



St. Nicholas Cathedral

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November 18, 2007
Martyrs Platon & Roman
 Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

METROPOLITAN HERMAN,
 ARCHBISHOP OF WASHINGTON & NEW YORK
V. Rev. Constantine White, Dean
V. Rev. Dmitry Grigorieff, Dean Emeritus
Rev. Valery Shemchuk, Associate Pastor

Sunday Lessons
This Week – Tone 8 Ephesians 4:1-6 Luke 12:16-21
Next Week – Tone 1 Ephesians 5:9-19; Luke 13:10-17

Schedule of Services

Tuesday	November 20	7:00 pm	Vigil (E,S)	Entrance of the Theotokos
Wednesday	November 21	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (E,S)	Entrance of the Theotokos
Thursday	November 22	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (E,S)	
Saturday	November 24	4:30 pm	Pannekhida	
		5:00 pm	Vigil	General Confession (R)
Sunday	November 25	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (E)	
		10:45 am	Divine Liturgy (S,G)	
		1:00 pm	Prayer Service (G)	

E=English, S=Slavonic, G=Georgian

General Confession in English is held on the first and third Saturdays of the month.
General confession in Russian is held on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month.

Attention Parishioners!

There will be a Pannekhida for Anne Peregrin on Saturday, November 24 at 4:30 p.m. at St. Nicholas Cathedral.

May her memory be eternal!

The November bulletins are donated in honor of V. Rev. Paul and Matushka Mary Shafran, who are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary 11/27/07. May God bless them and keep them for many years to come! Mnogaya Lyeta! With love, Nina Shafran and family.

If you are interested in *sponsoring the Sunday Bulletin*, please contact the church office (202-333-5060, ext.10) for the dates you want. Immediate payment is not required, but advance reservations are needed.

***** VISITORS *****

A warm welcome to St. Nicholas Cathedral! We are glad to have you worship with us today. **Please join us following Liturgy downstairs for our coffee hour!**

Coffee Hour hosts by week:

Date	Restrictions	Name
18 November 2007	Fast	Bob Holman
25 November 2007	Fast	Sharon Osmolovsky

Candle Counter

Greeters

November

17/18	Daria Virvan (E)	Elena Nagaitseva (S)	Tekla Virvan & Sharon Osmolovsky
20/21*	Lisa Morris		
24/25	Chris Lyerly (E)	Victoria Shalaginova	Ivanna and Harry Davidson

**Weekday Liturgy @ 10 AM **Single Liturgy @9:30 AM*

UPCOMING EVENTS & SERVICES

- ❖ Tuesday, November 20, 7 PM Vigil, Entrance of the Theotokos
- ❖ Wednesday, November 21, 10 AM Liturgy Entrance of the Theotokos
- ❖ Thursday, November 22, 10 AM Liturgy
- ❖ Saturday, November 24, 4:30 p.m. 40th day Pannekhida for Anne Peregrin
- ❖ Friday, November 30, Akathist to St. Andrew followed by Pot Luck supper

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...those who have given their lives for their homeland...”
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Troparion (Tone 8): Thou didst descend from on high, O Merciful One! Thou didst accept the three-day burial to free us from our sufferings! O Lord, our Life and Resurrection: glory to Thee!

Troparion (Tone 4): Thy just works have shown Thee to thy flock as an example of faith, an image of meekness and a teacher of abstinence. By humility Thou didst achieve exaltation, and by meekness, riches. O Father Bishop Nicholas, intercede with Christ our God to save our souls.

Kontakion (Tone 8): By rising from the tomb, Thou didst raise the dead and resurrect Adam. Eve exults in Thy Resurrection, and the world celebrates Thy rising from the dead, O Greatly Merciful One.

Glory to the Father....

Kontakion (Tone 3): You revealed yourself in Myra as a priest, O Holy One, for you fulfilled the gospel of Christ by giving up your life for your people and saving the innocent from death. Therefore you are blessed as one well instructed in the grace of God.

Now and ever....

Theotokion (Tone 6): Steadfast Protectress of Christians, constant advocate before the Creator, despise not the cry of us sinners, but in your goodness come speedily to help us who call on you in faith, hasten to hear our petition and to intercede for us, O Theotokos, for you always protect those who honor you.

Prokeimenon (Tone 8): Pray & make your vows before the Lord our God! Vs. In Judah God is known; His Name is great in Israel!

Epistle: Eph. 4:1-6: Brethren: I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, with all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

Alleluia (Tone 8): Come, let us rejoice in the Lord! Let us make a joyful noise to God our Savior. Vs. Let us come before His face with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise.

Gospel: Luke 12:16-21: The Lord told them a parable, saying, "The land of a rich man brought forth plentifully; and he thought to himself, 'What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?' And he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; take your ease, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."

Communion Hymn: Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Bulletin Messages

The Fellowship of Orthodox Christians in America is undertaking a project to fill the "Christmas Wish Lists" of married seminarian students at St. Tikhon's and St. Vladimir's Seminaries. The Nation's Capital chapter (Chapter 79) of this nationwide fellowship agreed to assist one family at St. Tikhon's; we are hoping to involve the entire Cathedral community in this support. The task is simple--the family is looking for gift cards from either Target or Wal-Mart. Please be generous and help make a family's Christmas memorable. We plan on providing these gift cards to the FOCA Seminarian Assistance Coordinator, so that they can be given to the family on St. Nicholas Day. As time is growing short, please leave the gift cards at the candle counter by Sunday, December 2. Thanks for your continuous generosity.

If you wish to be included in this year's Christmas Card mailing, please pick up a form at the candle counter and return it to the church office by December 4th.

2008 Pledge cards are available at the candle counter. If you did not receive the stewardship mailing and would like to pledge for the coming year, please pick up a form and return it to the church office. Your support of Time, Talent and Treasure is greatly needed and appreciated!



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