

# DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

04 NOVEMBER 2018 ♦ TONE 07 ♦ EOTHINON 02 ♣ FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER CROSS/SS. JOANNICIOS, MICANDER, HERMIAS

## GREAT DOXOLOGY:

*Liturgy Book p. 1*

## ANTIPHONS:

FIRST:

*Liturgy Book p. 11*

SECOND:

*Liturgy Book p. 11*

THIRD: *Beatitudes*

*Back of Liturgy Book*

## ENTRANCE HYMN:

*Liturgy Book p. 14*

## APOLYTIKIA:

*Tone 7*

*Liturgy Book p. 19*

*Venerable Father Joannicios the Great, Hermit of Munt Olympus*

*(Tone 5)*

Having laid aside all glory here below in order to shine with the radiance of the inspiration of God, you appeared as a never setting sun shedding light upon the earth. Having been judged worthy like Moses to hear the voice of God, blessed Joannicos, you became like the angels, a steward of the graces of God.

*Holy Hieromartyrs Nicander, Bishop of Myra, and Hermias the Priest*

*(Tone 3)*

‘Having brought forth the fruit of the knowledge of God, O companion of the Apostles of Christ, you proved yourself faithful as a hierarch. In the struggles of martyrdom, O hieromartyr Nicander, you had as your companion the priest Hermias. Pray together to the One whom you glorified that He grant us His great mercy.

*Saint Joseph*

*Liturgy Book p. 20*

## KONDAKION:

*Liturgy Book p. 21*

## TRISAGION:

*Liturgy Book p. 23*

## PROKIMENON: *Psalm 28:11,1*

*(Tone 7)*

The Lord will give strength to his people.

*Stichon:* Bring to the Lord, O Sons of God, bring to the Lord honor and glory.

## EPISTLE:

*Ephesians 2:4-10*

*Brethren*, Christ is our peace. He it is who has made both [Jews and Gentiles] one, and has broken down the intervening wall of the enclosure, the enemy, in his flesh. He has voided the Law of commandments expressed in decrees, so that of the two he might create in himself one new man, and make peace, and reconcile both in one body to God through the cross, having destroyed their enmity within himself. And as he came, he announced the good tidings of peace to you who were far away, and of peace to those who were near: because through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father. Therefore, you are now no longer strangers or foreigners, but citizens with the saints and members of God’s household: you are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets with Christ himself as the chief cornerstone. In him the whole structure is closely fitted together and grows into a temple holy in the Lord; in him you too are being built together into a dwelling place for God in the Spirit.

## ALLELUIA: *Psalm 91:1, 2*

*(Tone 7)*

It is good to give thanks to the Lord. ♦ To proclaim your mercy in the morning and your truth by night.

## GOSPEL:

*St. Luke 8:41-56*

*At that time* the Lord told this parable; “there was certain rich man who used to clothe himself in purple and fine linen, and who feasted every day in splendid fashion. And there was certain poor man, named Lazarus, who lay at his gate, covered with sores, and longing to be filled with the crumbs that fell from the rich man’s table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. And it came to pass that the poor man died and was borne away by the angels into Abraham’s bosom; but the rich man also died and was buried in hell. And lifting up his eyes, being in torments, he saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he cried out and said, ‘Father Abraham have pity on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am tormented in this flame.’ But Abraham said to him, ‘Son, remember you in your lifetime have received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now here he is comforted whereas you are tormented. And besides all that, between us and you a great gulf is fixed, so that those who wish to pass over from this side to you cannot, and they cannot cross from your side to us.’ And he said, ‘Then, father, I pray you to send him to my father’s house, for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they too come into this place of torments.’ And Abraham said to him, ‘They have Moses and the Prophets; let them listen to them.’ But he answered, ‘No father Abraham, but if someone from the dead goes to them, they will repent.’ But he said to him, ‘If they do not listen to Moses and the Prophets, they will not believe even if someone rises from the dead.’”

# SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

ST. JOSEPH LADIES SOCIETY FUNDRAISER

## **Poinsettia Flower Sale**

*Order forms in the back of the church  
or see Kathie Barrett for details.*

*Pick-up is Sat. December 15th 11 am - 1 pm  
Sun. December 16th after the D. Liturgy*

### **THE BISHOP'S APPEAL:**

The freedom to practice our religion is one of the great blessings we cherish in America and was a compelling reason why many of our Melkite forbearers came to this great country. Your gift to our Bishop's Appeal is one way you exercise your freedom of religion; another way is by your active witness to faith in the public square. Our Church needs both your support and your witness. Now is the time to act upon your faith. Please give joyfully from the heart for "God loves a cheerful giver." Thank you for your generous response. Extra appeal envelopes are available in the narthex.

