

The Way Of The CROSS

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The Resurrection of our Lord, God and Saviour, Jesus Christ. PASCHA

Hieromartyr Basil of Ancyra (362-362). Martyr Drosida of Antioch, and the five nuns with her (104). St. Isaac of the Salmatian Monsatery (383). New Martyr Schema-abbess Sophia of Kyiv (1914). St. Paul, Bp. Of Narbonne (III).

ORDER OF SERVICE:

The entry verse:

In congregations bless ye God, the Lord from the wellsprings of Israel.

Troparion and Kontakion

Tone 1: Christ is risen from the dead, / trampling down death by death, // and upon those in the tombs bestowing life.

Tone 1: O Lord, save Your People, / and bless Your inheritance! / Grant victory to Orthodox Christians / over their adversaries, / and by Your Cross // preserve Your Commonwealth.

Glory...

Tone 8: Before the dawn, Mary and the women came and found the stone rolled away from the tomb. / They heard the angelic voice: "Why do you seek among the dead as a man the One who is everlasting light? / Behold, the clothes in the grave. Go and proclaim to the world: The Lord is risen. He has slain death, // as He is the Son of God, saving the human race."

Both now...

Tone 8: You descended into the tomb, O Immortal, / You destroyed the power of death. / In victory did You arise, O Christ God, / proclaiming "Rejoice!" to the myrrh-bearing women, granting peace to Your apostles, // and bestowing resurrection on the fallen.

Instead of the Trisagion: As many as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Alleluia. *Thrice.*

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

Have put on Christ. Alleluia.

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

Alleluia.

The Epistle

Reader: The Prokimenon in the **8th Tone:** This is the day which the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Choir: This is the day which the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Reader: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His mercy endures forever.

Choir: This is the day which the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

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Choir: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Reader: The Reading is from the Acts of the Apostles: [Acts 1:1-8]

Reader: Alleluia in the **4th Tone:** Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Choir: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Reader: You shall rise up and have pity on Zion.

Choir: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Reader: The Lord from heaven has looked upon the earth.

Choir: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Gospel: [John 1:1-17]

Communion Verse: Receive the Body of Christ, taste of the Fountain of Immortality. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Acts 1:1-8 (Sunday Epistle)

1. In my first book, Theophilus, I wrote about everything Jesus did and taught from the beginning,
2. up to the day when he was taken up to heaven after giving orders by the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen.
3. After he had suffered, he had shown himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them through a period of forty days and telling them about the kingdom of God.
4. While he was meeting with them, he ordered them, "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the Father's promise, about which you heard me speak.
5. For John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."
6. Now those who had come together began to ask him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?"
7. He answered them, "It is not for you to know what times or periods the Father has set by his own authority.
8. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

John 1:1-17 (Sunday Gospel)

1. In the beginning, the Word existed. The Word was with God, and the Word was God.
2. He existed in the beginning with God.
3. Through him all things were made, and apart from him nothing was made that has been made.
4. In him was life, and that life brought light to humanity.
5. And the light shines on in the darkness, and the darkness has never put it out.
6. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John.
7. He came as a witness to testify about the light, so that all might believe through him.
8. He was not the light, but he came to testify about the light.
9. This was the true light that enlightens every person by his coming into the world.
10. He was in the world, and the world was made through him. Yet the world did not recognize him.
11. He came to his own creation, yet his own people did not receive him.
12. However, to all who received him, to those believing in his name, he gave authority to become God's children,
13. who were born, not merely in a physical sense, or from a fleshly impulse, or from man's desire, but of God.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

VESPERS: Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.

DIVINE LITURGY:

April 4: Divine Liturgy 5:15 a.m.

April 11: Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

April 18: Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

April 25: Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Financial Report Mar. 10

Income 3265.50

Expenses 3621.67

Net -\$356.17

Building Fund

Goal — \$25,000

Collected —

\$9692.76

Fund Raising

512 dozen perogies sold: \$2066.50 raised.

Prayer for Needs: Pamela, and Jeff, Lisa, Dustin, Lucinda, Sophia

Prayer for Sick: Georgina, , Dustin, Chuck, Frank

Prayer for the souls of those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:

GOD GRANT MANY YEARS: March

Birthdays: Churck (5), Andre (10)Danielle (15),

Anniversaries:

OUR PARISH REQUIRES YOUR REGULAR DONATIONS FOR ITS ONGOING SUPPORT. ANY DONATION YOU CAN GIVE EITHER FOR THE OPERATION OR FOR THE BUILDING FUND WILL BE GRATEFULLY APPRECIATED.

