

DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

24 MAY 2020 ♦ TONE 06 ♦ EOTHINON 09 † SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION/FATHERS OF THE COUNCIL OF NICAEA

GREAT DOXOLOGY:

Handout

ANTIPHONS: *Ascension*

FIRST:

Liturgy Book p. 107

SECOND:

Liturgy Book p. 107

THIRD:

Liturgy Book p. 26

ENTRANCE HYMN: *Ascension*

Liturgy Book p. 29

APOLYTIKIA:

Resurrection (Tone 6)

Liturgy Book p. 85

Ascension

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Fathers of the Ecumenical Council

(Tone 8)

O Christ our God, You are infinitely glorified, for You established our Fathers as radiant stars on earth: You led us to the true faith through them. O Most Merciful One, glory to You!

St. Joseph

KONDAKION: *Ascension*

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PROKIMENON: *Daniel 3:26, 27*

(Tone 7)

Blessed are You, O Lord God of our fathers. † *Stichon:* For You are just in all You have done.

EPISTLE:

Acts of the Apostles 20:16-18, 28-36

In those days Paul decided to sail past Ephesus so as not to waste time in Asia. For he was hurrying as much as he could in order to reach Jerusalem for the day of Pentecost. From Miletus, however, he had sent an invitation to Ephesus for the presbyters of the church. And when they had come to him, he said to them, (20:28) “Be careful about yourselves and the whole flock over which the Holy Spirit has placed you as bishops, to herd the Church of God which He has redeemed through His own blood. For I know this, that after I am gone fierce wolves will get in among you and will not spare the flock. And from among you, some men will rise, speaking perverse doctrines, to draw away the disciples after them. “Watch, therefore, and remember that for three years, night and day, I did not cease to warn with tears every one of you. And now, brethren, I commend you to God and to the Word of His grace, Who is able to edify and to grant you an inheritance among all His blessed ones. “I have coveted no one’s silver or gold or clothing. You, yourselves, know these hands of mine have provided for my needs and those of my companions. In all things, I have shown you that by working in this way you should help the weak, and remember that the Lord Jesus said in person, ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’” And after saying this, he knelt down and prayed with them all.

ALLELUIA: *Psalm 49:1, 5*

(Tone 1)

The God of gods, the Lord has spoken and has called the earth.

Gather His saints together to him.

GOSPEL:

St. John 9:1-38

At that time Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said, “Father, the hour has come! Glorify Your Son, that Your Son may glorify You, even as You have given Him power over all flesh, in order that to all You have given Him, He may give everlasting life. Now this is everlasting life, that they may know You, the only true God, and the One You have sent, Jesus Christ. I have glorified You on earth; I have accomplished the work You have given Me to do. And now do You, Father, glorify Me with Yourself, with the glory that I had with You before the world existed. I have manifested Your name to the men You have given me out of the world. They were Yours, and You have given them to Me, and they have kept Your word. Now they have learned that whatever You have given Me is from You; because the words that You have given Me, I have given to them. And they have received them, and have known as a fact that I

came forth from You, and they have believed that You did send Me. I pray for them; not for the world do I pray, but for those whom You have given Me, because they are Yours; and all things that are Mine are Yours, and Yours are Mine; and I am glorified in them. And I am no longer in the world, but these are in the world, and I am coming to You. Holy Father, keep in Your name those You have given Me, that they may be one even as We are. While I was with them in the world, I kept them in Your name. Those You have given Me, I guarded; and not one of them perished except the son of perdition, in order that the Scriptures might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to You and these things I speak in the world, in order that they may have My joy made full in themselves.”

HIRMOS:

KINONIKON:

POST-COMMUNION HYMNS:

Liturgy Book p. 60

Liturgy Book p. 66

Liturgy Book pp. 72/73

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

EVENTS IN MAY/JUNE

Saturday, May 30, 2020

Great Vespers 3:15 p.m.

St. Joseph, Scranton

Sunday, May 31, 2020

FEAST OF PENTECOST

Orthros: 9:00 a.m.

Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Gregory the Academy

Sunday, May 31, 2020

Kneeling Vespers: 6:00 p.m.

St. Joseph, Scranton

EVENTS IN JUNE

Monday, June 01, 2020

Monday of the Holy Spirit

Divine Liturgy 4:30 p.m.

Gregory the Great Academy

Memorial Service

Monday, May 25, 2020

The annual Memorial Day Service will be held at Sacred Heart Cemetery

at 11:00 AM on Memorial Day. Father Christopher Manuele of Saint Joseph Melkite Church will lead the service.

Father Christopher and Monsignor Marini will bless the graves at the end of the service.

2020 WEEKLY COLLECTION

May 17

Weekly Offering	\$ 520.00
Candles	\$ 10.00
Total:	\$ 530.00

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PRAYER INTENTIONS

P. H. S.: Rev. Dn. Joseph Daratony. Michael Abda. Richard Bachefski. Marie Barron. Nikki Boudreaux. George Bales Sr. Lucille Bales. A.J. Bolus. Jayne Buckley. Chris Carey. John Coury. Maryann Nappi Donahue. Carol Downer. Robert Fairclough, Sr. Sara Gomez. Niko Mayashairo. Mary McNeilly. Sue Solsman. Susan Vieselmeyer. Dean & Sherry Yockey.
MEMORY ETERNAL: ✕Rev. Charles Aboody. ✕Rev. Michael Jolly. ✕Rev. Joseph Francavilla. ✕Rev. Frank Milienewicz ✕Dn. John Karam. ✕Marie Abda. ✕Charlotte Abda. ✕James Abda. ✕Marie Abda. ✕Nancy Abda ✕Nicholas Cianci. ✕Patricia Cimakosky. ✕Ann Coury. ✕Mary Sue Betress. ✕Margaret Dillenburg ✕Eric Jolly. ✕Joseph King ✕Blakely Landell. ✕Elaine Manuele ✕Frank Milweski. ✕Mary Lou Mooty. ✕Karen Murray. ✕Marie Patchoski. ✕Anthony Simon. ✕Bill Simon. ✕Ruth Sirgany. ✕Mary Ann Walsh. ✕Genevieve Zaydon

CLERGY:

Rev. Christopher Manuele, Presbyter

DIVINE SERVICES:

Wednesday :

Compline 7:30 P.M

Saturday:

Great Vespers: 3:15 P.M

Sunday:

Orthros 9:00 A.M.

Divine Liturgy: 10:00 A.M.

Holy Days:

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

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

HOLY MYSTERY OF CONFESSION:

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

HOLY ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Following services /call the Rectory.

HOLY MYSTERY OF CROWNING:

Call rectory at earliest convenience.

PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL:

Meetings as scheduled.