


*St. Michael the Archangel Antiochian Orthodox Church*

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**Sunday, October 27, 2019**

**Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**Celebrant: Fr. Ben Kjendal**

LITTLE ENTRANCE WEEKLY VARIABLES

THE EISODIKON (ENTRANCE HYMN): Come, let us worship and fall down before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, Who art risen from the dead; who sing to Thee. Alleluia.

RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION IN TONE TWO: When Thou didst submit Thyself unto death, O Thou deathless and immortal One, then Thou didst destroy hell with Thy Godly power. And when Thou didst raise the dead from beneath the earth, all the powers of Heaven did cry aloud unto Thee: O Christ, Thou giver of life, glory to Thee.

APOLYTIKION OF ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL: O ye foremost of the heavenly host, we beseech thee, though we are unworthy. Pray that we may be encompassed with the shadow of thy unearthly glory. Preserving us who kneel and cry endlessly. Deliver us from oppression since Ye are the princes of the highest power.

ORDINARY KONTAKION IN TONE TWO: O protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the Creator most constant, O despise not the suppliant voices of those who have sinned; but be thou quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession, and speed thou to make supplication, thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.

TRISAGION PRAYER

<i>English</i>	Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have Mercy on us
<i>Arabic</i>	Qudoos El Laah, Quodoos El Qawi, Qudoos El Lathi La Yamoot, Urhamnah
<i>Greek</i>	Agios O Theos, Agios Ischiros, Agios Athanatos, Eyleison Imas
<i>Russian</i>	Svyatij Bozhe, Svyatij Krepkij, Svatij Bessmertnij pomiluj nas

**The Mission of St Michael the Archangel Orthodox Church is to love and worship God, to grow closer to Him, and to proclaim and to spread the Good News of the salvation of Jesus Christ to our parishioners, our neighbors and people everywhere.**

**We worship and pray in English. We experience the beauty and joy of living the Holy Orthodox Christian faith – sharing love and fellowship, teaching and leading by example, growing together through service, education, stewardship and forgiveness.**

**A NOTE REGARDING HOLY COMMUNION:** *Since we understand Communion to mean we have all things in common, sharing an identical Faith, only those who are members of the Orthodox Church and who have prepared themselves through prayer, fasting and confession may participate in Holy Communion. We invite all present to partake of the blessed bread distributed at the end of the service.*

**UNLESS YOU ARE INJURED OR UNABLE, PLEASE REMAIN STANDING DURING COMMUNION**

**Sunday, October 27**      9:15 AM Church School  
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy  
2:00 – 4:00 PM Harvest Festival at the Village at Cataumet

**Saturday, November 2**      5:00 PM Vespers

**Sunday, November 3**      9:15 AM Church School  
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

### **Narthex Matching Donation**

We have been blessed to have a very generous donor that is willing to match St. Michael the Archangel parishioner donations from October through December for a total match of up to **\$10,000**. Please be generous with your Narthex donations so that we make take full advantage of this wonderful offer. If you have any questions, please speak with Fr. Ben, Joe Rahal, John Abodeely, Joe Boruch, or Michelle Mullaney.

**\*\*\*In case of emergency, there are emergency numbers posted next to the telephones in the coat room and in the kitchen\*\*\***

PLEASE SEE ST MICHAEL HAPPENINGS FOR UPCOMING EVENTS AND CHARITABLE NEEDS OVER THE COMING WEEKS. MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU!

**\*\*\* DON'T FORGET NON-PERISHABLE ITEMS FOR FOOD PANTRY \*\*\***

THANK YOU to Jasmine & Paul Andrews. Jourdan & Charlie Clough and to Anna Lemanis for their tireless efforts in purchasing /delivering food donations!

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS! PLEASE JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR!

### **THANK YOU TO OUR PARISHIONERS FOR MAKING COFFEE HOUR POSSIBLE**

This week hosted by **Women's Group** Next 4 weeks: Tatiana R., Zoya, Clough, Kjendal, Savas, & Andrews  
**Please let us know if you are interested in being included on the coffee hour rotation schedule!**

***Our People are our Choir! We love to hear you sing with us! WELCOME!***

***We are glad to have you worship with us today!***

Father Ben Kjendal is available to visit with you in your home for pastoral care, counseling and inquiries regarding Orthodoxy by appointment. His cell number is (978) 397-3285.

