

St. Basil Antiochian Orthodox Church 3916 Hudson Street Metairie, LA 70006



Saint Basil Antiochian Orthodox Church The Very Reverend Father Peter Nugent, Pastor 3916 Hudson St. Metairie, LA 70006

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<u>January 19, 2013</u>

The 29th Sunday after Pentecost and the 12th Sunday of Luke
Plagal Tone 1 ~ Eothinon 8 ~ Ps. 109:8

Christ is in our midst! He is and ever shall be!

Holy Communion is only open to those Orthodox Christians who are in good standing with the Church and have prepared themselves by prayer, fasting and a recent confession. If you are not in good standing with the Church or are not an Orthodox Christian please do not be offended by this. We welcome you to our church and invite you to receive a blessing and partake of the antidoron at the end of the Divine Liturgy

Saints du Jour (January 19)

Venerable Makarios the Great of Egypt, the Anchorite; Venerable Makarios of Alexandria; Arsenios, bishop of Kerkyra; Venerable Mark Eugenikos, metropolitan of Ephesus, pillar of Orthodoxy.

Apolytikion of the Resurrection – Plagal Tone 1: Let us believers praise and worship the Word, coeternal with the Father and the Spirit, born of a virgin for our salvation. For He took pleasure in ascending the cross in the flesh to suffer death, and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.

Apolytikion of St. Makarios the Great – Tone 1: Thou didst appear making the wilderness thy home, an angel in the flesh, a doer of wonders; and by fasts, vigils, and prayers thou didst receive heavenly gifts. Therefore, thou dost heal the sick and the souls of those who hasten to thee, O God-mantled Father Makarios. Glory to Him Who hath given thee power; glory to Him Who hath crowned thee; glory to Him Who through thee accomplished healing for all.

Apolytikion of St. Basil the Great – Tone 1: Into all the world that received thy word went out thy voice; thereby didst thou divinely teach, explaining the nature of existing things and ordering the conduct of men. O venerable father, royal priesthood Basil, intercede with Christ our God for the salvation of our souls.

Kontakion of the Presentation of the Lord – Tone 1: Thou, O Christ God, Who by Thy Birth, didst sanctify the Virgin's womb, and, as is meet, didst bless Simeon's arms, and didst also come to save us; preserve Thy fold in wars, and confirm them whom Thou didst love; for Thou alone art the Lover of mankind.

Prokeimenon: O Lord, how magnificent are Your works. You have made all things in wisdom.

Verse: Bless the Lord, O my soul.

Epistle: The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Colossians.

(Chapter 3:4-11)

BRETHREN, when Christ, Who is our life, appears then you also will appear with Him in glory. Put to death, therefore, what is earthly in you: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. On account of these the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience. In these you once walked, when you lived in them. But now put them all away; anger, wrath, malice, slander, and foul talk from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old nature with its practices and have put on the new nature, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. Here there cannot be Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free man, but Christ is all, and in all.

Gospel: The reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke (Chapter 17:12-19)

At that time, as Jesus entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance and lifted up their voices and said, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." When Jesus saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; and fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. Then said Jesus, "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" And Jesus said to him, "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday, Jan. 25th – No Great Vespers & Confessions
Sunday, Jan. 26th – Orthros, 8:30 A.M.; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 A.M.
Saturday, Feb. 1st – Great Vespers & Confessions, 5:00 P.M.
Sunday, Feb. 2nd – Orthros, 8:30 A.M.; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 A.M. (Presentation of Christ)
Saturday, Feb. 8th – Great Vespers & Confessions, 5:00 P.M.
Sunday, Feb. 9th – Orthros, 8:30 A.M.; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 A.M. (Publican & Pharisee)
Saturday, Feb. 15th – Great Vespers & Confessions, 5:00 P.M.
Sunday, Feb. 16th – Orthros, 8:30 A.M.; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 A.M. (Prodigal Son)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Annual Pledge Drive is currently underway for the calendar year 2014. All adult members of the parish are encouraged to complete and return a pledge form to the church office. Pledge forms may be found in the narthex of the church building. All pledges are held in strict confidence. Only the total number of pledges and the total pledge amount is made available to the public. Your financial support of our church community is your support of yourself and your contribution to help insure you and your family has a place to worship. Thank you and God bless you.

Church calendars for 2014 are available by family name in the church hall along the north wall. Please see Father Peter if you do not see your name on a calendar or need additional ones.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

Registration for **Camp St. Thekla** is currently underway. Registration forms may be downloaded at www.campstthekla.org Campers are accepted on a first come, first serve basis; therefore, registration should occur as quickly as possible. Please see Fr. Peter for camper scholarship information. For more details, please contact Fr. Philip Rogers, Camp Director, PO Box 52482 Lafayette, LA 70505, Phone: 337-232-9808, Email: campStThekla@gmail.com

The coffee hour is brought to you today by the Ladies Guild. Thank you.

The **Parish Council** shall have their monthly meeting today, Jan. 19th, after Divine Liturgy. All council members please attend.

During coffee hour today the **Ladies Guild** will be fund-raising to support the next Antiochian Women's project - helping the war orphans of the Syrian conflict. We will be selling frozen packages of ready-to-cook beef shawarma and chicken shish ta'ouk for you to take home and prepare. We also will be selling sandwiches of cooked shawarma and shish ta'ouk for you to eat during coffee hour. Please support us as generously as you can. The sell of the frozen packages will continue through February.

Our **Annual General Parish Meeting** is scheduled for January 26, 2013, after Divine Liturgy and shall convene in the Church Hall. All members of the parish are encouraged to attend the meeting. Only those adults, who have been a member of the parish for at least one year and are in good sacramental and financial standing with the parish may vote.

Our annual **Superbowl Party** and **Chili Cook-off** is scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 2th. Festivities, God willing, shall begin 30 minutes before kick-off. Party animals, and purveyors and taste-testers of fine chili and other tasty foods, are welcome and encouraged to join us!

There is no fasting from Saturday, Feb. 8, until Tuesday, Feb. 18, inclusive. The meat fast begins Monday, Feb. 24. Great Lent begins Monday, March 3.

Our annual **Wine** and **Cheese Social** shall be held on Cheesefare Sunday, March 2^{nd} , in the Church Hall after Divine Liturgy. Please bring enough wine, cheese and crackers for yourself and friends.

As of January 15, 2014, 14 pledges were received totaling \$27,245.00, and \$200 were received for Archdiocese assessments. The collections for January 5, 2014, totaled \$511.00. The collections for January 12, 2014, totaled \$1,415 for a year-to-date total of \$2,526.

Spiritual Counsels...

"When virtuous men are in power, the people are joyful, when the wicked rule, the people groan." Proverbs 29:2

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