



# ST. LUKE ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

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

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## **Welcome to Saint Luke Orthodox Church!**

We're delighted you're here for a visit. 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. It's our custom here to welcome new visitors during announcements after Divine Liturgy. If you'd like to be recognized, when the time comes please stand so we know you're here. If you're feeling shy this morning, that's fine too!

## **Parish Council**

Peter Mustian, *Chairman*

Denise McIntyre, *Vice Chair, Choir*

Rob Bell, *Treasurer*

George Rabtzwow, *Secretary*

Betty Duran

Sh. Margaret Ashton, *Antiochian Women*

Steve Knudtsen

Mitch Paxton

Frances Reda, *Church School*

Gene Roberts

Bee Sturgis

Elizabeth Thompson

☩ March 10, 2024 ☩

**Grave (Tone Seven) — Seventh Eothinon  
Sunday of the Last Judgment**

*Martyr Kodratos of Corinth and his five companions; Anastasia the patrician of Alexandria*

**Orthros** (8 am)

**Resurrection Gospel** Eothinon 7 (John 20:1-10)

**Great Doxology** (8:55am) - Tone 1 ..... 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 7:** Thou didst shatter death by Thy Cross,  
Thou didst open paradise to the thief; Thou didst turn the sadness of the  
ointment-bearing women into joy. And didst bid Thine Apostles proclaim  
a warning, that Thou hast risen O Christ, granting to the world the Great  
Mercy. .... Chanters

**After the Entrance with the Gospel:**

**Resurrection Apolytikion-Tone 7:** (*as above*) ..... Chanters

**Apolytikion of St. Luke:** Let us praise, etc. .... Choir/All

**Kontakion for the Last Judgment-Tone 1:** When Thou, O God, wilt come  
to earth with glory, and all things tremble, and the river of fire floweth  
before the Judgment Seat, and the books are opened and the hidden things  
made public, then deliver me from the unquenchable fire, and deem me  
worthy to stand at Thy right hand, O most righteous Judge ..... Clergy

**Communion Hymns:** “Praise the Lord”, “Of Thy Mystical Supper” and “I Lift  
Up My Eyes to the Heavens” ..... Choir/Chanters/All

**Veneration Hymns:** “The Beatitudes”, and Byzantine Hymn ..... Choir/Chanters/All



## ☪ Lectionary ☪

### **Prokeimenon in the Grave Tone (Psalm 28)**

The Lord will give strength to His people; the Lord will bless His people with peace.

Verse: Bring unto the Lord, ye sons of God, bring unto the Lord the sons of rams; bring unto the Lord glory and honour.

### **The Reading is from the First Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Corinthians (8:8-13;9:1-2)**

**B**rethren, food will not commend us to God. We are no worse off if we do not eat, and no better off if we do. Only take care lest this liberty of yours somehow become a stumbling block to the weak. For if any one sees you, a man of knowledge, at table in an idol's temple, might he not be encouraged, if his conscience is weak, to eat food offered to idols? And so by your knowledge this weak man is destroyed, the brother for whom Christ died. Thus, sinning against your brethren and wounding their conscience when it is weak, you sin against Christ. Therefore, if food is a cause of my brother's falling, I will never eat meat, lest I cause my brother to fall. Am I not free? Am I not an apostle? Have I not seen Jesus our Lord? Are not you my workmanship in the Lord? If to others I am not an apostle, at least I am to you; for you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord.

### **Alleluia in the Grave Tone (Psalm 91)**

It is good to give praise unto the Lord, and to chant unto Thy Name, O Most High. Verse: To proclaim in the morning Thy mercy, and Thy truth by night.

### **The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew 25:31-46**

**T**he Lord said, "When the Son of man comes in his glory, and all the holy angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. Before him will be gathered all the nations, and he will separate them one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will place the sheep at his right hand, but the goats at the left. Then the King will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, O 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 welcomed me, 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, 'Lord, when did we see thee hungry and feed thee, or thirsty and give thee drink? And when did we see thee a stranger and welcome thee, or naked and clothe thee? And when did we see thee sick or in prison and visit thee?' And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal 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 welcome me, naked and you did not clothe me, sick and in prison, and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see thee hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to thee?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it not to one of the least of these, you did it not to me.' And they will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

## ☞ Announcements ☞

### ***Sunday School for Adults, Children and Youth***

Today adults, youth and children will continue their study of Romans. All classes will cover “God’s Laws”. The Saint Study will focus on St. Benedict.

