

E Bulletin St Innocent Orthodox Church

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November 14th, 2021

Today's commemorated feasts and saints:

21st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 4. Holy and All-praised Apostle Philip (1st c.). Ven. Philip, Hermit of Irap near Novgorod (1527). St. Justinian the Emperor (565), and his wife, St. Theodora (548). St. Gregory Palamas, Archbishop of Thessalonica (ca. 1360).



Holy Apostle Philip, fresco from Cappodocia

The Holy and All-praised Apostle Philip was a native of the city of Bethsaida in Galilee. He had a profound depth of knowledge of the Holy Scripture, and rightly discerning the meaning of the Old Testament prophecies, he awaited the coming of the Messiah. Through the call of the Savior (John 1:43), Philip followed Him. The Apostle Philip is spoken about several times in the Holy Gospel: he brought to Christ the Apostle Nathaniel (i.e. Bartholomew, April 22, June 30, and August 25. See John. 1:46). The Lord asks him where to buy bread for five thousand men (John. 6: 5-7). He brought certain of the Hellenized Jews wanting to see Jesus (John. 12:21-22); and finally, at the Last Supper he asked Christ to show them the

Father (John. 14:8).

After the Ascension of the Lord, the Apostle Philip preached the Word of God in Galilee, accompanying his preaching with miracles. Thus, he restored to life a dead infant in the arms of its mother. From Galilee he went to Greece. From Greece the Apostle Philip went to Parthia, and then to the city of Azotus, where he healed an eye affliction of the daughter of a local resident named Nikoklides, who had received him into his home, and then baptized his whole family. From Azotus the Apostle Philip set out to Syrian Hieropolis. After making Heros the bishop at Hieropolis, the Apostle Philip went on to Syria, Asia Minor, Lydia, Emessa, and everywhere preaching the Gospel and undergoing sufferings. Both he and his sister Mariamne (February 17) were pelted with stones, locked up in prison, and thrown out of villages.

Then the Apostle Philip arrived in the city of Phrygian Hieropolis, where there were many pagan temples. There was also a pagan temple where people worshiped an enormous serpent as a god. The Apostle Philip by the power of prayer killed the serpent and healed many bitten by snakes.

Among those healed was the wife of the city prefect, Amphipatos. Having learned that his wife had accepted Christianity, the prefect Amphipatos gave orders to arrest Saint Philip, his sister, and the Apostle Bartholomew traveling with them. At the urging of the pagan priests of the temple of the serpent, Amphipatos ordered the holy Apostles Philip and Bartholomew to be crucified.

Suddenly, an earthquake struck, and it knocked down all those present at the place of judgment. Hanging upon the cross by the pagan temple of the serpent, the Apostle Philip prayed for those who had crucified him, asking God to save them from the ravages of the earthquake. Seeing this happen, the people believed in Christ and began to demand that the apostles be taken down from the crosses. The Apostle Bartholomew was still alive when he was taken down, and he baptized all those believing and established a bishop for them. But the Apostle Philip, through whose prayers everyone remained alive, except for Amphipatos and the pagan priests, died on the cross.

The holy Apostle Philip is not to be confused with Saint Philip the Deacon (October 11), one of the Seventy.

SCHEDULE ALL SERVICES LIVE STREAMED.

Matins Gospel: John 21: 1 – 14 (*10th Matins Gospel*)

Next Week's Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20 **Gospel:** Luke 10:25-37

(*St Philip*) 1 Corinthians 4:9-16 John 1:43-51

Reader: James

Today 9:30 am Liturgy

Tuesday 10:15 am Typika, St Matthew

Wednesday 6:00 pm Moleben with Akathist to the Theotokos

Saturday 5:30 pm Vigil **Entry of the Theotokos**

Sunday 9:30 am Liturgy **Entry of the Theotokos**

Next Week's Epistle: Galatians 6:11-18 **Gospel:** Luke 12:16-21

(*Entry*) Hebrews 9:1-7 Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28

Reader: Kenneth

Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday, 10:30 am – 12:00 noon. **Confessions:** After Saturday Vespers and by appointment.

Receiving Holy Communion: We should draw near to our Lord and God and Savior, Jesus Christ, and receive Holy Communion often. Orthodox Christians, who have prepared themselves through prayer and fasting, and are at peace with all men, and have attended the Divine Liturgy from the beginning, (or, at the very least, have not missed the Gospel), and have made a recent Confession, should draw near.

Others should diligently seek to be properly disposed and prepared as soon as possible.

Troparion, Resurrection – Tone 4

When the women Disciples of the Lord / learned from the Angel the joyous message of the Resurrection, / they cast away the ancestral curse / and elatedly told the Apostles: / “Death is overthrown! / Christ God is risen, // granting the world great mercy!”

