

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.

- ◆ Last Week's Attendance/Donations: **50/\$975**
- ◆ **Mark your calendars!** Our annual Parish Picnic is **September 8**. We need everyone's help to make it a success.
- ◆ Please let Fr. Bryan know about anyone who is sick or in the hospital so that he can visit, administer Holy Anointing, and bring them the Eucharist.
- ◆ If you would like someone remembered at the Divine Liturgy, please notify Fr. Bryan.
- ◆ Please make sure we have your most up to date contact information, including email address. We will be reviewing the current contact list and editing it as needed. We will start sending the weekly Liturgy bulletin to our email list. 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.
- ◆ **Volunteers Needed** - We need people to sponsor the Coffee and... The following dates are available in July: 7/21 & 7/28. 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 the cleanup.
- ◆ We have a new email address: olphmelkite@gmail.com
- ◆ If you are not receiving collection envelopes, please see Fr. Bryan.
- ◆ St. Ann's Melkite Church in Waterford, CT is having a parish picnic at Enders Island in Mystic, CT on Friday, **August 16**. Divine Liturgy is at 5PM and the picnic starts at 6PM. Fr. Dennis McCarthy has invited the parishioners of OLPH to join him and the parishioners of St. Ann's for the evening. Tickets are \$15 per person. We will put out a sign-up sheet during the coffee hour so that we can let Fr. Dennis know how many people from OLPH to expect.

Sayings of the Fathers

"A Christian is an imitator of Christ in thought, word and deed, as far as this is humanly possible."

St. John Climacos

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4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
JULY 7, 2019



Antiphon (Third)

1. Come let us sing joyfully to God our Savior.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to you: Alleluia.

2. Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving, and let us joyfully sing psalms to Him.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to you: Alleluia.

3. For God is a great Lord, and a great King over all the earth.

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.

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

Resurrectional Troparion (Tone 3, Pg. 39)

Let all in heaven rejoice, and all on earth be glad, for the Lord has exerted power in with His arm, by death He has trampled upon death, and has become the first born of the dead. He has delivered us from the bosom of Hades and has granted to the world great mercy.

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.

Kondakion (Tone 2, Pg. 16)

O never-failing Protectress of Christians, and their ever-present Intercessor before the Creator, despise not the petitions of us sinners, but in your goodness extend your help to us who call upon you with confidence. Hasten, O Mother of God, to intercede for us, for you have always protected those who honor you.

Prokimenon

Reader: Sing praise to our God, sing praise! Sing praise to our King, sing praise!

People: Sing praise to our God, sing praise! Sing praise to our King, sing praise!

Reader: Clap your hands all you

People: Sing praise to our God, sing praise! Sing praise to our King, sing praise!

Reader: Sing praise to our God, sing praise!

People: Sing praise to our King, sing praise!

Epistle: Romans 6:18-23

Alleluia Verses

In You, O Lord, I have taken refuge; Let me never be put to shame; deliver me in Your righteousness.

Verse: Incline Your ear to me, make haste to deliver me.

Gospel: Matthew 8:5-13

Kiss of Peace (Pg. 23): Christ is among us! He is and always will be!

Hirmos: It is Truly Meet... (pg. 26)

Kinonikon: "Praise the Lord..." (Pg. 32)

After Communion: We Have Seen the True Light... (Pg. 34)

Divine Liturgy Intentions

July 7 +Richard Rush. Requested by Eric Ewanco

July 14 +Mary & Habib, Bertha (35yr.) & William (20yr.), the Rahall and Reeks Families.

Requested by Nick Rahall and Family

Coffee and... Sponsored by Nick Rahall and family

July 28 +Nicholas Rico Sanchez. Requested by Tom Syseskey