REMEMBER THAT YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOUR PRAYERS AS WELL AS ANY FINANCIAL GIFT AND VOLUNTEER TIME YOU CAN GIVE. **THE COLLECTION BASKET FOR DONATIONS IS LOCATED ON THE BACK CORNER TABLE.**

MEETINGS and STUFF

Holy Cross Parish Council: Kitzul Residence:

April 15, 7:30 p.m.

Adult Ed. Class: Postponed

3rd Sunday of Month: Bring a canned good donation to Church.

WELCOME to all our guests who came to worship with us today IN THE FAITH OF THE APOSTLES THAT HAS BEEN PRESERVED UNCHANGED AND IS ETERNAL. May God save you for your prayers.

- Check out our Lending Library: **New Kid's album of Icon Cards are now available.**
- Let's not forget about our Food Bank Donations and 'Pennies from Heaven'.
- If you are working at your computer, turn on Ancient Faith Radio at: <http://ancientfaith.com>
- **Parish is selling Prayer Ropes and Beeswax Candles** as a fundraiser. Great for your devotional needs. See Sandy

Hand your prayer request to Subdeacon Dennis or to one of the Acolytes before the service and he will bring it to the priest.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **GRAPE JELLY for sale.** Only \$3.00 a jar. We are all sold out of the Honey. We still have grape jelly for sale. Please see Sylvia Kitzul if you are interested.
2. **Church Calendars: \$3.00 each. They will be available at the back of the chapel.** Please pay Dave.
3. **DIVINE LITURGY SERVICE BOOKS** are now available for sale. You can have your very own copy for \$10.00. Please see Sandy or Fr. Evan.
4. **HOLY CROSS WEB SITE.** Holy Cross has revamped it's website. The web address is still the same, but the site has been transformed into a really cool looking blog site. We are really excited about using this as a tool to let people know about the mission, so please take a look at it and let us know what you think.
5. **AGAPE VESPERS:** April 4, 4:00 p.m. Holy Trinity Metropolitan's Cathedral.

Gospel Lesson cont....

14. The Word became flesh and tabernacled among us. We gazed on his glory, the kind of glory that belongs to the Father's unique Son, full of grace and truth.

15. John told the truth about him when he cried out, "This is the person about whom I said, 'The one who comes after me ranks ahead of me, because he existed before me.'"

16. From his fullness we have all received one gracious gift after another.

17. For while the law was given through Moses, grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.

Our Parish is housed at St. Andrew's College on the University of Manitoba Campus. Address: 29 Dysart Road.

Instead of "It is truly meet..." we chant the Irmos of the 9th Ode of the Canon of the feast, first Tone:

Refrain: The angel cried unto her that is full of grace: Rejoice, O pure Virgin!

And again I say, rejoice! For thy Son is risen from the grave on the third day, and hath raised the dead, O ye people, be joyful!

Irmos: Shine, shine, O new Jerusalem, for the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee; dance now and be glad, O Zion, and do thou exult, O pure Theotokos, in the arising of Him Whom thou didst bear.

Christ is Risen—In different languages

Albanian: Krishti Ungjall! Vertete Ungjall!

Arabic: Al Maseeh Qam! Haqqan Qam!

English: Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is Risen!

Greek: Christos Anesti! Alithos Anesti!

Italian: Cristo è risorto! È veramente risorto!

Japanese: Harisutosu Fukkatsu! Jitsu Ni Fukkatsu!

Romanian: Hristos a Inviat! Adevarat a Inviat!

Syriac: Meshiha qam! Bashrira qam!

Ukranian: Kristos Voskres! Voistinu voskres!

Welsh: Atgyfododd Crist! Atgyfododd in wir!

To the members of Holy Cross: Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

Matushka Lisa and I greet you with the joy that this Feast of Feast brings for all of us. The day is the day when hope is renewed and faith is rewarded.

May the joy of this day be something that you carry with you each and every day. May our loving God bless you all.

CHRIST IS RISEN!!!

The true Orthodox way of thought has always been historical, has always included the past, but has never been enslaved by it. The strength of the Church is not in the past, present, or future, but in Christ.