Announcements:

Our Bulletins (\$60.00)

Our Altar Wine (\$40.00)

Our Altar Candles (\$40.00)

Our Altar Incense (\$20.00)

Vigil – Golgotha I (\$7.00 /wk)

Vigil – Golgotha II (\$7.00 /wk)

Vigil – Prothesis (\$7.00 /wk)

- Broncă: Gabriela, Robert, & Carmen Iuliana. Good health, & help in need. Repose: Tasia.

- Sogokon: for the health of Zoya, Vladimir, Irina, Anastasia, Vladimir, Vladimir.

Alla Slobodskaya

Izolda (Zoya) & Vladimir Sogokon

Gabriela Broncă & family good health & help in our needs.

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Feast of the Entry of the Theotokos, next Sunday. Vigil, Saturday Evening at 5:30 pm, Liturgy Sunday, 9:30 am. Fish, Wine, & oil are allowed for the feast.

Nativity Fast began this tommorow, Monday, November 15. Prepare well for Thanksgiving and the Nativity of Christ! The Nativity Fast continues through December 24th. Thanksgiving may be observed.

Veterans commemorated today on account of Veteran’s Day this past week.

Memorial today, veterans and Tanya Paler, anniversary Nov. 10, 2013.

Lunch today is offered to tank God for Julia Azrael’s years of service as Choir director.

Adult Education resumes.

Lectionary. The Church Lectionary is reading Galatians and Luke. Weekday Epistle readings will be from Collosians.

Coffee Hour, This Week: SOSI **Next Week:** -

USEFUL INFORMATION

Donations We now have a [Tithe.ly](https://tithe.ly) page to make donating to the parish easy. Just click this link: <https://tithe.ly/give?c=1324837>. Thank you and God bless!

Streamed serices can be viewed at our website <https://stinnocenttarzana.org/livestream> or <https://stinnocenttarzana.org/facebook>, the streamed services are also uploaded here <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCEhqUqTl5kDekOrPPERcy5g>. The daily readings and saints may be found here: <https://stinnocenttarzana.org/dailyreadings>.

Troparion, St Philip – Tone 3

O Holy Apostle Philip, / entreat the merciful God // to grant our souls forgiveness of transgressions!

Another Troparion, St Philip – Tone 3

The whole world is splendidly adorned; / Ethiopia dances, graced as with a crown, / having been enlightened by thee, / and she radiantly celebrates thy memory, / O divinely eloquent Philip, / for thou didst teach all to believe in Christ / and didst fittingly finish the course of the Gospel; / therefore, the land of Ethiopia boldly entreats God. // Beseech Him to grant us great mercy.

Kontakion Resurrection – Tone 4

My Savior and Redeemer / as God rose from the tomb and delivered the earth-born from their chains. / He has shattered the gates of hell, / and as Master, // He has risen on the third day!

Kontakion, St Philip – Tone 8

Thy disciple, friend and imitator of Thy passion, / the God-preaching Philip, proclaimed Thee to the universe. / By his prayers deliver Thy Church from her enemies; // through the Theotokos protect every city, most merciful Christ!

Of our charity, remember in your prayers:

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Special Intentions:

Christians of Syria, Egypt; Met. Paul, Abp. John, in captivity.
Natalya & Alla in Donetsk
Metropolitan Onuphry of Kiev

sister Oksana McGovern & family

The Sick and those in need of health:

