

SAINT KATHERINE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Orthros: 9:00 AM

Divine Liturgy: 10:00 AM

Fellowship Hour: Noon

Church office hours: Mon. through Fri. 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. / Saturday & Sunday closed

~ VISION & MISSION STATEMENT ~

Our Vision (dream) is to be a growing, loving, united Orthodox Christian family open to all.

*Our Mission (job) is to grow our faith in Christ through love and respect,
with humility and forgiveness.*

SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2019

10th Morning Gospel - Plagal 2nd Mode

8th SUNDAY OF PASCHA

SUNDAY OF THE 318 Holy Fathers
Of the First Ecumenical Council in Nicea
(+325)

St. Cyril, Patriarch of Alexandria (+444)

Pelagia & the 3 Virginmartyrs of Chios

Virginmartyrs Thecla, Ennatha, Maramne,
Martha & Mary (+330)



~ Welcome to Our Guests ~

We are delighted that you are with us today. Please keep in mind that according to the Holy Canons and teachings of the Orthodox Church, you must be a baptized and chrismated member of the Orthodox faith in good standing in order to receive Holy Communion. You are welcome to receive a portion of the blessed bread (antidoron) distributed at the end of the Divine Liturgy. Please join us for fellowship hour following services.

Divine Liturgy of St. John the Chrysostom

Ἀπολυτίκιον τῆς Αναλήψεως - Ἦχος Πλ. Β' - p. 168

Ἀνελήφθης ἐν δόξῃ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, χαροποιήσας τοὺς Μαθητάς, τῇ ἐπαγγελίᾳ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, βεβαιωθέντων αὐτῶν διὰ τῆς εὐλογίας, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ λυτρωτὴς τοῦ κόσμου.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον - Ἦχος Πλ. Β' - σ. 118 - 120

Ἀγγελικαὶ Δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνημᾶ σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν· καὶ ἴστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ ζητοῦσα τὸ ἄχραντὸν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν Ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ· ὑπήντησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωροῦμενος τὴν ζωὴν. Ὁ ἀναστάς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι

Resurrectional Apolytikion –Plagal 2nd Mode - p. 119 - 121

The angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it became as dead men, and Mary stood at Your grave seeking, seeking Your most pure body. But You made hell captive; You were untouched by its night. You came to the virgin and granted life. O Lord who rose from the dead, glory to You.

Apolytikion of the Ascension - Plagal 2nd Mode - p. 169

You ascended in glory, O Christ our God, having gladdened Your disciples by Your promise of the Holy Spirit. And Your blessing confirmed their belief that You are indeed God's Son, the Redeemer of the world.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Τῶν Πατέρων - Ἦχος Πλ. Β' - σ. 170

Ὑπερδεδοξασμένος εἶ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ φωστῆρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν ἀληθινὴν πίστιν, πάντας ἡμᾶς ὀδηγήσας· πολυεύσπλαγχνε, δόξα σοι.

Apolytikion of the Holy Fathers - Plagal 2nd Mode - p. 171

Unending glory be Yours, O Christ our God, for making our holy fathers radiant lights to all the world. Through them You led us to the true faith. Compassionate Savior, glory to You.

Ἀπολυτίκιον τῆς Ἁγίας Αἰκατερίνης - Ἦχος Πλ. Α'

Τὴν πανεύφημον νύμφην Χριστοῦ υμνήσωμεν * Αἰκατερίναν τὴν
θεῖαν καὶ πολιούχον Σινά * τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν καὶ ἀντίληψιν· ὅτι
εφίμωσε λαμπρῶς * τοὺς κομψοὺς τῶν ἀσεβῶν * τοῦ Πνεύματος τῆ
δυνάμει· καὶ ὡς Μάρτυς Κυρίου στεφθεῖσα * αἰτεῖται πάσι τό μέγα
έλεος.

Apolytikion of St. Katherine - Plagal 1st Mode

The all-blessed bride of Christ let us extol in song * Katerina the divine
and protector of Sinai * our assistance and unfailing firm support; * for
she did muzzle brilliantly * the ungodly clever men by the power of the
Spirit. And now as a crowned Martyr * the great mercy she pleads for all
of us.

Κοντάκιον τῆς Αναλήψεως - Ἦχος Β' - p. 278

Τὴν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν πληρώσας οικονομίαν, καὶ τὰ ἐπὶ γῆς ἐνώσας τοῖς
οὐρανίοις, ἀνελήφθης ἐν δόξῃ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, οὐδαμόθεν
χωριζόμενος, ἀλλὰ μένων ἀδιάστατος, καὶ βοῶν τοῖς ἀγαπῶσί σε·
Ἐγὼ εἶμι μεθ' ὑμῶν, καὶ οὐδεὶς καθ' ὑμῶν.

