

(Instead of the Trisagion, we sing:)

“As many as have been baptized into Christ, have put on Christ. Alleluia.”

Prokeimenon

TONE 8: Their proclamation has gone out into all the earth, / and their words to the ends of the universe!

Vs. The heavens are telling the Glory of God, and the firmament proclaims His handiwork!

The Act of the Holy Apostles 2:1 – 11

Epistle

At that time: When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them. And there were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. And there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men, from every nation under heaven. And when this sound occurred, the multitude came together, and were confused, because everyone heard them speak in his own language. Then they were all amazed and marveled, saying to one another, “Look, are not all these who speak Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each in our own language in which we were born? Parthians and Medes and Elamites, those dwelling in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya adjoining Cyrene, visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs – we hear them speaking in our own tongues the wonderful works of God.”

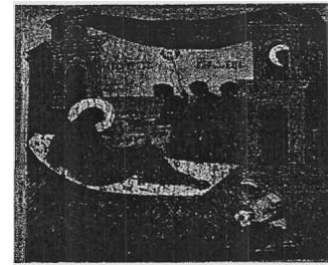
Alleluia

*By the Word of the Lord the heavens were made; and all their host by the Spirit of His mouth.
v: The Lord looks down from Heaven and beholds the sons of men.*

John 7:37-52; 8:12

Gospel

On the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, “If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.” But this He spoke concerning the Spirit, whom those believing in Him would receive; for the Holy Spirit was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet glorified. Therefore many from the crowd, when they heard this saying, “Truly this is the Prophet.” Others said, “This is the Christ.” But some said, “Will the Christ come out of Galilee? Has not the Scripture said that the Christ comes from the seed of David and from the town of Bethlehem, where David was?” So there was a division among the people because of Him. Now some of them wanted to take Him, but no one laid hands on Him. Then the officers came to the chief priests and Pharisees, who said to them, “Why have you not brought Him?” The officers answered, “No man ever spoke like this Man!” Then the Pharisees answered them, “Are you also deceived? Have any of the rulers or the Pharisees believed in Him? But this crowd that does not know the law is accursed.” Nicodemus (he who came to Jesus by night, being one of them) said to them, does our law judge a man before it hears him and knows what he is doing?” They answered and said to him, “Are you also from Galilee? Search and look, for no prophet has arisen out of Galilee.” Then Jesus spoke to them again saying, “I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life.”



Schedule

Sunday, June 12, 2022

The Descent of the Most Holy Spirit in the form of Fiery Tongues upon the Holy Apostles

Vespers of Pentecost with Kneeling Prayers immediately following Divine Liturgy

Saturday, June 18, 2022

5:00 P.M. Vespers

Sunday, June 19, 2022

All Saints

9:00 A.M. 3rd & 6th Hours

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Monday, June 20, 2022

Begin Apostles' Fast

Saturday, June 25, 2022

5:00 P.M. Vespers

Sunday, June 26, 2022

9:00 A.M. 3rd & 6th Hours

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, June 28, 2022

7:00 P.M. Vespers

Wednesday, June 29, 2022

Feast of the Chief of the Apostles

Peter & Paul

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Saturday, July 2, 2022

5:00 P.M. Vespers

Sunday, July 3, 2022

9:00 A.M. 3rd & 6th Hours

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Saturday, July 9, 2022

3:00 P.M. Parish Council Meeting

Nativity of the Virgin Mary

Orthodox Church

416 Ewing Ave, Madison, IL 62060

Sunday, June 12, 2022

8th Sunday of Pascha; The Descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Holy Apostles in the Form of Fiery Tongues

www.nativityofthevirgin.com

KNEELING PRAYERS ON PENTECOST (June 12, 2022)

