



# **GREAT FEAST OF PENTECOST**

**MAY 27, 2018**

### THE FIRST ANTIPHON

The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament proclaimeth the work of His hands. Day unto day poureth forth speech, and night unto night proclaimeth knowledge.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us.

There are neither tongues nor words in which their voices are not heard. Their sound hath gone forth into all the earth, and their words unto the ends of the world. (*Refrain*)

Glory... Both now... (*Refrain*)

### THE SECOND ANTIPHON

The Lord hear thee in the day of affliction; the Name of the God of Jacob defend thee. Let Him send forth unto thee help from His sanctuary, and out of Zion let Him help thee.

*Refrain:* O Good Comforter, save us who sing to Thee. Alleluia.

Let Him remember every sacrifice of thine, and thy whole-burnt offering let Him fatten. (*Refrain*)

The Lord grant thee according to thy heart, and fulfill all thy purposes. (*Refrain*)

Glory... Both now... O, only begotten Son and Word of God...

### THE THIRD ANTIPHON

O Lord, in Thy strength the king shall be glad, and in Thy salvation shall he rejoice exceedingly. The desire of his heart hast Thou granted unto him, and hast not denied him the request of his lips. Thou wentest before him with blessings of goodness, Thou hast set upon his head a crown of precious stones. He asked life of Thee, and Thou gavest him length of days unto ages of ages.

*During the Little Entrance, after the Third Antiphon verses, chant the Apolytikion of Pentecost.*

THE ENTRANCE HYMN OF THE FEAST

**Be Thou exalted, O Lord, in Thy strength; we shall praise and sing of Thy mighty acts.** O Good Comforter, save us who sing to Thee. Alleluia.

*Now sing these apolytikia in the following order.*

APOLYTIKION OF PENTECOST IN TONE EIGHT

Blessed art You, O Christ our God, Who has revealed the fishermen as most wise, by sending down upon them the Holy Spirit. Through them you drew the world into a net. O Lover of man, glory to You.

*Do NOT sing the apolytikion of the patron saint or feast of the temple.*

KONTAKION OF PENTECOST IN TONE EIGHT

When the High One descended, confusing tongues, He divided the nations. And when He distributed the fiery tongues He called all to one unity. Wherefore, in unison we glorify the most Holy Spirit.

THE ANTI-TRISAGION HYMN

As many as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Alleluia.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

Have put on Christ. Alleluia.

As many as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Alleluia.

## THE EPISTLE

*Their voice has gone out into all the earth.*

*The heavens declare the glory of God.*

### **The Reading from the Acts of the Apostles (2:1-11)**

When the day of Pentecost had come, the Disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly a sound came from heaven like the rush of a mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. And there appeared to them tongues as of fire, distributed and resting on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in his own language. And they were amazed and wondered, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians, we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God."

## THE GOSPEL

### **Reading of the Holy Gospel according to St. John (7:37-52; 8:12)**

On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and proclaimed, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, 'Out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.'" Now this He said about the Spirit, which those who believed in Him were to receive; for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified. When they heard these words, many of the people said, "This is really the prophet." Others said, "This is the Christ." But some said, "Is the Christ to come from Galilee?"

Has not the Scripture said that the Christ is descended from David, and comes from Bethlehem, the village where David was?" So there was a division among the people over Him. Some of them wanted to arrest Him, but no one laid hands on Him. The officers then went back to the chief priests and Pharisees, who said to them, "Why did you not bring Him?" The officers answered, "No man ever spoke like this man!" The Pharisees answered them, "Are you led astray, you also? Have any of the authorities or the Pharisees believed in Him? But this crowd, who do not know the Law, are accursed." Nicodemus, who had gone to Him before, and who was one of them, said to them, "Does our Law judge a man without first giving him a hearing and learning what he does?" They replied, "Are you from Galilee too? Search and you will see that no prophet is to rise from Galilee." Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world; he who follows Me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

## *Kneeling Prayers—TODAY*

We will offer the "Kneeling Prayers" at the end of Liturgy; be sure to participate in this beautiful offering as we celebrate the Great Feast of Pentecost (The Descent of the Holy Spirit)!

## *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.

## Parish Life UPDATE

**Church Office Closed in observance of Memorial Day—** Monday, May 28. Memorial Eternal to those who have served and sacrificed in our Armed Forces!

**Vespers & Evangelization Presentation**—Join us this Thursday, May 31st at 6:00p for a special evening with Fr. John Parker (Chair of the Department of Evangelization for the OCA). He is visiting from South Carolina and will offer a presentation giving practical advice on how to discuss and share our Faith! We will begin with Vespers at 6:00p followed by a potluck dinner and presentation/discussion.

**Visit to Sister Parish in Bloomington for Feast-day**—Join us on Saturday, June 2 at 5:00p for Great Vespers and dinner outing in Bloomington. The Feast of All Saints is their patronal feast; we'd like to celebrate with them!

## HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAYS

JULIE K. LAKE	27TH
KATHERINE E. ELLIS	28TH
JULIE KASSIS	28TH



### SUMMARY — May 20, 2018

#### WEEKLY INCOME

Pledges & Assessments	\$ 444.00
Candles/Cash	\$ 198.00
Donations	\$ 316.00

<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 958.00</b>
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Divine Liturgy Attendance: 108

## HOLY OBLATION



### TODAY

Offered by Mike & Nancy Ellis, for the health and well-being of their family and on the occasion of the birthday of their daughter, Katherine.

### June 3

Offered by the Maloof Family, for their health and well-being and in honor of their nephew, Noah Shahadey's, graduation and the June birthdays of Mindy Bement and +Elaine Maloof.

### June 10

Offered by Kyle & Eleni Miller, for the health and well-being of their family.

### June 17

Offered by Jimmy & Tricia Tanoos, for the health and well-being of their family and on the occasion of Lucia Rose's birthday.

## COFFEE (FELLOWSHIP) HOUR

TODAY — Hosted by Mike & Nancy Ellis

June 3 — Hosted by the Maloof Family

June 10 — Hosted by Kyle & Eleni Miller

June 17 — Hosted by Jimmy & Tricia Tanoos

## *LITURGICAL SCHEDULE THIS WEEK*

Thursday, May 31	Vespers, Potluck Dinner, & Evangelization Presentation	6:00p
Saturday, June 2	Great Vespers & Dinner Outing at All Saints Church in Bloomington (NO service in Terre Haute)	5:00p
Sunday, June 3	Matins	9:00a
	Divine Liturgy	10:00a

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