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Palm Sunday

April 9, 2023 Philippians 4:4-9 (Epistle)

Tone 2

116 Year, Issue 15 John 12:1-18 (Gospel)

A warm welcome to everyone joining us for worship.

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

TODAY Entry of our Lord into Jerusalem; Martyr Eupsychius of Cæsarea in Cappadocia (†362);

Martyrs Desan—Bishop, Mariabus—Presbyter, Abdiesus, and 270 others in Persia (†363-364);

Monastic Martyr Vadim of Persia (†376).

READERS: Hours: Marlo Perry

Epistle: George Kleinert

9:30 am Third & Sixth Hours; Confession

9:45 am Sacrament of Holy Chrismation of Gus Rousonelos & Haley Bakes

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy**, **Biessing of Palms** - LIVE STREAM ON ST. NICHOLAS FACEBOOK PAGE

11:40 am **Fellowship**

6:00 pm **Lenten Vespers**

Holy Trinity Cathedral, 1121 N Leavitt St., Chicago, IL

Wednesday, April 12 Great and Holy Wednesday

6:30 pm Matins, Anointing with Blessed Oil - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page

Thursday, April 13 Great and Holy Thursday

9:00 am St. Basil Vesperal Liturgy of Mystical Supper

6:30 pm Matins with 12 Passion Gospels - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page

Friday, April 14 Great and Holy Friday

6:30 pm Great Vespers, Procession - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page

Saturday. April 15 Great and Holy Saturday

9:00 am **Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil**

11:30 pm Pascha Nocturnes - LIVE Stream on St. Nicholas Facebook Page

Sunday, April 16 Holy Pascha; The Resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ; Virgin

Martyrs Agape, Irene & Chionia, in Illyria (†304); Martyrs Leonidas, Chariessa, Nika, Galina,

Kalista, Nunechia, Basilissa, Theodora, and Irene, of Corinth (†258); Monastic Mr Christopher of Dionysiou (Mt. Athos—†1818); Hieromartyr Nikétas.

READERS: Epistle: Maria Llamas - English; Virginia Tofan - Romanian

Valentina Donkovtceva - Church Slavonic; Matushka Olga - Ukrainian

0:00 am Paschal Procession, Matins, Divine Liturgy, Blessing of Paschal Baskets

12:00 pm Paschal Vespers, Blessing of Paschal Baskets, Followed by Easter Egg Hunt

Monday, April 17 Bright Monday

10:00 am **Divine Liturgy**

Saturday, April 22 Bright Saturday

5:00 pm **Great Vespers**

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MANY YEARS... Happy Birthday to Antonina LLAMAS on April 14TH, Sean LENCKUS on April 20TH and Jovan Haug on April 23RD

Newly Chrismated Gus Rousonelos & Haley Bakes on April 9TH.

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:

Dn. David Hanneman Tom Kompare Joseph Orlovich Elena Pavlov Soldier Sergij Martynuk Kathy Hanneman Susan Nicklas Iosephine Orlovich Tetiana Mazur Stefan Karadiov Sevasti Bergstrom Sue Underwood **Duane Bradley Jose Felix** Toma Andreev **Zachary Missen** Stevan LUNICH **Emily Rousonelos** Alice PISTILLI

Today Epistle (Philippians 4:4-9)

Brethren... Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice! Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord is at hand Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy – meditate on these things. The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.

Today Gospel (John 12:1-18)

Then, six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was who had been dead, whom He had raised from the dead. There they made Him a supper; and Martha served, but Lazarus was one of those who sat at the table with Him. Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil. But one of His disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, who would betray Him, said, Why was this fragrant oil not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor? This he said, not that he cared for the poor, but because he was a thief, and had the money box; and he used to take what was put in it. But Jesus said, "Let her alone; she has kept this for the day of My burial. For the poor you have with you always, but Me you do not have always." Now a great many of the Jews knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus. The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: "Hosanna! 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD!' The King of Israel!" Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written: "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your King is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt." His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and that they had done these things to Him. Therefore the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of his tomb and raised him from the dead, bore witness. For this reason the people also met Him, because they heard that He had done this sign.

<mark>Апостол Дня</mark> (Филиппийцам 4:4-9)

Братия... Радуйтесь всегда в Господе; и еще говорю: радуйтесь. Кротость ваша да будет известна всем человекам. Господь близко. Не заботьтесь ни о чем, но всегда в молитве и прошении с благодарением открывайте свои желания пред Богом, и мир Божий, который превыше всякого ума, соблюдет сердца ваши и помышления ваши во Христе Иисусе. Наконец, братия мои, что только истинно, что честно, что справедливо, что чисто, что любезно, что достославно, что только добродетель и похвала, о том помышляйте. Чему вы научились, что приняли и слышали и видели во мне, то исполняйте, - и Бог мира будет с вами.

Евангелие Дня (Иоанна 12:1-18)

За шесть дней до Пасхи пришел Иисус в Вифанию, где был Лазарь умерший, которого Он воскресил из мертвых. Там приготовили Ему вечерю, и Марфа служила, и Лазарь был одним из возлежавших с Ним. Мария же, взяв фунт нардового чистого драгоценного мира, помазала ноги Иисуса и отерла волосами своими ноги Его; и дом наполнился благоуханием от мира. Тогда один из учеников Его, Иуда Симонов Искариот, который хотел предать Его, сказал: "Для чего бы не продать это миро за триста динариев и не раздать нищим?" Сказал же он это не потому, чтобы заботился о нищих, но потому что был вор. Он имел при себе денежный ящик и носил, что туда опускали. Иисус же сказал: "Оставьте ее; она сберегла это на день погребения Моего. Ибо ниших всегда имеете с собою, а Меня не всегда." Многие из Иудеев узнали, что Он там, и пришли не только для Иисуса, но чтобы видеть и Лазаря, которого Он воскресил из мертвых. Первосвященники же положили убить и Лазаря, потому что ради него многие из Иудеев приходили и веровали в Иисуса. На другой день множество народа, пришедшего на праздник, услышав, что Иисус идет в Иерусалим, взяли пальмовые ветви, вышли навстречу Ему и восклицали: "Осанна! благословен грядущий во имя Господне, Царь Израилев!" Иисус же, найдя молодого осла, сел на него, как написано: "Не бойся, дщерь Сионова! се, Царь твой грядет, сидя на молодом осле." Ученики Его сперва не поняли этого; но когда прославился Иисус, тогда вспомнили, что так было о Нем написано, и это сделали Ему. Народ, бывший с Ним прежде, свидетельствовал, что Он вызвал из гроба Лазаря и воскресил его из мертвых. Потому и встретил Его народ, ибо слышал, что Он сотворил это чудо.

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