1. *From the 3rd Kneeling Prayer* Commit their souls and their names in the Book of Life, in the bosom of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, in the land of the living, in the Kingdom of Heaven, in a Paradise of delights, leading all, by Thy radiant Angels, in Thy holy abode, raising up also with Thee our bodies in the day which Thou hast appointed, according to Thy holy and unfailing promise. There is, therefore, O Lord, no death for Thy servants, when we go forth from the body and come unto Thee, our God, but a change from things most-sorrowful unto things most-beneficial and most-sweet, and unto rest and joy. And though we have sinned against Thee, be merciful unto us and unto them, for no one is pure of defilement before Thee, though his life be but for one day, except Thou alone, our Lord Jesus Christ, Who didst reveal Thyself sinless on the earth, through Whom we all hope to receive mercy and the forgiveness of sins. Do Thou, therefore, for us and for them, as Thou art a Good God and the Lover of Mankind, loose, remit, and forgive our falls into sin, whether voluntary or involuntary, those done in knowledge or in ignorance, whether they be manifest or unnoticed, those of deed, those of thought, those in word, and those of all our habits and movements. And give freedom and respite unto them that have been taken from us, and bless us who are here present, granting a good peaceful end unto us and also unto all Thy people; and open unto us Thy

Prayer Requests

Those in this earthly life

Justin	Kathy	Elijah
David	Paul	Sophia
Lori	George	Mary
James	Kristine	Metropolitan HERMAN
Soo	Patricia	Archpriest Moses
Mary	Kaitlin	Archpriest John
Horatsiu	Diana	Matushka Margaret
Andrew	Michael	Matthew
Subdeacon Andrew	Amy	Priest Joseph
Theresa	Michael	Archpriest Michael
Karen	Joseph	Archpriest Gregory
David	Andrew	Deacon Paul
Adina	Magdalene	Deacon Peter
Samuel	Subdeacon Charles	Matushka Virginia
Presbyteria Yianna	Deborah	Matushka Susan
Priest Achilles	Michael	Mary
Demetrius	Victor	Zoe
Isadora	Wilma	Noah
Samuel	Michael	Marie
Isaac	April	Paul
Reader George (<i>travel</i>)	Joseph	Mary
Marie (<i>travel</i>)	Michael	Nicholas
Ken	Barb	Andrew
Nancy	Barbara	Anthony
Frank	Mark	Christopher
Amber	Angela	Jackie

Those in the life to come

Shaw	Metropolitan THEODOSIUS
Matushka Genevieve	Archpriest Vladimir
Lynn	
Protodeacon Nicodemus	
<u>Antonina</u>	
Archbishop PAUL	
Archpriest Thomas	

tender mercies and Thy love for mankind at Thy dread and fearful Second Coming, and make us worthy of Thy Kingdom. O Great and Most-high God, Who alone hast immortality, Who dwellest in light unapproachable, Who hast fashioned all creation in wisdom, Who hast divided the light from the darkness, and hast set the sun to rule the day, and the moon and stars to rule the night, Who hast counted us sinners worthy at this present hour to come before Thy presence with praises, and to offer unto Thee our evening service: Do Thou Thyself, O Lord, the Lover of Mankind, direct our prayer as incense before Thee, and accept it for an odor of sweet fragrance, and grant that our present evening and coming night be peaceful. Clothe us with the armor of light. Deliver us from the fear of night, and from everything that walks about in darkness. And grant that the sleep that Thou hast given for the repose of our infirmity may be free from every fantasy of the devil. Yea, O Master of all and Bestower of good things, may we, moved to compunction upon our beds, remember Thy most-holy Name in the night. And, enlightened by the instruction of Thy commandments, may we rise up in joyfulness of soul unto the glorification of Thy goodness, offering prayers and supplications unto Thy deep compassion, for our own sins and those of all Thy people. And do Thou visit them, through the prayers of the Most-holy Theotokos. Help us, save us, raise us up, and keep us O God, by Thy grace.

Introit (*at the Little Entrance with the Gospel*)

Priest: Wisdom! Let us attend! Be Thou exalted, O Lord, in Thy strength! We will sing and praise Thy power!

Troparia

Resurrection

TONE 8

Blessed art Thou, O Christ our God, Who hast revealed the fishermen as most wise by sending down upon them the Holy Spirit, and through them Thou didst draw the world into Thy net. O Lover of Man, glory to Thee!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakia

Fathers

TONE 8

When the Most High came down and confused the tongues, He divided the nations; but when He distributed the tongues of fire, He called all to unity. Therefore, with one voice we glorify the All-holy Spirit.