ST. LUKE ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

"The disciples were called Christians first in Antioch." Acts 11:26

Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost & Fifth Sunday of Luke November 5, 2023

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We are a parish of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America under His Eminence Metropolitan SABA
Fr. Raphael Daly, Pastor; Fr. David Mustian, Pastor Emeritus; Fr. Dan Daly, Fr. Stephan Close, Fr. Jason Falcone, Attached
Deacons: Fr. Mark Berge, Rev. John Timby, Rev. John Bourguin, Rev. Aidan Ashton

Today's Services - Use the White Service Book of St. John Chrysostom Martyrs Galaktion and Episteme of Homs;

Apostles Hermas, Linus, Gaius, Patrobas and Philologos of the Seventy Orthros (8 am) with Resurrection Gospel St. John (21:1-14) - See Service Book, begins Page 2 Great Doxology (8:55am) - Tone 8 Page 24 **Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom** (9 am) White Service Book - begins on Page 30 During the Entrance with the Gospel: **Resurrection Apolytikion-Tone 5:** "Let us believers praise and worship the Word; coeternal with the Father and the Spirit, born of the Virgin for our salvation. For, He took pleasure in ascending the Cross in the flesh to suffer death; and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection". Chanters/All After the Entrance with the Gospel: Apolytikion of St. Luke Choir/All Communion Hymns: "Praise the Lord", "Of Thy Mystical Supper", "He Makes His Angels **Veneration Hymns:** "Troparion of St. Raphael", "Blessed is the Man", and Byzantine Hymns

Announcements

<u>We welcome visitors today</u>. Please fill out a visitor card from an usher, and join us for potluck fellowship after the service. We invite all prepared Orthodox Christians to receive Holy Communion. All visitors, catechumens, or penitents may come forward for a blessing & receive the blessed bread from a priest.

<u>Trisagion Hymn, Tone 2</u>: Our choir is learning this ancient tone. This version is the traditional setting used with multiple clergy serving, most especially when a bishop is here. We're hoping that Metropolitan Saba will visit Colorado sometime soon. Music available in the Narthex. Please join the choir.

OCLife is sponsoring at table during Coffee Fellowship time. Please stop by and learn about OCLife.

<u>Sunday School for Adults, Children and Youth today at 11a-noon.</u> Thank you to everyone who supported the Saint's Parade. The children very much enjoyed it. Our study of Romans continues today.

Additional Weekday Divine Liturgy days and times offered in November. Check our calendar.

Adult Education Class meets this Thursday at 11:00a, after Divine Liturgy: See Fr. Daniel Daly.

Today's Scriptures

<u>Galatians (6:11-18)</u>: Brethren, see with what large letters I am writing to you with my own hand. It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that would compel you to be circumcised and only in order that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. For even those who receive circumcision do not themselves keep the Law, but they desire to have you circumcised that they may glory in your flesh. But far be it from me to glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me and I to the world. For neither circumcision counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creation. Peace and mercy be upon all, who walk by this rule, upon the Israel of God. Henceforth let no man trouble me; for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brethren. Amen.

<u>Luke. (16:19-31):</u> The Lord said, "There was a rich man, who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, full of sores, who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table; moreover, the dogs came and licked his sores. The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried; and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.'"

Announcements Continued

<u>Erie Food Bank Thanksgiving Outreach</u>: Check to St. Luke with memo "Erie Food Bank" or Easy Tithe and select "Erie Food Bank" by today. Please see Carol Hynes with questions.

Myrrhbearers Annual Christmas Wreath Sale: Details & order forms in Parish Hall (near mosquito net). All orders due by November 12. Please see Sue Nelson with questions.

<u>Lakota Outreach</u> for our friends in South Dakota began November 1. Please see posters & Bee Sturgis.

<u>Do you love to sing?</u> Please see Denise McIntyre if you are interested in joining Choir.

<u>Coffee Fellowship Ministry, Building Maintenance Team</u> need volunteers. Please see Frances if you can help with either of these important ministries.

Additional donations requested to meet expenses: Please see update in eNews. Contribute with check or https://app.easytithe.com/app/giving/stlukeorthodox. Please note in memo: "Hail Storm".

Weekly Schedule: (Regular weekly fasting on Wednesday and Friday)

Mon. 11:00a St. Luke Homeschool Co-op 6:30p HOPE Group
 Tues. 5:30p Feast of Holy Archangels Divine Liturgy: Potluck Dinner immediately following
 Thurs. 9:30a Feast of St. Nektarios Divine Liturgy

11:00a Adult Education Class: "Early Church Fathers"

Sat. 9:00a Men's Group 2:30 Catechism Class and Choir Practice

4:00p Great Vespers

Sun. 8:00a Orthros

9:00a Divine Liturgy & Coffee Fellowship

11:00a Sunday School for All