Archbishop Benjamin; Matka. Gerry Glagolev, Archpriests Paul Waisanen, George Gray, Michael Regan, Andrew Jacobs; Moses Berry;
Priest John Armstrong, Abbess Susanna; Protodcn Nicholas Jannakos;
Matushki Alexandra Safchuk, Elizabeth Powell, Clara Mancantelli, Suzanne Senyo; Maria Vallens, Priscilla Shipley;
Monk John. Deacon Mark Story, Robert Peterson, Marios Perez, Barbara Anderson, Monika Cleenewerck. OCA-DOW
Manya Prybyla, Gregory Theophan Hoffberg; Olga Stephanenko; Virginia, Levon; Edmund Roschak, Darka Raicevich;
Alla Miller, Mike Shinkarik, Andrew Sturmer, Stanislava; Bridget Merridy Strand, Assia Alexander, Scott T. Karen T., Andrew,
Kyra, Bill & Linda Phillips; Ed Salm; Raphael; Magdalena Elizabeth; Ludmilla, Anna, Margarita Maximova, Gayle Anne. Our Parish
Lea Ann (Leah) Bochnak Laura Bochnak
Vladimir Anya
Laura, Eladia Manya Prybyla
Matthew, Alison. Thaddeus Wojcik
Mildred Sturmer, Susan Sturmer family
Patricia Hungerford, Barbara Johnson + Raissa Dulian
Martha Yarbrough Yarbrough family
Margaret Banescu, Vona Leslee Christie, Hope Peacock and family. Banescu family
Euphemia Marie Cox John Ambrose Cox
George. Mihai Maria Caratás
Mary, George Laurentiu, cancer treatment. Florentina
Barbara, Steve Scott & the Thompson family
Angela Apostol Constantine Apostol
Yekaterina Lydia
Lydia Manya Prybyla
Emmanuel Hormuzd Rassam. Hieromonk Ambrose (Young), Nicholas Juried & Amy. Priest Michael Carney. Fr. Yousuf
Matushka Sophia Haloulakos Protodeacon George Haloulakos
Christina Dudchenko, Dcn. Sergius Miller, Kevin, Cecilia Gonzalez-Andrieu. Deacon Nicholas Denysenko & family
Michael Rogozik
Yulia.
Lya, Marie, Yvonne Gay Butu
Timofey Dilaria
Kristina DeBree Kevin Patrick DeBree
Reader John, Catherine, Dianna Bowen. Danks family
Jennifer, (Covid). cousin Gayle Anne
Ruben Richard & Yolanda Durham
Walter Irina
Larry & Emma Abbe Kulhanek
Anna Elena
Maryann Meredith. Pearl Ruggiero. Sheena Wickens, Veronica Clarkson, Anna Cruz, Anna Rossiter; Ward;
Leona Wolfkill; Griselda Leon. Diane Rhodes
Bruce Anderson, Audrey Anderson. Subdeacon Polycarp Anderson & family
Larry McHargue; Laura; Robert; Kenny Anne McHargue Witz & family

Diocese of the West COVID list: Michael; Priest Joseph & Matka. Katherine Sharman & family; Helena, Mary, Jamie, Josiah, George, Andrew;
Larissa, mother of Dn Alexander Ivkin of Holy Apostles Mission in Vancouver, WA.

Other COVID sick: Archbishop Michael (Dahulich) of New York & New Jersey. Recovered: Abp. Jerome of Athens, Greece. Abp. Anastasi of
Albania; Metropolitan Athanasius of Limmasol; Metropolitan Dionysiy (Porubai), the abbot of NovoSpassky (New Savior) Monastery; Bishop Foma
(Mosolov) of Pavlovo-Posadsk; Bishop Paramon (Golubka), abbot of the St. Sergius Lavra; Archimandrite Ephraim of Vatopedi; Priest John Peck &
family. Archpriest Alexander (Shargunov), Priest Dionisy Lobov. Erwin & his family. Abbot Seraphim & the brethren of the Monastery of the Holy
Cross.

Those Serving in the Armed Forces

Peter, Elijah Hoffberg, Ronnie (Barnabas) Austin, Basil, Shae, Ian & Henry.

For the Health and Salvation of the servants of God:

Catechumen Jack Keoseyan; Dalen, Kelly Jamie Muster; Marilyn newly Illumined Eva Maria, sponsors Alexandra, parents Marian & Oana newly Illumined Wyeth Alexander, sponsors James & Maria newly Illumined Tiffany Thompson, sponsor Elizabeth Cindy Banescu. newly Illumined Zlata Okunev, Artemi & Erica
 New born Ava Adria Vizireanu
 New born Chelsea Claire Nordstrom Matthew & Chloe Nordstrom
 Sebastian James Siskos Presvytera Wiborada Vickie Hoffberg Siskos & Priest Christian Siskos
 Charlotte, parents Jonathan & Michaela Durham
 Vitaly, Lyubov, Ella, Karen, Oksana, Valentina, Irina, Sofiya, Vladimir, Olga, Natalya, Tatyana, Irina, Elena, Evgeny. Tikhvin icon donors
 Alla, Dmitriy Jr., Dmitriy, Igor, Elena, Juliya, Tamara, Fredi. Alla Slobdorskaya
 Elena, Marisa, Dimitrios (Jimmy), Nicholas, Alexander, Dimitrios, Dionisius. + Lola Macrina
 Sherri, Nathanael, & Christopher, Amelia Marie.
 Aiden Frederick Parrish, new born Micah Parrish Alyssa & Cyprian Parrish
 New born Thomas John Martin Lawman. Verity Annabelle Mary; Constance Alexandra. Alicia & Joshua Lawman
 New born Matthew, Nicholas Damiano. Magdalena Elizabeth. Stephen & Marisa Thompson
 Elijah, parents Aika & Dmitri Goudkov
 Galina. Yelena, Anna, Wolfgang
 Margarita, Christopher, John, Lauren, Ekaterina. Margarita Maximova
 Catalina, Sofia, Florentina, Doina. Calugaru family

