

Assumption of the Holy Virgin Orthodox Church

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October 21, 2012

**20th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST –
Tone 3. Ven. Hilarion the Great (371-372).**

Troparion (Tone 3)

Let the heavens rejoice! Let the earth be glad! For the Lord has shown strength with His arm. He has trampled down death by death. He has become the first born of the dead. He has delivered us from the depths of hell, and has granted to the world//
great mercy.

Troparion (Tone 8)

By a flood of tears you made the desert fertile, and your longing for God brough forth fruits in abundance. By the radiance of miracles you illuminated the whole universe. Our Father Hilarion, pray to Christ God to save our souls!

Kontakion (Tone 3)

On this day You rose from the tomb, O Merciful One, leading us from the gates of death. On this day Adam exults as Eve rejoices; with the Prophets and Patriarchs//they unceasingly praise the divine majesty of Your power.

Kontakion (Tone 3)

Today we gather to sing hymns in your honor, bright star causing the grace of God to shine in our hearts. You were a light to those in darkness, lifting up to heaven those who cry out:// “Rejoice, Hilarion, the pride of hermits!”

Prayers for the Faithful and Departed

Living: George Rachko, Emma Burychka, Lena Robovitsky Frank J. Slivka, Janine and Michael McCartney, June Gerasimoff, Paul Gerasimoff, Andrews family and friends, Anastasia, June, Paul, Edward, Patricia, Alexander, Kenneth, Patricia, Catherine, Albert, John, Veronica, Edith, Stephanie, Joanne, Vinvecent.
May God Grant Them Many Years!

Departed: George Taptisch, Mary Zuashnoc, Kristina Sidoriak. **May Their Memories Be Eternal!**

Upcoming Services

Thursday	Bible Study, 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	Vespers, 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	Divine Liturgy, 10:00 a.m. <i>Fellowship and coffee hour follow the Divine Liturgy</i>

Galatians 1:11-19

But I make known to you, brethren, that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. For I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through the revelation of Jesus Christ. For you have heard of my former conduct in Judaism, how I persecuted the church of God beyond measure and tried to destroy it. And I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my contemporaries in my own nation, being more exceedingly zealous for the traditions of my fathers. But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb and called me through His grace, to reveal His Son in me, that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not immediately confer with flesh and blood, nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me; but I went to Arabia, and returned again to Damascus. Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to see Peter, and remained with him fifteen days. But I saw none of the other apostles except James, the Lord's brother.

Luke 16:19-31

There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table. Moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. So it was that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented.' And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' But he said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.'

Weekly Financial Statement (10.14.12)

Attendance: 30

Money In: \$1345.00 [Candles:\$48.00]

Money Out: -\$1403.01

Net Total: -\$58.01

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.

St. Tikhon's Seminary Gifts

We would like to donate \$25.00 gift cards to the ninety seminarians at St. Tikhon's seminary for Christmas. If you would be willing to contribute to the students, please contact Fr. Matthew.

Suits and Hats

If you were to have any suits you would like to donate to veterans, who would use them for job interviews, please bring them to church. Moreover, if you have been wishing to learn how to knits hats for our neighborhood children, now is the time. Please see Janine McCartney, who will teach you.

Calendars

We are taking orders for 2013 wall calendars from St. Tikhon's Bookstore. The price is \$4.50 per calendar. Please see Janine McCartney if you are interested in ordering a calendar.

100th Anniversary

As a reminder, our 100th anniversary will be the weekend of October 26th and 27th, 2013.