### **Congratulations to Jemille Zaydon!**

Jemille was enrolled as a Dame in the Knights of Malta [a Sovereign Order for service to the Church and to the poor] on Oct. 26th at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City.

**God grant her many years!**

### **DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS**

03 November\*P.H.S. JENSEN FAMILIES  
from Mr. & Mrs. Garret van Beek

04 November\*JOHN GREGORY  
from Mr. & Mrs. Garret van Beek

\*LISA MAY, newly fallen asleep in the Lord

10 November\*BETTY MICHELIN  
from Mr. & Mrs. Garret van Beek

11 November\*ANGELA SCAVO  
from Anne Clarice Zaydon

17 November\*P.H.S. IMELDA JENSEN  
from Mr. & Mrs. Garret van Beek

18 November\*JOSEPH ABDA  
from James and Karen Kane

### **EVENTS IN NOVEMBER**

Sunday, November 4th

*Parish Meeting – II*

*Church Finances and Fundraising  
After the D. Liturgy in Church Hall*

Thursday, November 15th

*Beginning of the Nativity Fast*

Sunday, November

*Youth Group Meeting TBD*

Tuesday, November 20th

*Great Vespers 7:00 p.m.*

Wednesday, November 21st

**FEAST OF ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS**

*Divine Liturgy 5:30 p.m.*

### **NEWS ITEMS FROM PARISHES:**

#### A NIGHT AT THE RACES

St. Aloysius Church Auditorium  
143 W. Division Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA

**Saturday, November 10, 2018**

Doors Open at 5:30 p.m. - Post Time 7:00 p.m.

Admission: \$5.00 (includes buffet and beverages)

Must be 21 Years of Age to Enter

#### TURKEY BINGO

St. Mary's Byzantine Church: 700 Oak St. Taylor  
**November 11th, 2018: 1:00 p.m.**

Admission: \$3.00; Extra Cards:\$2.00 each.

Door Prizes and a Raffle. Doors are open 12 noon.

#### STUFFED CHICKEN BREAST DINNER

St. Michael's Feast Day Dinner

205 N. Main St. Pittston

**November 11, 2018: 1-3 p.m., sit-down dinner**

Adults - \$10 and Children under 12 - \$6.

Take-out: 12 noon to 1:00pm only

#### Help with Facebook.

*Anyone willing to assist: take over the responsibility of updating the Facebook with pictures taken at special events? See Betsy.*

# **ST. JOSEPH THE BETROTHED**

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## PRAYER INTENTIONS

P. H. S.: Rev. Dn. John Karam. Rev. Dn. Joseph Daratony.  
Charlotte Abda. Connor Edward Abda. Michael Abda. Marie  
Barron. Nikki Boudreaux. George Bales Sr. Lucille Bales. A.J.  
Bolus. Jayne Buckley. Chris Carey. John Coury. Maryann  
Nappi Donahue. Carol Downer. Sara Gomez. Joseph King.  
Niko Mayashairo. Mary McNeilly. Andrew Milewski. Paul-  
ine Sherman. Sue Solsman. Kennedy Stevenson. Susan  
Vieselmeyer. Dean Yockey. Sherry Yockey. **MEMORY ETER-**  
**NAL:** ✕Rev. Charles Aboody. ✕Rev. Michael Jolly. ✕Marie  
Abda. ✕James Abda. ✕Marie Abda. ✕Nancy Abda ✕Nicholas  
Cianci. ✕Patricia Cimakosky. ✕Ann Coury. ✕Mary Sue Be-  
tress. ✕Margaret Dillenburg ✕Eric Jolly. ✕Blakely Landell. ✕  
Frank Milweski. ✕Mary Lou Mooty. ✕Karen Murray. ✕Marie  
Patchoski. ✕Victoria Sackal. ✕Anthony Simon. ✕Bill Simon.  
✕Ruth Sirgany. ✕Mary Ann Walsh. ✕Genevieve Zaydon

## **CLERGY:**

Rev. Christopher Manuele, Presbyter

## **DIVINE SERVICES:**

Saturday:

Great Vespers: ..... 3:15 P.M.

Sunday:

Orthros: (outside academic year)  
..... 9:00 A.M.

Divine Liturgy: ..... 10:00 A.M.

Wednesday:

Compline: ..... 8:00 P.M.

Holy Days:

Great Vespers: ..... 7:00 P.M. Eve

Divine Liturgy ..... 5:30 P.M. Day

## **HOLY MYSTERY OF CONFESSION:**

Before Vespers at 3:00 P.M.; following  
any service; or by appointment.

## **HOLY ANOINTING OF THE SICK:**

Following any service/call the Rectory.

## **HOLY MYSTERY OF CROWNING:**

Call rectory at earliest convenience.

## **PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL:**

Meetings as scheduled.