Of our charity, remember in your prayers:**For the repose of the souls of the departed servants of God:****November 14^h, 2021**

Newly Departed Ioan +Nov 3, 2021
 Newly Departed Mari Sebastian
 Newly Departed Tamara, Michail, Michail, Natalia; Galina, Lubov, Victor.
 Newly Departed Alexandra Ioanna
 Newly Departed Mikhail & Tatiana Reader Vitaly
 Newly Departed Elena
 Newly Departed Galina
 Newly Departed Evdokia Zoya (Izolda) Sogokon
 Newly Departed Cor Brevet Delabruinene Natalya Slusar Nosa & family
 Ever Memorable Tatiana (Tanya) Paler +Nov 10, 2013. Pavel Mironovich, John (Ivan) Paler, Anna Paler. George Paler
 + Nov. 14. Mitred Archpriest Oleg Boldireff, 1997; Priest Michael Meredith, 2000; Lydia Kesich, *Seminary Professor*, 2006 OCA
 Mitred Archpriest Sergei Glagolev, +Sep 1, 2021 Matka Gerry, Christia, Marina, John & family
 Matushka Anisia Boldireff +Sep 1, 2021 Archpriest Nicholas, Nathalie, Tamara, Marina, Michael & family
 Protopresbyter Leonid Kishkovsky OCA
 Matushka Tresja Denysenko Deacon Nicholas & Sofia Denysenko & family
 Matushka Ioanna Bonnie Jean Robinson Priest John K. Robinson & family; Saint Herman Church, Oxnard; DoW
 Germogen Stephanenko Olga, Larissa, Tatiana
 Rodney Lake + May 20, 2021. son-in-law & daughter Thaddeus & Jacqui Wojcik
 Nun Seraphima (Anna Kremenetskaya) Konstantin, Taissia, Vladimir, Ioann Kremenetsky
 Lola Macrina
 Edward Michael & Joan Sutyak Tamara, Christina, Michael, Anne & family
 Leon & Claudine Snyder daughters Laura & Carol, & family
 Dmitri Boris
 David Mitred Archpriest Ian & Matka. Nina MacKinnon, DOW
 Deacon Hennok Soot DoW, Matushka Mariamna Soot, Fr Stephen Soot family, Mark & Olga Soot family
 Aleksandr, Nataliya, Galina, Emma Arina & Kamila
 Evdokiya, Anatoliy, Domnikiy, Semen, Feodosiy, Ella, Grigoriy, Nadejda, Konstantin, Svetlana,
 Valentina, Anna, infant Anatoliy, Olga, Anna, Peter. Alla Slobdorskaya
 Anne Lewandowski + Raissa Dulkan
 Marina, Alexandra, Petr, Boris, Tatiana. Margarita Maximova

other COVID departed, Patriarch Irinej, Abp of Peć, Met of Belgrade and Karlovci, and Serbian Patriarch, Nov 22, 2020. Met. Iov (Tyvonyuk) retired of Chelyabinsk & Zlatoust; Met. Theophan of Kazan, 20 November, 2020. Met. Amfilohie, +Oct. 30, 2020. Bp. Lazarus of Borjomi in Georgia, Nov. 20, 2020. Bishop Atanasije (Jevtić) Schemabishop Petr (Karpusyuk) of Dyatlov in Belarus, June 6, 2020; Bishop Milutin of Valjevo, +March 30, 2020; Bishop Venyamin of Zheleznogorsk and Lgov, +Apr 26; Archbishop Luke al-Khoury, assistant to the Pat. of Antioch.
 Archimandrite Mefody (Petrov) of Valaam, +July 22, 21. Mitred Archpriest Giorgiy Breyev, + Apr 29; Archpriest Alexander Ageikin, + Apr 21; Priest Gennady Butko, Minsk, + Apr 29; Deacon Alexander Gousev, Reno, Apr. 9; Archdeacon Evgeny Trofimov, Apr 25, Mikhail Petrukhno, + Apr 28, Trinity-St Sergius Lavra; Igumen Tikhon (Barsukov), Archimandrite Ilian (Plemenyuk), Archimandrite Lavrenty (Postnikov), and Hierodeacon Kallist (Kosulin), Hieromonk Modest (Panchenko +May 14). Archpriest Joseph Irvin +Jan 13, 21.