

*St. Michael the Archangel Antiochian Orthodox Church*

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**Sunday, November 17, 2019**

**Twenty-second 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 FIVE: Let us believers praise and worship the Word; coeternal with the Father and the Spirit, born of the Virgin for our salvation. For, He took pleasure in ascending the Cross in the flesh to suffer death; and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection.

APOLYTIKION FOR ST. GREGORY OF NEO-CAESAREA IN TONE EIGHT: By vigilance in prayer, and continuance in the working of wonders, thou didst acquire thine achievements as a surname; wherefore, intercede with Christ our God, O Father Gregory, to enlighten our souls, lest we sleep in sin unto death.

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.

KONTAKION OF ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS IN TONE FOUR: The sacred treasury of God's holy glory, the greatly precious bridal chamber and Virgin, the Savior's most pure temple, free of stain and undefiled, into the House of the Lord on this day is brought forward and bringeth with herself the grace of the Most Divine Spirit; her do God's Angels hymn with songs of praise, for she is truly the heavenly tabernacle.

**TRISAGION PRAYER**

*English*      Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have Mercy on us

*Arabic*      Qudoos El Laah, Quodoos El Qawi, Qudoos El Lathi La Yamoot, Urhamnah

*Greek*      Agios O Theos, Agios Ischiros, Agios Athanatos, Eyleison Imas

*Russian*      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, November 17**      9:00 AM Orthros / 9:15 AM Church School

10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

**Thursday, November 21**      6:00 PM Liturgy for The Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple

**Saturday, November 23**      12:00 PM Fashion Show Luncheon to benefit the Narthex Project

5:00 PM Vespers

**Sunday, November 24**      9:00 AM Orthros / 9:15 AM Church School

10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

**Annual Parish Meeting will be on Sunday, December 8, 2019 after the Liturgy**

**\*\*\*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 and the next one hosted by: 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 Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost)

*Thou, O Lord, shalt preserve us and keep us from this generation.*

*Save me, O Lord, for the godly man hath disappeared.*

#### **The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Galatians. (6:11-18)**

Brethren, see with what large letters I am writing to you with my own hand. It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that would compel you to be circumcised and only in order that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. For even those who receive circumcision do not themselves keep the Law, but they desire to have you circumcised that they may glory in your flesh. But far be it from me to glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me and I to the world. For neither circumcision counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creation. Peace and mercy be upon all, who walk by this rule, upon the Israel of God. Henceforth let no man trouble me; for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brethren. Amen.

### THE GOSPEL

(For the Ninth Sunday of Luke)

#### **The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (12:16-21)**

The Lord spoke this parable: “The land of a rich man brought forth plentifully; and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’ And he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; take your ease, eat, drink, be merry.’ But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.” As He said this, Jesus called out, “He who has ears to hear, let him hear.”



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### ST. MICHAEL HAPPENINGS

WEEKLY BULLETIN CAN BE VIEWED ON OUR WEBSITE  
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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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**THANKSGIVING MEALS** The number of families on the Cape who are hungry and suffering from food insecurity is increasing, and we have been given the opportunity to provide 50 Thanksgiving meals to such families this November. You can help by (1) speaking to Kh. Alyssa about specific items you can purchase, (2) give a monetary donation, and/or (3) help deliver the meals to Faith Family Kitchen on **Friday, November 22**.

Thanks be to God for the blessings He gives us so that we may share with His children in need!



**YARD CLEANUP** As we prepare for the Fashion Show on Saturday November 23, we will hold a fall clean up of our Church yard on Tuesday November 19 at 9 am. (Rain date is Weds Nov 20 at 9). Bring your blowers and rakes if you can help.

**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. Join us for an afternoon of Food, Fashion and Fun. Lunch includes lemon chicken, rice pilaf, salad, coffee and pastry. Bring someone with you! Door Prizes and Raffle! Tickets just \$25



See Jourdan or Pauline for tickets. November 19 is the Deadline for tickets to our Fashion Show Luncheon. Please turn in any UNSOLD tickets as well as money from SOLD tickets to Jourdan Clough.

**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.