

### Tone 8 Prokeimenon

Their proclamation has gone out into all the earth, / and their words to the ends of the universe. (Ps. 18:5)  
V. The heavens are telling the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims His handiwork. (Ps. 18:2)

### Epistle

*(Acts 2:1-11 for Pentecost)*

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 they 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."

### Tone 1 Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

v: By the Word of the Lord the heavens were made; and all their host by the Spirit of His mouth. (Ps 32:6)  
v: The Lord looked down from heaven; He saw all the sons of men. (Ps.32:13)

### Gospel

*(John 7:37-52, 8:12 for Pentecost)*

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, said, "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."

## WELCOME TO

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## LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

### PENTECOST SUNDAY

#### Matins:

John 20:19-23

#### Epistle:

Acts 2:1-11

#### Gospel:

John 7:37-52, 8:12

### Tone 6 Troparion (*Pentecost*)

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.***

### Tone 8 Kontakion (*Pentecost*)

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.

*"The Holy Spirit is truly Spirit,  
coming forth from the Father  
indeed, but not after the  
manner of the Son... He is the  
Spirit of God, the Spirit of  
Christ, the Mind of Christ, the  
Spirit of the Lord, Himself  
Lord, the Spirit of adoption, of  
truth, of liberty; the Spirit of  
wisdom, of understanding, of  
counsel, of might, of  
knowledge, of godliness, of  
the fear of God. ... He deifies  
me by Baptism and He carries  
me on to the Resurrection."  
St. Gregory the Theologian,  
Oration 41 (On Pentecost)*



**WELCOME VISITORS:** Thank you for worshipping with us today!  
Please fill out a visitor's card and return it so that we can get to know you better!

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### Upcoming Services & Events

**TODAY:** Pentecost Sunday  
 Festal Matins: 8:15am  
 Liturgy & Kneeling Prayers: 9:30am  
 Fellowship & OCMC Talk

**Monday, 6/1:** Cleaning Crew, 8:00am – Any help is appreciated!  
 Holy Spirit Monday at Holy Trinity Cathedral, 9:30am

**Wednesday, 6/3:** Vespers & Confessions: 6:30pm

**Saturday, 6/6:** Great Vespers & Confessions: 5:00pm

**Next Sunday, 6/7:** All Saints Sunday  
 Matins: 8:15am  
 Divine Liturgy: 9:30am  
 Fellowship

### Announcements

- **Pentecost OCMC Talk by Jarrod Suits during Coffee hour.** A representative of Orthodox Christian Missionary Center will be with us on Pentecost to share about the work of OCMC.
- **Holy Spirit Monday:** Liturgy at Holy Trinity Cathedral at 9:30am on June 1<sup>st</sup>.
- **Classes on Prayer:** We will have three classes on prayer in June on Sundays at 12:15. We will be contemplating the short talks on prayer by St Theophan the Recluse. All are welcome to join us!
- **Charity this month: Orthodox Christian Mission Center (OCMC)** Dedicated to galvanizing Orthodox Christians in the United States to advance Orthodox missions around the world. OCMC deploys both human and financial resources to establish Christ’s Church through a uniquely Orthodox approach to missionary work.

### LET US PRAY TO THE LORD...

**Health:** John & Joanne Nacik, Myrza Cozzi, Nick Sutko, Faith (*Karen S., Duke, Carol*), Kyle (*Marcia G.*), Richard & Fadia

**Departed:** Dn. Mark (*Duke & Carol*)

**Shut-ins:** Lillian, Julie, Lil, Mary

**Catechumens:** Eric, Igor, Sam, Katy, Ethan, Mackenzie, Isaac, Mikayela

**College:** Mark, Mikhail, Mark, Andrew, Ben, Colin, Casey, Ana, Adam, Megan, Anna, Esther

### Many Years!

**Birthday:** Laura Bilas (6/2), Larissa Gurnic (6/3), Audrey Havlovic (6/5), Nicole Boyd(6/5), Dorothea Greeson (6/5), Laverne Dettloff (6/5)

### Donations between 5/18 and 5/24

Auditor: Casey Moore	Fellowship Hour: \$96
Direct Deposit: \$318	Charity: \$95
Tithely Donations: \$681.95	Offerings: \$2,049
Candles Donations: \$293	<b>Total: \$3,532.95</b>
	<b>Target: \$5,923</b>

### WEEKLY ROTATIONS:

	<b>Epistle</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Prospora</b>	<b>Greeters</b>	<b>Fellowship</b>
<b>Today:</b>	Jason H.	Maurice	Laura K.	Barry & Deb	Karen C. & Laura B.
June 7:	Linda C.	Oliwia Z.	Laura K.	Steve S.	Lemenager & Salvas
June 14:	Maurice	Maurice	Cynthia K.	George Z.	Morgan, Becky, Kat
June 28:	Laura B.	Oliwia Z.	Cynthia K.	Pam M.	Marshalls & Cynthia K.