Artwork by children and youth for the Creative Festivals is due by Sunday, March 10. Artwork will be on display from March 15-24.

Please remember that all Fr. David’s Adult Sunday School presentations are recorded and then posted on our website.

### ***Adult Education Class***

As Orthodox Christians, we have an appreciation and affection for our Divine Liturgy. The scripture readings, the prayers, and the hymns are spiritually nourishing. We know the Divine Liturgy arose from the Last Supper, but how did it come to be the liturgy we know now? Thanks to historians, the history of the Divine Liturgy is accessible. If you would like to learn about this history, please feel free to join us. There will be no classes during Great Lent. Fr. Dan will offer a series of classes on the later Church Fathers sometime in the future. All are welcome to the classes. Our classes are recorded and posted on our website.

### ***Youth Activities this Month***

Mimi Sawaked, our Youth Director, will lead a Saint Study after Presanctified Liturgy during Potluck Fellowship on Wednesday, March 20. Contact Mimi: [mimisawaked@gmail.com](mailto:mimisawaked@gmail.com)

### ***OCLife St Luke Showering Babies at Boulder Pregnancy Resource Center (BPRC)***

Tags are available in Parish Hall for items needed to shower newborn babies at the Boulder Pregnancy Resource Center. Contributions will be organized on Friday, April 6 after Presanctified Liturgy.

### ***Antiochian Women Fundraiser***

Our chapter of Antiochian Women hosted a bake sale last Sunday to raise money for an endowment fund for widowed clergy-wives in our archdiocese. It was a huge success, raising over \$1200. Thank you to everyone who generously donated.

### ***Meatfare Brunch Project Mexico Fundraiser***

Today, volunteers participating in and assisting with Project Mexico will serve a taco bar during Coffee Fellowship. During the brunch we will collect donations that will directly support Project Mexico participants this year (July 30 - August 5). While donations are encouraged, they are not required to enjoy the meal.

### ***Food for Hungry People Collection Boxes***

It’s simple to participate. Pick up a FFHP collection box for your family next week. Pick up daily activity calendar, too.

### ***Save the Date for Vacation Bible School***

Last year, children and teachers had a blast. We hope you will join us this summer June 17-20. Stay tuned for more information & registration. Please let Frances know if you are interested in teaching. [admin@stlukeorthodox.org](mailto:admin@stlukeorthodox.org)

### ***Save the date (and donations) for St. Luke's Garage Sale***

St. Luke's is going to have a huge Garage Sale on August 2 & 3. Please start saving all of your good stuff to bring for the sale. Do some downsizing, clean out those closets and garage spaces. Only bring clean and good working items. No clothing or old TV's. See Rita Rosson ([ritarosson@msn.com](mailto:ritarosson@msn.com)) or Sue Nelson ([ssnelson22@aol.com](mailto:ssnelson22@aol.com)) with questions.

### ***Invitation to HOPE Group***

Are you a woman who has experienced trauma, difficult relationships, or challenging life events and find that they are still impacting your life? If so, you're not alone! We invite you to join a safe and supportive community where understanding and healing come together. For more information or to join HOPE, please contact Sh Margaret Ashton or Frances Reda or apply here: <http://tinyurl.com/StLukeHOPE>

### ***Parish Directory***

Are you listed in the parish directory? Are you there, but without a photo? Are your family birthdays and wedding anniversary on the list for prayers? Is your family photo so old that it shows your kids as toddlers as they prepare to graduate from high school? Sh Margaret Ashton is happy to help you get all these items updated! Please look for her at coffee hour or send an email to: [shamassy@gmail.com](mailto:shamassy@gmail.com)!

# ☞ Weekly Schedule ☞

## **Monday, March 11**

6:30 PM HOPE meeting

## **Tuesday, March 12**

6:00 PM Parish Council

## **Thursday, March 14**

10:30 AM Adult Education Class

## **Saturday, March 16**

10:00 AM Card-making Workshop

4:00 PM Great Vespers

## **Sunday March 17 Forgiveness Sunday (*Cheesefare*)**

8:00 AM Orthros

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy & Potluck Fellowship

11:00 AM Sunday School for All & Art Display

5:00 PM Forgiveness Vespers

