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SUNDAY OF THE LAST JUDGMENT.

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1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2 (Epistle)

Matthew 25:31-46 (Gospel)

A warm welcome to everyone joining us for worship.

If you are without a spiritual home, please make OUR HOME, YOUR HOME.

TODAY The Holy Hieromartyrs of Cherson: Basil, Ephraim, Capito, Eugene, Aetherius, Elpidius, and Agathodorus (†4TH c.); Ven. Paul the Simple, disciple of Ven. Anthony the Great (†4TH c.); St. Paul the Confessor, Bishop of Plousias in Bithynia (†9TH c.); St. Emilian of Rome.

9:40 am Third & Sixth Hours

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy and Memorial** for Michael KON and the KON Family - **LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

11:20 am **Typica Service** (*Church-Slavonic Language на Церковно-Славянском*)

Meat Fast until Holy Pascha (May 2ND)

Friday, March 12

7:00 pm **Orthodoxy Study - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

Saturday, March 13

4:50 pm Ninth Hours

5:00 pm **Great Vespers - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

Sunday, March 14 Sunday of Cheesefare; The Expulsion of Adam and Eve from Paradise; Ven. Benedict of Nursia (†543); St. Theognostus, Metropolitan of Kiev and All Russia (†1353); Rt. Blv. Great Prince Rostilav; Prince of Kiev and Smolensk (†1167); St. Euschemon the Confessor, Bishop of Lampsacus (†9TH c.); The "Feodorovskaya" Icon of the Mother of God.

9:40 am Third & Sixth Hours

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page**

11:10 am **Service of Forgiveness**

11:50 am **Typica Service** (*Church-Slavonic Language на Церковно-Славянском*)



BULLETIN SPONSORS To offset the cost of weekly printing of the bulletins we are hoping to find monthly sponsors that would donate \$25 to cover this cost.

LIVE STREAM We are looking for donation of one video camera or Nikon dslr camera with hdmi outputs. We also needed the computer that would work best is a desktop computer with at least a newer icore 5 processor or an older icore 7 processor chip or equivalent.

AMAZONSMILE This is your quarterly AmazonSmile notification to inform that St Nicholas Orthodox Catholic Church has been issued a \$61.14 donation from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of AmazonSmile program activity between October 1ST & December 31ST, 2020. Please keep in mind that in order for the church to receive the donation you must always use the smile.amazon.com link or just visit <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/36-3611951> and our parish will receive 0.5% of the amount spent.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER Sunday, February 28, 2021 - Donation \$1,384.00

CHICAGO DEANERY LENTEN VESPERS All services begin at 6:00 pm. Because of the PANDEMIC *we are not opening the parishes who are holding the service for each of the Sundays to visitors from other parishes.* People are invited to participate by watching the live stream of the services and the homilies.

- Sunday, March 28TH — St. Luke Church, Palos Hills.
- Sunday, April 4TH — St. Joseph Church, Wheaton.
- Sunday, April 11TH — Christ the Savior Church, Chicago.
- Sunday, April 18TH — Ss. Cyril & Methodius Church, Milwaukee.
- Palm Sunday, April 25TH — Holy Trinity Cathedral, Chicago.

MANY YEARS... Happy Birthday to Vladimir SHILTSEV on March 14TH.

May God grant all our celebrants Many Happy and Healthy Years!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS the following people, who are in need of God's healing and grace:

Danelle BERGSTROM	Tom KOMPARE	Richard JOVANOVIH	Irina & her kids	Lubov SIROTUK
Sevasti BERGSTROM	Georgia PATTEN	Galyna SHAFRANEC	Carrie BARON	June BRADLEY
Katherina BRADLEY	Lydia ODOM	Joseph ORLOVICH	Jose FELIX	Marlo PERRY

Today Epistle (1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2)

Brethren... But food does not commend us to God; for neither if we eat are we the better, nor if we do not eat are we the worse. But beware lest somehow this liberty of yours become a stumbling block to those who are weak. For if anyone sees you who have knowledge eating in an idol's temple, will not the conscience of him who is weak be emboldened to eat those things offered to idols? And because of your knowledge shall the weak brother perish, for whom Christ died? But when you thus sin against the brethren, and wound their weak conscience, you sin against Christ. Therefore, if food makes my brother stumble, I will never again eat meat, lest I make my brother stumble. Am I not an apostle? Am I not free? Have I not seen Jesus Christ our Lord? Are you not my work in the Lord? If I am not an apostle to others, yet doubtless I am to you. For you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord.

