

MARCH 2, 2025

BULLETIN – SUNDAY OF FORGIVENESS (CHEESEFARE)

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Bulletin Submissions Deadline – 10 am Wed. ♦ church website: https://ssppaoc.org

Ss Peter & Paul Mission: preserve, practice, and proclaim the Gospel of our Lord, God, & Savior Jesus Christ in order to glorify God in the parish and wider community.

This Week @ Ss. Peter & Paul –March 3-9, 2025

- 3/3 Mo 6:00 pm – Great Compline w/Canon of St Andrew
3/4 Tu 7:00 am – Readers Orthros
6:00 pm – Great Compline w/Canon of St Andrew
3/5 Wd 6:00 pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy followed by Soup Supper
3/6 Th 7:00 am – Men’s Reading Group
6:00 pm – Great Compline w/Canon of St Andrew
3/7 Fr 6:00 pm – Little Compline w/Akathist
3/8 Sa 6:00 pm – Great Vespers & Compline DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME – Set your clocks forward one hour
3/9 Su 8:20 am – Orthros
9:30 am – Divine Liturgy – Sunday of Orthodoxy & procession w/icons
No Church School
Adult choir rehearsal
6:00 pm – Pan Orthodox Vespers followed by light refreshments

Looking Ahead—

- March 10 Great Compline
March 11 Akathist for Healing
March 12 Presanctified Divine Liturgy followed by Soup Supper
March 14 Little Compline w/Akathist
March 15 Saturday of Souls Morning Divine Liturgy
March 16 Adult choir rehearsal
March 17 Great Compline
March 19 Presanctified Divine Liturgy followed by Soup Supper
March 20 Akathist to Jesus followed by Koffee w/Khouria

Table with 2 columns: Name and Date. Rows include: Many Years – Birthday (Victor Albers March 3, Faith Swagerty March 5, Avery Machnee March 6, Linda Matthews March 7, Christopher Six March 7, Amanda Baillie March 7); Many Years – Anniversary (Erik & Krista Perez March 3, James & Cheryl Paquette March 6, Dn. Anthony & Sh. Camille Livingston March 7).

Forgiveness Vespers TODAY – 6:00 pm

MARCH 9 SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY PAN-ORTHODOX VESPERS

Change of plans! We will meet for the Pan-Orthodox Vespers service on March 9 at the Church of the Redeemer, 380 Magdalena Ave., Los Altos Hills at 5:00 pm. Multiple Orthodox churches will celebrate together. There will be a Lenten potluck following the service. Please bring a Lenten dish to share: no meat or dairy. RSVP to (650) 941-1570 if you plan to attend. (This is in addition to our morning services, which include a procession with icons around the church.)

Remember to bring an icon for the procession on Sunday of Orthodoxy

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Please contact the church office with the names of the sick and hospitalized of the parish so they may receive pastoral care.

Adult choir rehearsal today

MISSION SUNDAY – MARCH 9

The Orthodox Christian Mission Center (OCMC) is the agency of the Assembly of Bishops in the United States that coordinates Orthodox missionary efforts. OCMC sends missionaries and mission specialists throughout the world, including Albania, Brazil, Guatemala, Kenya, Mexico, Romania, Tanzania, Tonga, and Uganda. It also supports mission priests and seminaries, trains Church leaders, and funds mission grants. To learn more about OCMC, and to contribute, check out their website at www.ocmc.org.

Parish Life Conference

June 25-29

Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport

Hosted by St. Nicholas Church

www.lapl.org

TIMES FOR CONFESSION

Confessions are heard after Vespers on Wednesday evenings (by appointment), on Saturday evenings following Great Vespers and by appointment during the week. If you desire to go to confession during Orthros, come prior to 9:15 am and send a message to one of the priests through one of the deacons.

Biennial Archdiocese Convention

July 20-27

Hyatt Regency O'Hare Chicago

Hosted by St. George Church, Cicero, IL

www.ac2025chicago.org

KITCHEN MINISTRY UPDATE

The kitchen ministry team sends you a heartfelt thank you for helping update the kitchen. Among other things they have purchased new cutting boards, towels, and hot pads. There are also new fans! If you would like to donate items that are used regularly, like hot chocolate, tea, sugar, etc. please see Marilyn Spurgeon.

FASTING & LENTEN SERVICE SCHEDULE

If you did not receive a yellow "Fasting & Great Lent" booklet or a hot pink "Forgiveness Vespers & Great Lent Schedule" last Sunday, pick them up in the narthex today.

ARRANGING SACRAMENTS: INFANT BAPTISM, MATRIMONY & ADULT INITIATION

Contact the church office and set up an appointment with Fr. Christopher to discuss the arrangements for these sacraments.

ANTIOCHIAN WOMEN'S LENTEN RETREAT

The Antiochian Women of DLAW's Lenten retreat this year is April 4-6 at Camp St. Nicholas, Frazier Park, CA. The guest speaker will be V. Rev. Fr. Michael Nasser from St. Nicholas Antiochian Orthodox Church in Grand Rapids, MI. The theme of the retreat is "Keeping Faith in a Confusing, Chaotic World." Registration info coming soon.

LOST & FOUND

If you have misplaced something on the church grounds, look in the box below the church mailboxes in the parish hall. If the item is small, like sunglasses, check with the church office.

TRAVELING MERCIES & ANNOINTING WITH OIL

If you plan to travel or are ill, please request a blessing or anointing with oil before travel and at the beginning of your illness.

BULLETIN BOARD POSTS

Be sure to check the bulletin board in the parish hall for news from our parish as well as the greater Orthodox world. Remember to check with the church office before posting anything to the bulletin board.

Memory Eternal

March 5

Marjorie Hardenbrook

March 7

Daniel Oakes

March 7

Dr. Mark Rickert

March 7

Mike Burke