Sunday, November 10, 2019

St. Herman of Alaska Orthodox Church

A PARISH OF THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OUTSIDE OF RUSSIA—EASTERN AMERICAN DIOCESE
Great Vespers & Confessions each Saturday at 6 pm – Bible Study each Wednesday at 7 pm – Divine Liturgy each Sunday at 10 am
60 Clifton Chapel Lane, Stafford, Virginia 22555 – Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1295, Stafford, VA 22555 – Website: www.sthermanorthodox.org

Liturgical Services/Activities:

Sun. Nov. 10/Oct. 28 — **21st Sunday after Pentecost. Great-martyr Parasceva of Iconium (3rd c.).**
8:45 a.m. Matins
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy followed by Fellowship Hour

Wed. Nov. 13/Oct. 31 — **Apostles Stachys, Amplias, Urban, Narcissus, Apelles and Aristobulus of the Seventy (1st c.).**
7:00 p.m. Adult Religious Education Class

Sat. Nov. 16/Nov. 3 — **Hieromartyrs Nicander, bishop of Myra, and Hermas, presbyter (1st c.).**
5:15 p.m. Confessions
6:00 p.m. Great Vespers & Confessions

Sun. Nov. 17/Nov. 4 — **22nd Sunday after Pentecost. Venerable Ioannicius the Great of Bithynia (846 AD).**
8:45 a.m. Matins
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy followed by Fellowship Hour

Attendance

Great Vespers, 11/2 – 22 Divine Liturgy, 11/3 – 84

2019 Finances
The Parish needs $1,742.51 /week to meet budget

Week	Amount Received	Difference from amount needed
Year-to-date	$ 88,302.59	+ $ 11,036.18
October 27	$ 813.00	- 929.51
November 3	$ 1,574.75	- 167.76

Honor the Lord from your righteous labors and offer Him the first fruits from the fruits of righteousness, that your storehouses may be filled with an abundance of grain and your wine presses may gush with wine.

Intercessory Prayer List

Metropolitan Jonah requests that you send him the full name and general reason for intercessory prayer (such as health or illness, unemployment, family issues, military deployment to Afghanistan, etc.) for his pastoral care. Only the names of the living (and recently deceased) will be included in the prayer list in the weekly bulletin. He also requests that the faithful who have requested intercessory prayers for various persons let him know when there is no longer a specific need for prayer, so that we may keep the list current.

LIVING: Met. Jonah, Rebecca Laymon, Judith (Maria) Cook, Ann Yuschak, Sarah Heitke, Presbytera Monica Pappas, Paisley Joanna Milligan, Charles Jordan, Emma Nichole Parkinson, Rob Cornwell, Beth Baggett, Archpriest Alexander Webster, Reader Moses Swift, Matushka Veronica Sirko and baby, Brianna Lessin and Brayden, the Atanasov family, Sarah Elizabeth Francis, Father Methodius, Donna Colaianni, Archpriest Michael Sekela, Deacon Gregory Jewett, Patricia Connerley, Martha Connerley, Kathy Sekela, Mark Laymon, Kristin Blaylock, Janis Sergeant, Millicent Novic, Ray Liddick, Chad Gallagher, Matushka Cindy Joanna Mitchell, Protodeacon Brian Patrick Mitchell, Presvytera Flora Chioros, Father Stanley Voyiazakis, Monk Anthony (West Virginia), Archpriest George Larin, Matushka Masha Potopav, Matushka Sophia Doubleday, Evdokiya Bykon, Kevin McCarthy, Archpriest Victor Potapov, Archpriest Theodore Shomsky, Archimandrite Iov (Holy Trinity Monastery), Jo Ann Swift, Abbess Makaria, James and Bryce Wilt, Ryan Wilt, Logan Peters, Sandra Brown, Glen A. Cooper, Kiernan Green, Protodeacon Nicholas Lukianov, Matushka Nadejda Revitsky, Archpriest George Johnson, Lisa King Buka. Richard Buka Sr., Larry Terrell, Matushka Larisa Hutnyan, Jackie Leopold, Ellaine Baron, Protodeacon Pavel Wolkow, Mother Theodora, Archpriest Alexander Veronis, James Kushiner, Michael Gann, Anders Bjorklund, Maria Papademetriou, Peter and Laura Roshak and baby Mark, Archpriest George Kallaur, Archpriest Paul Ivanov, Christina Spannic, Ksenia Resnikoff, Maximos Andreas Winans, Father Nicholas Pappas, Elizabeth Orlowsky, Conley Rohall, Jean Manco, Katherine Katsikas, Michael Kyle, Julia, Mark, Marie Liller, Jessica Anne Swift, Matushka Eugenia Neherbecki, James Perry, Debbie Vatistas, George Katsikas, Timothy Vlahos, Vasilliki, Maria, Yiorgos, Vasiliki, Aggeliki, Ioanna and Konstantinos Dimitrakopoulou, Kaliope Sauter, Maria and Evaggelia Petrelli, Kevin McDonald, Rachel Brenke, Leonidas and Sophia Stylianopoulos, Valentina Suchkova, Maria Illarionova, Victor Illarionova, Khouria Rebecca Alford, Maia and Sion Weaver, Margaret Ashely, the captive Orthodox bishops from Aleppo, Syria: His Eminence Archbishop Boulos (Yazigi) and Mar Archbishop Youhanna Ibrahim

MEMORY ETERNAL: Vassiliki, Maria, Margaret Ashley

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Fellowship Hour

Nov. 10~Fellowship provided by Team 2
Nov. 17~Fellowship provided by Team 3

If anyone would like to join a team or be put on the list of substitutes, or is interested in hosting a particular Sunday please contact Nancy St. Clair.