Today Gospel (Matthew 25:31-46)

When the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then He will sit on the throne of His glory. All the nations will be gathered before Him, and He will separate them one from another, as a shepherd divides his sheep from the goats. And He will set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left. Then the King will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me.' Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink? When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You? Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?' And the King will answer and say to them, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.' Then He will also say to those on the left hand, 'Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels: for I was hungry and you gave Me no food; I was thirsty and you gave Me no drink; I was a stranger and you did not take Me in, naked and you did not clothe Me, sick and in prison and you did not visit Me.' Then they also will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to You?' Then He will answer them, saying, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.' And these will go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

Апостол Дня (1-е Коринфянам 8:8-9:2)

Братия... Пища не приближает нас к Богу: ибо, едим ли мы, ничего не приобретаем; не едим ли, ничего не теряем. Берегитесь однако же, чтобы эта свобода ваша не послужила соблазном для немощных. Ибо если кто-нибудь увидит, что ты, имея знание, сидишь за столом в капище, то совесть его, как немощного, не расположит ли и его есть идоложертвенное? И от знания твоего погибнет немощный брат, за которого умер Христос. А согрешая таким образом против братьев и уязвляя немощную совесть их, вы согрешаете против Христа. И потому, если пища соблазняет брата моего, не буду есть мяса вовек, чтобы не соблазнить брата моего. Не Апостол ли я? Не свободен ли я? Не видел ли я Иисуса Христа, Господа нашего? Не мое ли дело вы в Господе? Если для других я не Апостол, то для вас Апостол; ибо печать моего апостольства - вы в Господе.

Евангелие Дня (Матфея 25:31-46)

Когда же придет Сын Человеческий во славе Своей и все святые Ангелы с Ним, тогда сядет на престоле славы Своей, и соберутся пред Ним все народы; и отделит одних от других, как пастырь отделяет овец от козлов; и поставит овец по правую Свою сторону, а козлов - по левую. Тогда скажет Царь тем, которые по правую сторону Его: приидите, благословенные Отца Моего, наследуйте Царство, уготованное вам от создания мира: ибо алкал Я, и вы дали Мне есть; жаждал, и вы напоили Меня; был странником, и вы приняли Меня; был наг, и вы одели Меня; был болен, и вы посетили Меня; в темнице был, и вы пришли ко Мне. Тогда праведники скажут Ему в ответ: Господи! когда мы видели Тебя алчущим, и накормили? или жаждущим, и напоили? когда мы видели Тебя странником, и приняли? или нагим, и одели? когда мы видели Тебя больным, или в темнице, и пришли к Тебе? И Царь скажет им в ответ: истинно говорю вам: так как вы сделали это одному из сих братьев Моих меньших, то сделали Мне. Тогда скажет и тем, которые по левую сторону: идите от Меня, проклятые, в огонь вечный, уготованный диаволу и ангелам его: ибо алкал Я, и вы не дали Мне есть; жаждал, и вы не напоили Меня; был странником, и не приняли Меня; был наг, и не одели Меня; болен и в темнице, и не посетили Меня. Тогда и они скажут Ему в ответ: Господи! когда мы видели Тебя алчущим, или жаждущим, или странником, или нагим, или больным, или в темнице, и не послужили Тебе? Тогда скажет им в ответ: истинно говорю вам: так как вы не сделали этого одному из сих меньших, то не сделали Мне. И пойдут сии в муку вечную, а праведники в жизнь вечную.