

MARCH 31, 2024

## BULLETIN – SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (GREGORY PALAMAS)

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**Ss Peter & Paul Mission:** preserve, practice, and proclaim the Gospel of our Lord, God, & Savior Jesus Christ in order to glorify God in the parish and wider community.

### This Week @ Ss. Peter & Paul–April 1-7, 2024

- 4/1 Mon 6:00 pm – Great Compline
- 4/2 Tues 7:00 am – Readers Orthros
- 4/3 Wed 6:00 pm – Presanctified Divine Lit.  
*celebrated at St. Lawrence in Felton*
- 4/4 Thu 6:00 am – Men's Reading Group  
6:30 pm – Adult choir rehearsal
- 4/5 Fri 6:00 pm – Little Compline w/Akathist
- 4/6 Sat 8:00 am – Men's Breakfast  
6:00 pm – Great Vespers & Compline
- 4/7 Sun 8:20 am – Orthros  
9:30 am – Divine Lit. – Holy Cross –  
Youth choir sings in Divine Lit.  
**No Church School**  
Adult choir rehearsal

### Looking ahead—

- April 10 *Presanctified Divine Lit. with St. Lawrence Orthodox Church as our guests followed by soup supper*
- April 12 *Little Compline w/Akathist*
- April 13 *Young Adult Retreat*
- April 14 *John Climacus*  
*Baptism*  
*Adult choir rehearsal*  
*Youth choir practice*
- April 15 *Great Compline*
- April 17 *Little Compline w/Canon of St. Andrew & Life of St. Mary of Egypt*
- \*April 18 *Presanctified Divine Lit. followed by soup supper (note different day)*
- April 19-21 *Annual AW Lenten Retreat @ Camp St. Nicholas in Frazier Park*
- April 19 *Little Compline w/Akathist*
- April 21 *Mary of Egypt*  
*Adult choir rehearsal*
- April 22 *Great Compline*

### *Many Years – Birthday*

<i>Tegan Machnee</i>	<i>March 31</i>
<i>Jan Ivancovich</i>	<i>April 1</i>
<i>Jeff Auldridge</i>	<i>April 2</i>
<i>Linda Young</i>	<i>April 3</i>
<i>Tony Hagg</i>	<i>April 3</i>
<i>Dn. Rich Schmidt</i>	<i>April 5</i>

### THANK YOU!

We are grateful for the many hands that prepared food, set lovely settings for tea, cleaned up after the event, and found insightful online teaching for the Annunciation Tea.

Thank you to Fr. Christopher and his sons for setting up and taking down the big screen and to Dn. Dave and the youth who helped set up chairs in the barn for the screening of *Amphilochios: Saint of Patmos*.

We also appreciate those who prepared the dinner for the Feast of the Annunciation and set up and cleaned up after that event. The church was blessed by gifts of service from all of you!

### YOUTH CHOIR

Youth choir practices are today and April 14 during coffee hour. Please be sure to attend practice as we are preparing for Palm Sunday. Youth choir sings the Divine Liturgy on Sunday, April 7 and on Palm Sunday, April 28.

### YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

On Saturday, April 13, 10:30 am – 6:00 pm there will be a retreat for young adults (ages 18-30) in the church barn sponsored by the Northern California Deanery. Registration information coming soon.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST

All men are invited to breakfast at 8:00 am, Saturday, April 6 in the parish hall.

## FRANCIS MARIA SCHOLARSHIP

The 2024 Francis Maria Scholarship offered by the Antiochian archdiocese is for the first four years of an accredited undergraduate college or university. The award is \$10,000. The archdiocese hopes to encourage more Orthodox young people and adults to seek higher education. To download an application and for more information go to [Scholarships@OrthodoxYouth.com](mailto:Scholarships@OrthodoxYouth.com).

## LIVE SCAN SCREENING

All parish employees, volunteers, and anyone who works with the church youth are required to have a Live Scan and background check. There will be a Mobile Live Scan at the church on Sunday, April 21. Please see Kh. Ellen for handout and instructions.

**For Lenten resources, visit**

<https://www.antiochian.org/dashboard?name=Great%20Lent>

## KITCHEN MINISTRY

Any food not marked with your name and the date that has been left in the commercial refrigerator or freezer will be discarded on March 31. Remember that the residential (smaller) refrigerator with signs reminding not to use for storage is only used for Sunday condiments and prosphora.

**Parish Life Conference  
July 3-7 ~ Tucson, Arizona  
Hosted by Holy Resurrection**

## LOST & FOUND

If you have misplaced something on the church grounds, look in the box below the church mailboxes in the parish hall. If the item is small, like sunglasses, check with the church office. Pick up soon: all left items will be donated to Abbot's Thrift on March 31.

## LENTEN SERVICE SCHEDULE

Pick up a green folded flyer in the narthex with the schedule of services from Forgiveness Vespers to Friday, April 26, the day before Lazarus Saturday.

*No Koffee w/Khouria during Lent*

## SOUP SUPPERS SPONSORED BY OUR TEEN SOYO

Consider a donation when participating in the soup suppers after the Presanctified Divine Liturgies. Our Teen Soyo (youth group) is raising funds for various projects.

## COMMUNITY DINNER TODAY

(Western Easter)

2:00 pm

Donations of non-perishable food items, money, and helpers to make and distribute the dinner needed. Leave food items in the parish hall kitchen or industrial refrigerator marked for Community Dinner, not in the residential refrigerator. To volunteer, contact Keidi Lewis @ (831) 588-9575.

## DID YOU KNOW?

What is a "litany" in the Orthodox services? It is a prayerful sequence of petitions intoned by a deacon or priest in the name of all those praying. After each petition, the choir or people sing either "Lord have mercy," "Grant this, O Lord," or "To Thee, O Lord." Each litany concludes with a doxology (exclamation) said by the priest glorifying the Holy Trinity.

Memory Eternal

March 31

Kelly Davis