MOTHER JULITTA OF TARSUS

During the Little Entrance, chant the Resurrectional Apolytikion. The Eisodikon (Entrance Hymn) is "O come, let us worship... save us, O Son of God, Who art risen from the dead..." After the Little Entrance, chant the apolytikia in the following order:

RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION IN TONE SIX

When Mary stood at Thy grave, looking for Thy sacred body, angelic powers shone above Thy revered tomb; and the soldiers who were to keep guard became as dead men. Thou led Hades captive and wast not tempted thereby. Thou didst meet the Virgin and didst give life to the world, O Thou, Who art risen from the dead, O Lord, glory to Thee.

APOLYTIKION OF THE HOLY FATHERS IN TONE EIGHT

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 ST. GEORGE IN TONE FOUR

As deliverer of captives and defender of the poor, healer of the infirm and champion of kings, victorious Great-martyr George, intercede with Christ our God that our souls may be saved.

KONTAKION OF REGULAR SUNDAYS IN TONE TWO

O undisputed intercessor Christians, the mediatrix, who was unrejected by the Creator. Turn not away from the voice of our petitions, though we be sinners. Come to us with aid in time, who cry unto thee in faith, for thou art good. Hasten to us with intercessions, O Theotokos, who dost ever intercede for those who honor thee.

THE EPISTLE

Blessed art Thou, O Lord, the God of our Fathers.

For Thou art just in all that Thou hast done for us.

The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to St. Titus (3:8-15)

Titus, my son, 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 Tychicus to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos 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. Amen.

THE GOSPEL

The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew (5:14-19)

The Lord said to His Disciples: "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 fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, until 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."

⁴ *Reception of Holy Communion— Protocol and Etiquette*

During the Summer months or anytime there is NO Church School in session, children should remain in their pews with their family and approach for Holy Communion with their family. There is no need to line up in the back of the Sanctuary. And, of course, EVERYONE (children and adults) should return to their pews after the Reception of Holy Communion and remain until the Dismissal Prayers and Parish Announcements.

Church Etiquette Tips

Keeping Focus In Worship – Too often we become easily distracted, whether at home, work, out and about, and especially in Church. With any desired goal or skill, patience and discipline are required and greatly helpful. We should be focused and attentive during prayer and worship. The clergy often recite this command liturgically: **“Let us attend!”** or **“Let us be attentive!”** Surely, the movement of others during services will entice us to glance in one direction or another, but we can try to limit that glance across the Church, and certainly, not letting that glance turn into a stare! Together, we can work on being less distracted and not distracting others if we keep focus during worship!

Church School Program—In Need of Teachers

Our Church School begins on Sunday, September 9—in order to fully minister to the youth of our parish community, we are in need of teachers and lay leaders. Please consider helping out and see Fr. Paul to discuss your willingness to participate in this worthy ministry and program.

PARISH LIFE UPDATE

Ladies' Book Club (TONIGHT): The ladies of our parish community are invited to participate in this monthly gathering at 6:00p in the Church Office. For more information, please contact Paula Powell.

Clergy Symposium at the Antiochian Village (July 16-20): Please note that Fr. Paul will be out of town attending the Clergy Symposium of our Archdiocese. Should a pastoral emergency arise, please contact Pdn. Elias Corey (812-249-6694).

“Teen TALK” Discussion Gatherings—We would like to invite our teenagers to gather together with Fr. Paul for various topics during this Summer; please let Fr. Paul know your availability.

Blessing of Cars—Sunday, July 22

In honor of the Feast of the Prophet Elijah (July 20), we will offer prayers and bless our cars (and other modes of transportation—bicycles, motorcycles, trucks, and even big wheels!) on Sunday, July 22 following the Dismissal of Divine Liturgy. Feel free to invite your friends and neighbors to join us for this blessing!

Mediterranean Festival—Saturday, September 29

Food Prep for the Mediterranean Festival will begin Sunday, July 29 **immediately after Coffee (Fellowship) Hour**. We will begin making kibby, and then grape leaves on the following dates:

Sunday, July 29 after Coffee Hour & Wednesday, August 1 at 5:30p
 Sunday, August 5 after Coffee Hour & Wednesday, August 8 at 5:30p
 Sunday, August 12 after Coffee Hour & Thursday, August 16 at 5:30p

Orthodox Young Professionals Conference in Denver—Gather with other Orthodox young adults from across the country for this upcoming conference. For more information, please visit their website: www.oypc.org or discuss with Fr. Paul.

ORTHODOX YOUNG PROFESSIONALS CONFERENCE

August 16-19, 2018
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HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAYS

STEPHANIE AZAR	20TH
KH. RAMIA FULLER	20TH
MICHAEL D. BUZASH	21ST



SUMMARY — July 8, 2018

WEEKLY INCOME

Pledges & Assessments	\$ 2,428.00
Candles/Cash	\$ 66.00
Donations	\$.00
Total	\$ 2,494.00

Divine Liturgy Attendance: 60

HOLY OBLATION



TODAY

Offered by Ray & Renee Azar for the health and well-being of their family and by Adam & Stephanie Azar for the health and well-being of their family and on the occasion of their 9th wedding anniversary..

July 22

Offered by Michael Buzash for the health and well-being of his family.

July 29

Offered by Michael & Mary Jo Tom for the health and well-being of their family.

August 5

Offered by Drs. Steve & Jamie Maynard for the health and well-being of their family.

COFFEE (FELLOWSHIP) HOUR

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Wednesday, July 18	Reader Vespers	6:00p
Saturday, July 21	Great Vespers	6:00p
Sunday, July 22	Matins	9:00a
	Divine Liturgy followed by Blessing of Cars	10:00a

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