Welcome to those who are visiting today. We are happy to have you worship with us. If this is your first time here, please come downstairs to the Hall, introduce yourself, have some refreshments, and get to know the Community. If you have any questions about the Melkite Church and its traditions, please don't hesitate to ask Fr. Bryan.

- Happy Father's Day to all our fathers!
- Today's flowers were donated by Joann Rae in memory of Russell and Adele (Hyder) Gordan
- Last Week's Attendance/Donations: 53/\$2,259
- Please let Fr. Bryan know about anyone who is sick, in the hospital, or at home, so that he can visit, administer Holy Anointing, and bring them the Eucharist.
- Please make sure we have your most up to date contact information. We will be reviewing the current contact list and editing it as needed. Fr. Bryan would also like to begin home visits once he gets settled. Having an up to date contact list will make it much easier.
- Mark your calendars! Our annual Parish Picnic is September 8. Additional details will be forthcoming. We need everyone's help to make it a success.
- Volunteers Needed We need people to sponsor the Coffee and... The following dates are available in July: 7/7 & 7/21. Please see Fr. Bryan or Joe Najemy if you would like to sponsor the Coffee and...on one of those Sundays. We also need help with clean up.
- The Apostles' Fast (Melkite usage) begins on Wednesday, June 19 and ends Saturday, June 29 on the Feast of Sts. Peter and Paul. Traditionally, meat, eggs, dairy,, and fish are not eaten. We will celebrate the Divine Liturgy for the feast on June 29 at 10AM.

#### **Sayings of the Fathers**

"Do not ask for love from your neighbor, for if you ask and he does not respond, you will be troubled. Instead show your love for your neighbor and you will be at rest, and so will bring your neighbor to love."

— St. Dorotheos of Gaza

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> SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS JUNE 16, 2019



## Antiphon(2nd)

1 - Be gracious to us O God, and bless us; let Your face shine upon us, and have mercy on us.
O Son of God, Who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!
2- That Your name may be known upon the earth, among all the nations Your salvation.
O Son of God, Who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!
3 - Let all the peoples praise You, O God, let all the peoples praise You.
O Son of God, Who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

#### **Entrance Hymn**

Priest: Come let us worship and bow down before Christ.

Response: O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You, Alleluia!

#### Troparion of the Resurrection, (Tone 8, Pg. 42)

You descended from on high, O compassionate One, and consented to burial for three days that You might free us from suffering. O Lord, our life and our resurrection, glory to You.

# **Troparion of All Saints (Tone 4)**

O Christ God, your church clothed with the blood of Your martyrs all over the world, as with purple and fine linen, cries out to You: send Your mercy upon Your people, grant peace to Your fold and extend Your great compassion upon our souls.

# Patronal Troparion (Tone 1, Pg. 15)

In giving birth, you have preserved your virginity, and in falling asleep, you did not forsake the world, O Mother of God. You have passed to life, being the Mother of Life. Through your intercession, save our souls from death.

# Kontakion of All Saints (Tone 8)

To You, O Lord, Ordainer and Creator of the world, the universe offers the God-Bearing Martyrs as the first-fruits of nature. Wherefore, through their prayers, and through the intercession of the Mother of God, preserve Your Church and the whole world in perfect safety and peace, O You who alone are most merciful.

#### PROKIMENON

Reader: Awesome in His saints is God, the God of Israel.
People: Awesome in His saints is God, the God of Israel.
Reader: In the churches, bless God, the Lord out of Israel's wellspring
People: Awesome in His saints is God, the God of Israel.
Reader: Awesome in His saints is God,
People: The God of Israel.

#### EPISTLE: Hebrews 11:33-12:2

## **Alleluia Verses**

The just cried out, and the Lord heard them, and He delivered them from all their trials. *Stichon:* Many are the trials of the just, but out of them all, the Lord will save them.

Gospel: Matthew 10:32-38 & 19:27-30

Hirmos - It is truly right...

Kinonikon - Praise the Lord from the Heavens...

# **Divine Liturgy Intentions**

• June 23 Nora Eileen Bollus, daughter of Michael, Jr. and Kristin Bollus, on the occasion of her reception of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Chrismation, & Eucharist).

Flowers and Coffee and... Sponsored by the Bollus Family

• June 30 +Nicholas & Theodora Barouk, +Julia Rousseau. Requested by the Solitro & Mischitelli families

Coffee and... Sponsored by Solitro and Mischitelli families