

Welcome to

SAINT GEORGE
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Thirty-first Sunday after Pentecost

& Fourteenth Sunday of Luke

Blessed Xenia of St. Petersburg, fool-for-Christ

Righteous Mother Xenia the merciful of Rome; Hieromartyr Babylas of Sicily;

Venerable Philotheos, founder of Philotheou monastery on Athos



Hey hey, Warrior Saints.

Welcome to the Way of the Warrior Saint where we unleash great
by living a crucifixional life.

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JOIN US FOR

Winter Camp at Home

February 27th 2021

10 am - 2 pm PST

**Opportunities for teens, college
students, young adults & parents will
be offered.**

More details to come!

Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church

January 24, 2021

*Join St. George via Lifestream:
Facebook.com/warriorsaints
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*Tune in weekdays at 11am for daily teachings.
If you don't attend in person, view every
Orthros and Liturgy online.*

Tone 8 **EOTHINON 11**

RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION (TONE 8)

From the heights Thou didst descend, O compassionate One,
and Thou didst submit to the three-day burial,
that Thou might deliver us from passion; Thou art our life
and our Resurrection, O Lord, glory to Thee.

APOLYTIKION OF ST. XENIA OF ST. PETERSBURG (TONE 8)

In thee, O wandering stranger, Christ the Lord hath given us
an ardent intercessor for our kind. For having received in thy life
sufferings and grief and served God and men with love,
thou didst acquire great boldness. Wherefore,
we fervently hasten to thee in temptations and grief,
crying out from the depths of our hearts:
Put not our hope to shame, O Blessed Xenia.

APOLYTIKION OF ST. GEORGE (TONE 4)

As deliverer of captives and defender of the poor,
healer of the infirm, champion of kings,
victorious Great Martyr George intercede
with Christ our God for our souls' salvation.

KONTAKION OF THE PRESENTATION OF CHRIST (TONE 1)

Thou Who didst sanctify the Virgin's womb by Thy birth,
and didst bless Symeon's hands as was meet,
by anticipation hast even now saved us, O Christ God.
But grant peace in the midst of wars unto Thy commonwealth
and strengthen the hierarchs whom Thou hast loved, O only Friend of man.

Messages from **THE LADIES**

The Ladies will have Bible study with Fr. Chris on Wednesday, February 3rd at 10:00am followed by a business meeting and fellowship in The Legacy Ballroom. We need your participation. Please bring your own meal and wear your masks for the protection of each other.

2021 Tata's on Motorcycles Calendars are here. We have a limited number. They are only \$20. Please purchase yours today and keep the Ladies supporting all of their ministry outreach.

We have lots of praying ladies so contact us to add your name to our list. Stay safe and healthy.

We have Coffee Hour Sponsorship Opportunities. Contact the office! The Ladies can help you with anything you need. Contact us through the Church office or you can always call the Ladies President, Valerie Wier, at 602-354-1376.

PROKEIMENON:

O Lord, save Thy people, and bless Thine inheritance.
Unto Thee have I cried, O Lord, my God.

THE EPISTLE

The Reading from the First Epistle of St. Paul to St. Timothy. (1:15-17)

Timothy, my son, the saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. And I am the foremost of sinners; but I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display His perfect patience for an example to those who were to believe in Him for eternal life. To the King of Ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory to the ages of ages. Amen.

THE GOSPEL

The reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (18:35-43)

At that time, as Jesus drew near to Jericho, a blind man was sitting by the roadside begging; and hearing a multitude going by, he inquired what this meant. They told him, “Jesus of Nazareth is passing by.” And he cried, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!” And those who were in front rebuked him, telling him to be silent; but he cried out all the more, “Son of David, have mercy on me!” And Jesus stopped, and commanded him to be brought to Him; and when he came near, Jesus asked him, “What do you want me to do for you?” He said, “Lord, let me receive my sight.” And Jesus said to him, “Receive your sight; your faith has made you well.” And immediately he received his sight and followed Him, glorifying God; and all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God.

To include an oblation or announement in the bulletin, submit text to Tisha at office@stgeorgeaz.org **before noon on Tuesdays**. All oblations received in the office after the deadline will be included in the following Sunday’s bulletin. Church office hours are Monday - Friday, 9am - 1pm.

LIVING:

Romy, Gloria, Don, Mary, Joshua, Peter, Richard, Moira, Mac, George, Michael, Ray, Pam, Aziz.

LITURGICAL OFFERINGS:

A 40-day Trisagion is offered in loving honor of our mother, beloved and dearly departed, Laila Sayegh from her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. May her memory be eternal.

Fr. Christopher, Sophia and Amelia Salamy offer holy bread for the health of Khouriye Allyson on the occasion of her birthday. May God grant her many years!

For the health of the Salamy, Ajalat, Moujaes, Raya, Jabour, Armelli, Jabour, Karadsheh, Ovando & Matthews families and all of our wonderful parishioners at St. George. In memory of Raymond, Robert, Lutfy, Eileen, Mitry, Elizabeth, Fritz, Jean, Mary, Elias, Adeeb, Joseph, Emily, Salim, Sophie, Edmon, Shafik, Jubran, Olga, Leon, Lucille, Sonia, Philip, David & Chet.

Ray and RoseMarie Toronto offer Holy Bread in memory of our beloved parents and siblings, Anne, George, Salvatore, Clara, Joseph and Nancy. May their memory be eternal! For the continued health and salvation of our children and grandchildren Robin, Renay, Ryan, Romy, Joe, Michael, Brooke, Joe, Brennan, Tyler, Collin Joey, Christina, Ashlynn, Chase, Lauren, Halle, Taylor, Nikki, Ryan and Keefer and great-grandson Fitzgerald. Also continued good health of Liz Karamouzis and family.

May God grant them many years.

Souheil and Raoud Alhaddad offer Holy Bread for the health and salvation of Suhaila, Tawfik, Souheil, Noura, Samar, Peter, Nora, Sam, Aliaa, Jude, Raoud and the salvation of the Alhaddad, Alkallass, Alassali, Goodwin, Alhaj, Alabdullah, Samore and Rizk families. May God grant them many years.