Kontakion for the Ascension - Plagal 2nd Mode - p. 279

When You had joined earth to heaven and fulfilled Your plan of redemp-
tion, You ascended in glory, O Christ our God, while remaining in our
midst. For You assured us who love You that no one can prevail against
us since Your Yourself are with us.

The Reading is from Acts of the Apostles 20:16-18, 28-36

IN THOSE DAYS, Paul had decided to sail past Ephesus, so that he might not
have to spend time in Asia; for he was hastening to be at Jerusalem, if possible,
on the day of Pentecost. And from Miletus he sent to Ephesus and called to him
the elders of the church. And when they came to him, he said to them: "Take
heed to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you
overseers, to care for the church of God which he obtained with the blood of
his own Son. I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among
you, not sparing the flock; and from among your own selves will arise men
speaking perverse things, to draw away the disciples after them. Therefore be
alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admon-
ish every one with tears. And now I commend you to God and to the word of
his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among
all those who are sanctified. I coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. You

yourselves know that these hands ministered to my necessities, and to those who were with me. In all things I have shown you that by so toiling one must help the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, 'it is more blessed to give than to receive.' " And when he had spoken thus, he knelt down and prayed with them all.

The Reading is from The Gospel John 17:1-13

At that time, Jesus lifted up his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him power over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they know you the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work which you gave me to do; and now, Father, you glorify me in your own presence with the glory which I had with you before the world was made. "I have manifested your name to the men whom you gave me out of the world; yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you; for I have given them the words which you gave me, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you did send me. I am praying for them; I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are mine; all mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. And now I am no more in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me; I have guarded them, and none of them is lost but the son of perdition, that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you; and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves."

Please pray for our:

Spiritual Leaders: Patriarch Bartholomew; Archbishop Demetrios; Metropolitan Alexios; Bishop Sevastianos & Fr. Demetri

Civil Leaders: President Donald Trump, US Congress & Supreme Court; Governor Ron DeSantis; County Commissioners, all our civil authorities & armed forces.

Parish Leadership: Parish Council, Philoptochos, Chanters, Choir, Sunday & Greek School teachers & students, Youth & Dance Group leaders and children.

Those who are sick, awaiting surgery, recovering from surgery, in need of prayers and/or shut in: Alexandra Diamond, Mae Charos, Bill & Ellen Werner, Olga Bouras, Yvonne Yacoub, Savannah & Zander Kelly, Mirsini Sirounis, Suzanne Orosz, Faye Nicholas, JoAnne Macheras, John & Anne Cominos, Angela DeCosta, Marlaine Manus, George & Siham Kanazeh, John Figari, Anna Kokotis, Leah

Thomas, Mary & Pete Faines, Robert & Vel, Katie, George & Steven, Carlo Sedney, Georgia & Vasili Menegas, Brandon Gilsenan, Aurelia Bocanu, Peter & JoAnn Zuras, Kris & Jonathan, Athena Giglio, Peter, Alice & Jim Zavitsanos, Michael Cora & family, Harry Paris, Samuel Smith, Kosta, Anastasia, Maggie & Andromahi Theodorou, Peter Katsoulas, Stylianos Theodorou, Manny, Androniki, Margie Clore, Fr. Nicholas Harris, Nick & Nora Yanas, Bob & Mary Jane Dearman, Dottie Phillips, Lisa Paunovich, George & Elaine, Karen, Ainsleigh Grace Brems, Lenny Lloyd, Matt F., Paula, Courtney B., Baby R., Eleni, Konstantina, Mark, Kathy, Konstantina, Martin, Crum Family, Marie Irene Kragenbrink, Wayne, Maria, Alexis, Mike, Penny & Joseph Jones, George & Sylvia Demopoulos, Mark & Christine Balba, Efstratia Triantafilou, Kathy S., Maria & Rubin Meraz, Anne & Jerry Figari, Fr. Michael & Pani Karen Miklos, Lisa Wadell, Maria Herrera, Jose, Thomas Xenakis, Penny, Don & Katherine, Eileen McKartin, Valerie Kobzarenko, Dino Koursaris, Mary Pappas, Evelyn Karakitsios, baby William & Family, Elaine Demopoulos, James & Joseph Figari., Tom Skarlis

Those preparing for the birth of a child: Alexis & baby

Those preparing for Baptism: Angeliki Gatidis & Noah Salmon,

Those serving in the Armed Forces: Joseph Abadiotakis, Jr., Harold David Ballard, George Peter Biniaris, Nicholas Cannaverde, James Christian Figari, Travis Hunter, Samuel Joseph III, Ethan Macheras, Elias Panayiotis Maldonado, Matthew Ryan Stinnett, Nicholas Tsamoutales, Yanni Tshontikidis, Klis T. Zannis,

First Responders - Police, Fire & Rescue: Blake (Andrew) Ballard, Kevin Cincimino, Nicole Contos, Firefighter/Paramedic Panayiotis (Taki) Panayiotopoulos, Victoria Pappademetriou.

