

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

These services will be LIVE-STREAMED on our website.

Tues. June 2	7 pm	Online Catechism Class (<i>online</i>)
Sat. June 6	6:30 pm	Great Vespers for Pentecost
Sun. June 7	9 am	Festal Liturgy for Pentecost <i>with kneeling prayers</i>
Tues. June 9	7 pm	Online Catechism Class (<i>online</i>)
Sat. June 13	6:30 pm	Great Vespers
Sun. June 14	9 am	Divine Liturgy for All Saints <i>Apostles Fast begins</i>
Tues. June 16	7 pm	Online Catechism Class (<i>online</i>)
Sat. June 20	6:30 pm	Patronal Great Vespers
Sun. June 21	9 am	Patronal Feast Liturgy for All Saints of North America
Tues. June 23	7 pm	Online Catechism Class (<i>online</i>)
Sat. June 27	6:30 pm	Great Vespers
Sun. June 28	9 am	Divine Liturgy

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ALL SAINTS OF
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CHURCH



SUN. MAY 31, 2020

FATHERS OF THE FIRST ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

TONE 6



Fathers of the First Ecumenical Council

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Troparion for Ascension - Tone 4

Thou hast ascended in glory, O Christ our God,
granting joy to Thy Disciples by the promise of the Holy Spirit.
Through the blessing they were assured,
that Thou art the Son of God,
the Redeemer of the world!

Prokeimenon in the 4th Tone (*Canticle of the Fathers*)

Blessed art Thou, O Lord God of our Fathers,* and praised and glorified
is Thy name forever!
For Thou art just in all that Thou hast done for us!

EPISTLE: ACTS 20:16-18, 28-36

AT THAT TIME, Paul had decided to sail past Ephesus, so that he would not have to spend time in Asia; for he was hurrying to be at Jerusalem, if possible, on the Day of Pentecost. From Miletus he sent to Ephesus and called for the elders of the church. And when they had come to him, he said to them: "You know, from the first day that I came to Asia, in what manner I always lived among you, Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His own blood. For I know this, that after my departure savage wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock. Also from among yourselves men will rise up, speaking perverse things, to draw away the disciples after themselves. Therefore watch, and remember that for three years I did not cease to warn everyone night and day with tears. So now, brethren, I commend you to God and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up and give you an inheritance among all those who are sanctified. I have coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. Yes, you yourselves know that these hands have provided for my necessities, and for those who were with me. I have shown you in every way, by laboring like this, that you must support the weak. And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" And when he had said these things, he knelt down and prayed with them all.+

Alleluia Verses in the 1st Tone (Ps 50)

The Lord, the God of gods, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun, to its setting.
Gather to me my venerable ones, who made a covenant with me by sacrifice.

GOSPEL: JOHN 17:1-13

AT THAT TIME, as Jesus passed by, He spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said: "Father, the hour has come. **Glorify** Your Son, that Your Son also may glorify You, as You have given Him authority over all flesh, that He should give eternal life to as many as You have given Him. And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent. I have **glorified** You on the earth. I have finished the work which You have given Me to do. And now, O Father, **glorify** Me together with Yourself, with the **glory** which I had with You before the world was. I have manifested Your name to the men whom You have given Me out of the world. They were Yours, You gave them to Me, and they have kept Your word. Now they have known that all things which You have given Me are from You. For I have given to them the words which You have given Me; and they have received them, and have known surely that I came forth from You; and they have believed that You sent Me. I pray for them. **I do not pray for the world but for those whom You have given Me**, for they are Yours. And all Mine are Yours, and Yours are Mine, and I am **glorified** in them. Now I am no longer in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to You. Holy Father, keep through Your name those whom You have given Me, that they may be one as We are. While I was with them in the world, I kept them in Your name. Those whom You gave Me I have kept; and none of them is lost except the son of perdition, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. But now I come to You, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have My joy fulfilled in themselves.+

Instead of "It is truly meet ..., " we sing:

Magnify, O my soul, Christ the Giver of Life, Who has ascended from earth to heaven!

We magnify thee, O Mother of God, who beyond reason and understanding gave birth in time to the Timeless One.