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Reader Schedule

Nov. 10~ Rdr. Moses Swift
Nov. 17~ Rdr. Aaron Lessin

If you are interested in assisting with the reading and becoming a tonsured reader please contact Deacon Alexander.

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Prosfora

Nancy St. Clair and Brianna Lessin are currently providing the Prosfora. If you are interested in helping to make Prosfora for the church, please contact Nancy St. Clair.

We are registered with two broadcast media weather alert systems: (1) television: WJLA-TV (channel 7) and News Channel 8, and (2) radio: WTOP radio (103.5, 103.9, 107.7 – all FM) and WTOP.com Any closings will also be posted on the home page of our website and via email to those who have asked to be on our electronic mailing list.

Readings for the Week of November 10th

Sunday 11/10
John 21:1-14 *(10th Matins Gospel)*
Galatians 2:16-20
Luke 8:26-39
Hebrews 7:26-8:2 *St. Demetrius*
John 10:9-16 *St. Demetrius*

Monday 11/11
Colossians 2:13-20
Luke 11:29-33
Galatians 5:22-6:2 *St. Abramius*
Matthew 11:27-30 *St. Abramius*

Tuesday 11/12
Colossians 2:20-3:3
Luke 11:34-41

Wednesday 11/13
Colossians 3:17-4:1
Luke 11:42-46

Thursday 11/14
Colossians 4:2-9
Luke 11:47-12:1
1 Corinthians 12:27-13:8 *Unmercenaries*
Matthew 10:1,5-8 *Unmercenaries*

Friday 11/15
Colossians 4:10-18
Luke 12:2-12

Saturday 11/16
2 Corinthians 5:1-10
Luke 9:1-6

Patronal Feast on November 24th

We will be celebrating our Patronal Feast on November 24th this year with a Hierarchical Divine Liturgy. A catered Fellowship will follow, as well as a discussion about the next steps to be taken with our newly purchased property. We encourage all to make every effort to attend this special day. There will be food and a movie provided for the children (and supervision) downstairs during the discussion.

Need Volunteersfor Position of Liason with S.E.R.V.E./Community Service Coordinator

The Mellors have been gone for awhile now and we haven't found a successor for owning the S.E.R.V.E. efforts in the Parish. If you can take on this position, please contact Joe Milligan either in person. And thanks to Chuck McLeod for taking on the Building and Grounds position!

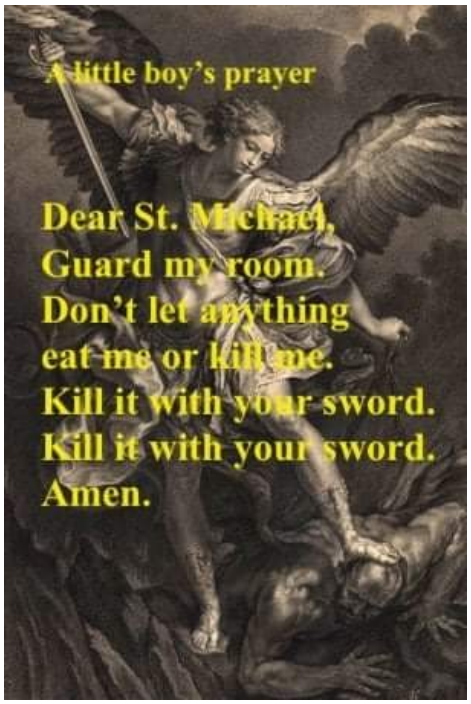
Two Orthodox Clergy Families in Need

Fr John Moses of Holy Myrhbearers in Harrisonburg, VA recently reposed in the Lord. His wife, Matushka Alexandra, is having trouble covering funeral expenses. If you can help out please visit https://www.fundforassistance.org/fr-john-moses . Any amount over the amount she needs will be given to a ROCOR fund to help cover burial expenses of other clergy.

Also, Khouria Anastasia Farha, 36, a native Yup'ik from Kwethluk, Alaska, passed away at the Hillsborro Community Hospital, November 1st, 2019 leaving her husband, Father Isaac Farha, of Witchita, Kansas and their four children, Peter (11) Melania (9), Barbara (7), and Biana (5). This fund is to cover funeral expenses, travel expenses of Native Alaskan family members and to provide for the ongoing needs of the family. https://www.gofundme.com/f/memory-eternal-kh-anastasia-farha?utm_source=facebook&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=p_cf+share-flow-1&fbclid=IwAR14KTE3Iley2AnaiVQ4mbS-8Zwpig_4TVuUV5CA-ob3qgtpk-fPjqqmf0w

HELP NEEDED

Plastic bags are needed for the bathrooms. Please contact Judith if you are able to help with this. Thanks



Many Years to Brayden Isaac and our new Catechumens!