If you need anyone remembered during services (in Memory of or for Good Health of), please let Fr. Ben know **AT LEAST ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE** so they can be included in all the prayers during Vespers, Matins and Liturgy

## THE EPISTLE

(For the Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost)

*The Lord is my strength and my song. The Lord has chastened me severely.*

### **The Reading from the Second Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians. (11:31-12:9)**

Brethren, the God and Father of the Lord Jesus, He Who is blessed forever, knows that I do not lie. At Damascus, the governor under King Aretas guarded the city of Damascus in order to seize me, but I was let down in a basket through a window in the wall, and escaped his hands. I must boast; there is nothing to be gained by it, but I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. I know a man in Christ who 14 years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows. And I know that this man was caught up into Paradise—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows—and he heard things that cannot be told, which man may not utter. On behalf of this man I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. Though if I wish to boast, I shall not be a fool, for I shall be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think more of me than he sees in me or hears from me. And to keep me from being too elated by the abundance of revelations, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan, to harass me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I besought the Lord about this, that it should leave me; but He said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness.” I will all the more gladly boast of my weaknesses, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

## THE GOSPEL

(For the Seventh Sunday of Luke)

### **The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (8:41-56)**

At that time, there came to Jesus a man named Jairus, who was a ruler of the synagogue; and falling at Jesus’ feet he besought Him to come to his house, for he had an only daughter, about twelve years of age, and she was dying. As Jesus went, the people pressed round Him. And a woman, who had had a flow of blood for twelve years, and had spent all her living upon physicians, and could not be healed by anyone, came up behind Him, and touched the fringe of His garment; and immediately her flow of blood ceased. And Jesus said, “Who was it that touched Me?” When all denied it, Peter said, “Master, the multitudes surround Thee and press upon Thee! And Thou sayest, ‘Who touched Me?’” But Jesus said, “Someone touched Me; for I perceive that power has gone forth from Me.” And when the woman saw that she was not hidden, she came trembling, and falling down before Him declared in the presence of all the people why she had touched Him, and how she had been immediately healed. And Jesus said to her, “Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace.” While Jesus was still speaking, a man from the ruler’s house came and said, “Your daughter is dead; do not trouble the Teacher any more.” But Jesus on hearing this answered him, “Do not fear; only believe, and she shall be well.” And when Jesus came to the house, He permitted no one to enter with Him, except Peter and James and John, and the father and mother of the child. And all were weeping and bewailing her; but Jesus said, “Do not weep; for she is not dead but sleeping.” And they laughed at him, knowing that she was dead. But taking her by the hand Jesus called, saying, “Child, arise.” And her spirit returned, and she got up at once; and Jesus directed that something should be given her to eat. And her parents were amazed; but He charged them to tell no one what had happened.



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**PLEASE SUPPORT SOYO RELIGIOUS ITEMS BOUTIQUE** As a steward of St Michael, SOYO is running a religious items store for all your needs. Proceeds from the store will be **DONATED BACK** to St Michael to support a **NEEDY FUND AND OUTREACH PROGRAMS** for the parish and its friends... **please stop by and help support your neighbors in need with every purchase! See our Silver cross collection from Russia! Beautiful craftsmanship!**

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**PRISON BOOK DRIVE** We are continuing to collect books to be donated to a local prison. All books should be NEW or GENTLY USED PAPERBACKS (no hard covers or spiral bindings). Romance novels, books targeted specifically for women, or books picturing or featuring weapons and true crimes are not accepted.

**FILL THE FRIDGE** Throughout the month of October, we are working to collect NON-PERISHABLE food for our local food pantry!!! Food should be deposited in the "fridge" inside the side entrance of the church. Thank you for your generosity in helping our neighbors in need!

**HARVEST FESTIVAL** On **Sunday, October 27 from 2-4 PM** we will be hosting a **Harvest Festival at the Village at Cataumet**. Please see the flyer and speak to Kh. Alyssa if you are interested in helping with this fun event!

**COFFEE HOUR** In an attempt to ease the burden of providing food and cleaning up, a new coffee hour schedule has been created in which several families will share the responsibility of coffee hour for four weeks in a row, with the exception of the weeks that our parish's organizations host coffee hour. You can find it at the back and on our website. Even if your name is not on the list, you are always welcome to bring a dish to share or stay to help with clean up!

**FAMILY FELLOWSHIP AND VESPERS** on Saturday November 9! Arrive at 4:00 for food, fellowship, and family games. Vespers will immediately follow. Everyone is welcome to attend, and families with children are especially encouraged to join us!

**FASHION SHOW LUNCHEON** Join us on **November 23 at 12 PM** for a fun afternoon **Fashion Show Luncheon** to benefit the Narthex Project Campaign. Featured will be Fine fashions from W by Worth and accessories including jewelry, purses and scarves by Stella and Dot. Luncheon of Greek Lemon chicken, rice pilaf and Greek salad includes coffee and Greek pastry for dessert. All this as well as a door prize and raffle for just \$25. Contact Jourdan Clough for tickets.



**RAFFLE BASKETS DONATIONS** Michelle Mullaney is decorating raffle baskets for the Fashion Luncheon in November to benefit the Narthex project. Please, consider making monetary or gift card donations to cover the costs.