

St. Michael the Archangel Antiochian Orthodox Church

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Sunday, September 22, 2019
14th 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. PHOCAS OF SINOPE IN TONE FOUR: By choosing the Apostles' way of life, thou hast succeeded to their throne. Inspired by God, thou didst find the way to divine contemplation through the practice of virtue. After teaching the Word of Truth without error, thou didst defend the Faith to the very shedding of thy blood, O Holy Martyr among bishops Phocas. Entreat the Lord our God to save our souls.

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, Qudoos 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, September 22 9:15 AM Church School
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy
12:00 Women's Group meeting

Sunday, September 29 9:15 AM Church School
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

**Have you responded yet to the
Narthex Appeal?
Your donation, big or small, is needed!**

*****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 **Yury & Anastasia Klovov** Next week: Michelle Mullaney (SOYO will clean up)

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 Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost)

Thou, O Lord, wilt keep and preserve us. Save me, O Lord, for the godly man has failed.

The Reading from the Second Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians. (1:21-2:4)

Brethren, it is God who establishes us with you in Christ, and has commissioned us; He has put his seal upon us and given us His Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee. But I call God to witness against me—it was to spare you that I refrained from coming to Corinth. Not that we lord it over your faith; we work with you for your joy, for you stand firm in your faith. For I made up my mind not to make you another painful visit. For if I cause you pain, who is there to make me glad but the one whom I have pained? And I wrote as I did, so that when I came I might not suffer pain from those who should have made me rejoice, for I felt sure of all of you, that my joy would be the joy of you all. For I wrote you out of much affliction and anguish of heart and with many tears, not to cause you pain but to let you know the abundant love that I have for you.

THE GOSPEL

(For the First Sunday of Luke)

The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (5:1-11)

At that time, Jesus was standing by the lake of Gennesaret. And He saw two boats by the lake; but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon's, Jesus asked him to put out a little from the land. And He sat down and taught the people from the boat. And when Jesus had finished speaking, He said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." And Simon answered, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at Thy word I will let down the nets." And when they had done this, they enclosed a great shoal of fish; and as their nets were breaking, they beckoned to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." For he was astonished, and all that were with him, at the catch of fish, which they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; henceforth you will be catching men." And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed Him.



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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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DIOCESE FAMILY CAMP & TEEN SOYO FALL CAMP Join us for the 3rd Annual Diocese Family Camp at the St. Methodios Faith & Heritage Center in Contoocook, NH, **October 4-6, 2019**. Families from our Diocese come together for a weekend of camp activities, prayer, relaxation, fellowship, and learning in the beautiful camp in New Hampshire. Families stay in the beautiful Retreat House with hotel-style rooms, and participate in activities throughout the weekend as a family without the distractions of our busy lives. Teens will stay in the cabins with AV Staff Alumni from throughout the Diocese. More information and registration forms can be found at www.soyofallcamp.org

INTERNATIONAL FOOD/BAKE SALE & UPSCALE YARD SALE is going to be on **Saturday, October 12 from 10 AM to 2 PM**. Come purchase homemade American, Lebanese, Greek, Moldavian, Polish, Russian, Romanian, Syrian, Tibetan, Ukrainian food to treat your family and invite your friends! Eat in and take some home. Luncheon served. Flyers are at the back of the church. If you are willing to help, ask Elaine Burke or Jourdan Clough.



PRISON BOOK DRIVE! Through the end of September we will be collecting 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**. "Education is one of the few methods proven to reduce the likelihood of a prisoner returning to prison after release."

TEEN SOYO MOVIE-AFTERNOON Save the date **October 13, 2019!** Teen SOYO (ages 9-18) will have movie-afternoon after Liturgy. All are welcome!

IN THE WORKS – SAVE THE DATE Plans are underway for a **Fashion Event Luncheon on November 23, 2019 at 12:00 Noon** at St. Michael's church hall to benefit the Narthex Project. Tickets going on sale on October 8, 2019. For details see Vicki Abodeely or Pauline Rassias.

NARTHEX To recognize all participants for their generous contribution to the building of a Narthex, we have three components to the recognition program described below.

Recognition Plaque	"In Memory Of" Plaque
Large plaque to be prominently placed in the Church	A separate plaque will be prominently placed in an appropriate location within the Church
<p>Each name / gift, pending their permission, will be placed under the appropriate level of giving acknowledging their gift.</p> <p>Diamond – \$50,000 or more Platinum – \$25,000 – 49,999 Gold – \$10,000 – 24,999 Silver – \$3,000 – 9,999</p>	<p>Each name will be placed on approximately a 1" x 2" plate with other similar plates creating a special plaque designated as "In-Memory Of"</p> <p>Minimum donation – \$500</p> <p>Each of these plates will carry the name of the family member to be remembered.</p>
All Contributors will be recognized in a souvenir program celebrating the opening of the new Narthex.	

We will accommodate any contributors who wish to remain anonymous.

Specific designated gifts will be considered on a case to case basis.

