

# Assumption of the Holy Virgin Orthodox Church

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ENTRY OF OUR LORD INTO JERUSALEM.  
PALM SUNDAY.

## Troparion (Tone 1)

By raising Lazarus from the dead before Your Passion, You confirmed the universal resurrection, O Christ God. Like the children with the palms of victory, we cry out to You, O Vanquisher of Death: "Hosanna in the highest!//Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord!"

## Troparion (Tone 4)

When we were buried with You in baptism, O Christ God, we were made worthy of eternal life by your Resurrection. Now we praise You and sing: "Hosanna in the highest!//Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord!"

## Kontakion (Tone 6)

Sitting on Your throne in Heaven, carried on a foal on earth, O Christ God, accept the praise of angels and the songs of children, who sing:// "Blessed is He Who comes to recall Adam!"

## Prayers for the Faithful and Departed

**Living:** Emma Burychka, Lena, Brody, Matthew, Simon Herbert, Matthew Andrews, Melanie Albrecht, Emelie Albrecht, Frank Slivka, Priest Sergius, Zara and Nolan Albrecht, Patterson family, parishioners, Priest Vincent, Ronald. **May God Grant Them Many Years!**

**Departed:** Sam Sokoluk, Julia Drimak, Peter Slivka, Jr., David O'Shura, Anna McCartney, Julia Jugan. **May Their Memories Be Eternal!**

## Upcoming Services

M-Tuesday	Bridegroom Matins, 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Presanctified Liturgy, 6:00 p.m.
Thursday	Liturgy of St. Basil, 10:00 a.m. Matins and the Twelve Passion Gospel Readings, 6:00 p.m.
Friday	Royal Hours, 10:00a.m. Vespers, 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	Vespers with Liturgy of St. Basil, 10:00 a.m.
Sunday	Matins and Divine Liturgy, 8:30 a.m.

**Philippians 4:4-9**

Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice! Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord is at hand. Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy – meditate on these things. The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.

**John 12:1-18**

Then, six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was who had been dead, whom He had raised from the dead. There they made Him a supper; and Martha served, but Lazarus was one of those who sat at the table with Him. Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil. But one of His disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, who would betray Him, said, Why was this fragrant oil not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor? This he said, not that he cared for the poor, but because he was a thief, and had the money box; and he used to take what was put in it. But Jesus said, "Let her alone; she has kept this for the day of My burial. For the poor you have with you always, but Me you do not have always. Now a great many of the Jews knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus. The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: Hosanna! 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD!' The King of Israel!" Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written: Fear not, daughter of Zion; Behold, your King is coming, Sitting on a donkey's colt." His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and that they had done these things to Him. Therefore the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of his tomb and raised him from the dead, bore witness. For this reason the people also met Him, because they heard that He had done this sign.

**Weekly Financial Statement (4/06/14)**

Attendance: 36

Money In: \$1201.00

Money Out: -\$1042.16

Net Total: \$158.84

**Announcements****Bible Study**

The next Bible Study will be Thursday, May 1, at church at 6:00 p.m.. We will examine St. Matthew's Gospel.

**Theology Course**

Our first meeting will be on Tuesday, May 6, at 6:00 p.m. at church. We'll begin to read closely St. Gregory of Nyssa's *The Life of Moses*.

**Church School**

Church school will continue today.

**Baptism**

On Saturday May 3, I will baptize the infant, Brody, at church at 10:00 a.m. Brody is the son of Brian and Stephanie Crossland and the grandson of Bill and Betty Koran. Please make every effort to attend this baptism and joyous occasion!