For the protection of Christians being persecuted for their faith.

For the protection and freedom of the kidnapped Metropolitan Boulos Yazigi and Archbishop Yohanna Ibrahim, both of Aleppo, Syria.

College Students: Arianna & Theodora Bendlin, Barbara Brewster, Elizabeth & Michael Courey, Joseph Daniel Figari, Tony Galanopoulos, Alyssa Giglio, Marianthi & Callia Karas, Kimberley & Dana Marie Koines, Jennifer & Andrew Loso, Evgenia Miller, Melanie & Michelle Niarhos, Elena & Tommy Panouses, Victoria Pappademetriou, Nikoleia Paterakis, Catherine & Maria Psarakis, Ronnie Rickard, George & Jessica Saad, Nick Sackaris, Catie & Sydney Sergis, Costas Stathis, Austen & Leah Thomas, Catherine Triantafyllidis, Jordan Tsigas, Thomas Tsoukalas, Demetri Droumbalas, Zechariah Baker, Yanni Tsoukalas.

WE WILL ONLY LIST NAMES OF COLLEGE STUDENTS FOR WHOM AN EMAIL ADDRESS IS SUBMITTED. SO PARENTS & GRANDPARENTS, PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR STUDENT'S EMAIL TO THE CHURCH OFFICE.

(If you know of anyone that should be added (or removed) from this list, please call the Church office.)



~ Today ~

Welcome Fr. Michael Miklos

2nd tray weekly to defray the cost of Visiting Clergy



~ Upcoming Liturgies & Events ~

Thurs., June 13th - ZOE Event - 11:30 am - Movie Swing Away & Pizza & Salad
See p. 10 for more information

Office closed June 10, 12 & 13

PLASTIC BENCH PROJECT

We are collecting plastic bottle caps small or large. For every 400 lbs, we will receive a plastic bench.

Drop them off in the community center by the back door.

There will be a container marked specifically for the caps.

PLEASE DO NOT THROW GARBAGE IN THAT BIN! Thank you.

**Please turn your cell phones & pagers off
or on vibrate before entering Church**

ZOE

June 13 will bring a close to our ZOE meetings until September. We will view a cute movie entitled "Swing Away" about a Greek professional golfer who has a meltdown on tour and she decides to go visit yiayia and papou in their village in Greece.

What ensues you can imagine, of course the usual life's lesson for us all in the end. We will enjoy Kelsey's pizza and salad so please call to reserve your yummy lunch. Noon on Thursday, June 13th in the church hall.

In other news, we wanted to mention those who attended the Florida Tech Ruth Funk textile Kimono exhibition, had a wonderful tour and explanation and lunch afterward at BJ'S.

REMEMBER TO CALL FOR YOUR PIZZA AND SALAD RESERVATION... last day June 10th. See you all **Thursday, June 13th** at noon in St. Katherine's hall...have a wonderful summer..



Available dates:

**June 9, 16 & 30
(Fasting)**

If any parishioners, families, group of families, koumbari or friends would like to host a fellowship hour following Sunday Liturgy please contact : Church office - 321.254.1045
Or email - admin@saint-katherine.org

This is a wonderful opportunity to extend our Christian hospitality with one another and any guests or visitors who attend our services.

Duties: 1) Set up the large coffee pot in hall
2) Provide a simple snack
3) Clean up



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

In the name of Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit Amen.

Lord Jesus Christ our God, accept our offerings as You have accepted the gifts of Your people throughout the ages. We offer these gifts to Your glory, for the support of the ministries of Your Holy Church, for the alleviation of suffering and hunger, and for the proclamation of Your Gospel to the whole world.

Grant us Your blessing, Lord our Savior, that we may always be faithful stewards, continuing to share the gifts you have given us, by the power of Your grace, mercy and love. May Your name be glorified forever. Amen.



2019 STEWARDSHIP

111 Stewards Pledging \$156,060.

Paid \$76,860.

**36 Friends of St. Katherine have paid
\$17,285.**

**HAVE YOU FILLED OUT YOUR
2019 PLEDGE FORM?**

For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Luke 12:34

THE JESUS PRAYER

Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, Υἱέ Θεοῦ,
ἐλέησόν με τὸν ἁμαρτωλόν.
(τὴν ἁμαρτωλὸν if prayed by a female)

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,
have mercy on me a sinner.