

CALENDAR

**Sunday 7/13:
Holy Fathers of the
4th Ecumenical Council**

8:30a Orthros (Matins)
9:45a Divine Liturgy

**Monday 7/14:
Apostle Aquila**

**Tuesday 7/15:
Martyrs Kyrikos & Julitta**

**Wednesday 7/16:
Ieromartyr Athenogenes
[Strict Fast]**

5:30p Great Vespers

**Thursday 7/17:
Gt-Martyr Marina**

8:45a Orthros (Matins)
9:45a Divine Liturgy
7:00p Greek Festival Committee

**Friday 7/18:
Martyr Aimilianos
[Strict Fast]**

**Saturday 7/19:
Righteous Mother Macrina**

5:30p Great Vespers

**Sunday 7/20:
6th Sunday of Matthew**

8:30a Orthros (Matins)
9:45a Divine Liturgy
& Memorial Service

[Strict Fast: no meat, fish, dairy products, eggs, wine or olive oil may be consumed]

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ♦ Sunday, July 20, commemorates the **40th Anniversary of the Turkish Invasion of Cyprus**. Metropolitan Gerasimos has ordered all parishes to offer Memorials on that day for the souls of our brothers and sisters who gave their lives defending their island. To this day, many of our Greek Orthodox brethren live under the pain of this illegal occupation and the desecration of many Christian churches and sites.
- ♦ We need **volunteers** for our **Greek Festival** to be held Oct. 18 & 19. Also, please consider a **sponsorship** of items used in the festival. Please contact Randy Schulz or Elpitha Kraus for further information.

Therefore, my children, let us fall down with our hearts before the Lord, let us pray to Him that He might teach us how to be good, as good as His angels and saints are. How excellent it is to dwell among the good, among those who lead a life of holiness!

Elder Thaddeus of Vitovnica

Daily Scripture Readings: July 14 thru 19

Mon: Rom 16:1-16; Mt 13:10-23
Tue: 1Co 13:11-14:5; Mt 17:27-18:4
Wed: 1Co 2:9-3:8; Mt 13:31-36
Thu: Gal 3:23-4:5; Mk 5:24-34
Fri: 1Co 4:5-8; Mt 13:44-54
Sat: Rom 11:25-36; Mt 9:18-26



HOLY CROSS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH



METROPOLIS OF
SAN FRANCISCO

**SUNDAY OF THE HOLY & GOD-BEARING 630
FATHERS OF THE HOLY FOURTH ECUMENICAL
COUNCIL IN CHALCEDON;
Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel; Our Righteous Father
Stephanos the Sabbaite; Holy Martyr Golindoux;
Righteous Martyrs Neophytos, Jonah, Neophytos, Jonah
& Parthenios.
July 13, 2014**

WELCOME VISITORS!

We are pleased that you have joined us today. In order to receive Holy Communion in the Greek Orthodox Church, one must be Baptized and/or Chrismated in the Christian Orthodox Faith. The Orthodox Church understands Holy Communion as a sign of unity. If you are interested in learning more about Christian Orthodoxy, please contact our priest, Father Andreas. Communicants should prepare themselves through fasting, prayer and confession. All Christians are invited to come forward at the dismissal of the Divine Liturgy to receive the holy bread, called *Antidoron*, which is offered to everyone as a blessing when they leave.

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TROPARIA AND READINGS

Resurrectional Apolytikion 4th Mode

When the tidings of the resurrection from the glorious Angel were proclaimed unto the women disciples, and our ancestral sentence also had been abolished, to the Apostles with boasting did they proclaim: that death is vanquished evermore and Christ our God is risen from the dead and grants unto the world His great mercy.

Of the Fathers Plagal 4th Mode

You are exceedingly-glorified, O Christ our God, Who established upon the earth our holy fathers as illuminating stars, and through them guided us all to the true faith. O compassionate One, glory to You.

Holy Cross Church Hymn 1st Mode

Save, O Lord Your people, and bless Your inheritance; grant victory to the faithful against the adversaries of the Faith, and protect Your people by the power of Your Cross.

Hymn of the Church in Greek & phonetics

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαὸν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, νίκας τοῖς βασιλεῦσι κατὰ βαρβάρων δωροῦμενος, καὶ τὸ σὸν φυλάττων διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ σου πολιτεύμα.

SO-son KEE-ri-e ton la-ON soo, keh ev-LO-ye-e-son teen klee-ro-no-MEE-an soo, NEE-kas tees va-see-lef-SEE ka-TA var-VAR-on tho-ROO-me-nos, keh to son fee-LA-ton thi-A too stav-ROO soo po-LEE-tev-ma.

Kontakion of the Theotokos 2nd Mode

A protection of Christians unshamable, • intercessor to our holy Maker, unwavering, • reject not • the prayerful cries of those who are in sin. • Instead, • come to us, for you are good; • your loving help bring unto us, • who are crying in faith to you: • hasten to intercede, • and speed now to supplicate, • as a protection for all time, • Theotokos for those who honor you.

Lord's Prayer in Greek & phonetics

Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἁγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον. Καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

PA-ter ee-MON o en tees oo-ra-NEES, a-yi-as-THEE-to to O-no-MA soo. el-THE-to ee va-see-LEE-a soo, ye-nee-THEE-to to THE-lee-MA soo, os en ou-ra-NO, keh e-PEE tees yees. ton AR-ton ee-MON ton e-pee-OO-si-on thos ee-MEEN SEE-me-ron. keh A-fes ee-MEEN ta o-fee-LEE-ma-ta ee-MON, os keh ee-MEES a-FEE-e-men tees o-fee-LE-tes ee-MON. keh mee ee-se-NE-ghees ee-MAS ees pee-ras-MON, al-LA REE-seh ee-MAS a-PO tou po-nee-ROO.

TROPARIA AND READINGS

Apostolic Reading:

St. Paul's Letter to Titus 3:8-15

Prokeimenon. Mode Plagal 2.

Psalm 31:11,1

Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, O righteous.

Verse: Blessed are they whose transgressions have been forgiven.

Titus, my son, the saying is sure. I desire you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to apply themselves to good deeds; these are excellent and profitable to men. But avoid stupid controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels over the law, for they are unprofitable and futile. As for a man who is factious, after admonishing him once or twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is perverted and sinful; he is self-condemned.

When I send Artemas or Tychicos to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to apply themselves to good deeds, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not to be unfruitful.

All who are with me send greeting to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.

Holy Gospel Reading:

Gospel According to St. Matthew 5:14-19

The Lord said to his disciples, "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven."