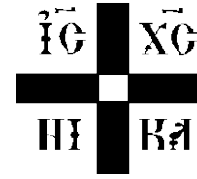


Week Schedule

Saturday Great Vespers, 6:00 p.m.
Confessions following Vespers

Sunday Reading of Hours, 9:40 a.m.
Divine Liturgy, 10:00 a.m.

****See Lenten Calendar for daily services****



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calls.

Troparion (Tone 5)

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship
the Word, co-eternal with the Father
and the Spirit, born for our salvation
from the Virgin; for He willed to be
lifted up on the Cross in the flesh,
to endure death, and to raise the
dead//by His glorious Resurrection.

Troparion (Tone 8)

The image of God was truly preserved
in you, O Mother, for you took up the
Cross and followed Christ. By so do-
ing, you taught us to disregard the
flesh for it passes away; but to care
instead for the soul, for it is immor-
tal././Therefore your spirit, O holy
Mother Mary, rejoices with the angels.

Kontakion (Tone 3)

Having been a sinful woman,
you became through repentance a
bride of Christ. Having attained an-
gelic life, you defeated demons with
the weapon of the Cross././Therefore O
most glorious Mary, you are a bride of
the Kingdom.

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**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT — Tone 5. St.
Mary of Egypt.**

Prayers for The Faithful and Departed

Dn. Peter Skoog, Michael and Lena
Robovitsky, Albert and Catherine
Kavalkovich, Ronnie and Lorraine
Kavalkovich, Patricia Schmidt, Corba
family, clergy and parishioners, Witiak
family, LeRoy family and friends,
McCartney family and friends. **May
God Grant Them Many Years!**

Mary Spack and Julia Jugan(offering at
candles for the cross), John Robovitsky,
Stephen Spack, Michael Bondird, Peter
Slivka, Mary, child Helen, Julia,
Julianna, Steve, Michael, Peter Rabik,
John Makara. **May Their Memories Be
Eternal!**

Epistle Reading

Hebrews 9:11-14

But Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation. Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?

Gospel Reading

Mark 10:32-45

Now they were on the road, going up to Jerusalem, and Jesus was going before them; and they were amazed. And as they followed they were afraid. Then He took the twelve aside again and began to tell them the things that would happen to Him: Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be betrayed to the chief priests and to the scribes; and they will condemn Him to death and deliver Him to the Gentiles; and they will mock Him, and scourge Him, and spit on Him, and kill Him. And the third day He will rise again. Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to Him, saying, "Teacher, we want You to do for us whatever we ask." And He said to them, "What do you want Me to do for you?" They said to Him, "Grant us that we may sit, one on Your right hand and the other on Your left, in Your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you ask. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They said to Him, "We are able." So Jesus said to them, "You will indeed drink the cup that I drink, and with the baptism I am baptized with you will be baptized; but to sit on My right hand and on My left is not Mine to give, but it is for those for whom it is prepared. And when the ten heard it, they began to be greatly displeased with James and John. But Jesus called them to Himself and said to them, "You know that those who are considered rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant. And whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all. For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Welcome to our Visitors!

A warm welcome to all our visitors and guests who have joined us in celebrating the Divine Liturgy. Please join us for our Fellowship Hour in the Church Hall . **Please note: Only those Orthodox Christians that have properly prepared themselves through prayer, fasting, and confession of sins should approach the Chalice and receive Holy Communion.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Telephone Number

Our church's telephone number is 215-468-3535. If there is inclement weather, do please call the number and wait for the answering machine. If church is canceled, it will be announced on the machine.

Easter Flowers

Debbie Kavalkovich has started collecting orders for Easter flowers. Please see her if you would like to place an order.

Sunday Mission Vespers Service

Today's Mission Vespers service is at St. Nicholas Orthodox Church in Philadelphia, at 4:00p.m.. The address is **817 N 7th St, Philadelphia, PA 19123-2008**

Bazaar

St. Margaret's Society will be offering various Easter- and church-related items to sell after the Divine Liturgy today. Many thanks to the ladies for organizing this.

Parish Statistics for April 03, 2011

Attendance: 42

Income: \$2,824.46

Expenses: \$2,757.40

Surplus: \$67.06