

# Assumption of the Holy Virgin Orthodox Church

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Call to arrange sacraments, service, instruction,  
counseling, home visits, sick 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)

You are most glorious, O Christ our  
God!

You have established the Holy Fathers  
as lights on the earth.

Through them You have guided us to the  
true Faith.//

O greatly compassionate One, glory to  
You!

## Kontakion (Tone 5)

You descended into hell, O my Savior,  
shattering its gates as Almighty,  
resurrecting the dead as Creator,  
and destroying the sting of death.

You have delivered Adam from the  
curse, O Lover of Man,//

and we cry to You: "O Lord, save us!"

**July 15, 2012**

6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5.  
Holy Equal-to-the-Apostles Great Prince  
Vladimir (in Baptism Basil), Enlightener of  
the Russian Lands (1015). Fathers of the 1st  
Six Ecumenical Councils.

## Kontakion (Tone 8)

The Apostles' preaching and the  
Fathers' doctrines have established one  
Faith for the Church.

Adorned with the robe of truth, woven  
from heavenly theology,//  
it defines and glorifies the great  
mystery of piety.

## Prayers for the Faithful and Departed

**Living:** Albert, Ronald, Alexander,  
Debbie Kavalkovich, Alex Lourido,  
Catherine Kavalkovich, Mary Herbert,  
Allison, Witiak family, Kavalkovich  
family and friends. **May God Grant  
Then Many Years!**

**Departed:** Samuel Munson, Maxim  
Herbert, Helen Malloy, Ruth Mohnach,  
Mary Rachko, Paul Koran. **May Their  
Memories Be Eternal!**

## Upcoming Services

Saturday            Vespers, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday             Divine Liturgy, 10:00 a.m.  
*Fellowship and coffee hour follow the Divine Liturgy*

## **Romans 12:6-14**

Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness. Let love be without hypocrisy. Abhor what is evil. Cling to what is good. Be kindly affectionate to one another with brotherly love, in honor giving preference to one another; not lagging in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord; rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing steadfastly in prayer; distributing to the needs of the saints, given to hospitality. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse.

## **Matthew 9:1-8**

So He got into a boat, crossed over, and came to His own city. Then behold, they brought to Him a paralytic lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith, He said to the paralytic, "Son, be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you." And at once some of the scribes said within themselves, "This Man blasphemes!" But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, "Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven you,' or to say, 'Arise and walk'? But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins – then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house." And he arose and departed to his house. Now when the multitudes saw it, they marveled and glorified God, who had given such power to men.

### **Weekly Financial Statement (06.25.12)**

Attendance: 40

Money In: \$1291.00 [Candles:\$89.00]

Money Out: -\$0.00

Net Total: \$1291.00

### **Announcements**

#### Readers, Coffee Hour, and Church Cleaning

Please consider volunteering for any of the above. The church needs help especially with cleaning and coffee hour. Sign-up sheets are downstairs on the bulletin board.

#### Parish Council

There will be another parish council meeting on Sunday, July 22, following the Divine Liturgy. I ask all council members to attend and to prepare appropriately with prayer.

#### Bible Study

Bible Study will begin at the end of August. You still have some time to sign up!

#### 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting

Debbie Kavalkovich has asked that anyone who would like to prepare for and to institute our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration to plan to meet on Sunday, July 22, following the Divine Liturgy.