

The Last Judgment (Meatfare)
 March 3, 2019, Sunday Bulletin

THE AWESOME JUDGMENT



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March 3, 2019

9:15 AM Confessions; 9:30 AM Divine Liturgy

Sunday of the Last Judgment (Meatfare) - Tone 7

St. Leo the Great, pope of Rome (461). St. Agapitus, Bishop of Synnada in Phrygia (4th c.).

Readings: Epistle: 1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2 ■ Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46



On Sunday of the Last Judgment, we read in the Gospel lesson from Matthew 25:31-46, the conditions upon which Jesus Christ will judge us. We see, therefore, the conditions of the reward for our righteousness. We see what we must do in our lives on earth and are challenged to undertake a lifestyle, which will bring us to eternal life on the day of Jesus Christ's Second Coming -- the day of universal and eternal resurrection. For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave Me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed Me, I was naked and you clothed Me, I was sick and you visited Me, I was in prison and you came to Me. Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these, My brethren, you did it to Me. -- Matthew 25:35-36, 40 On this we are judged. By recognizing Christ in those around us and by treating them accordingly, we attain salvation. We see Christ. We see ourselves. We return to the Father who shows us His Son in the least of our brothers and sisters. (*Fr. Thomas Hopko*)

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for good health for our following parish family members and others: Fr. Gregory Becker, Fr. Andrew Gall, Fr. Paisius McGrath, Fr. John Nakonachny, Pani-matka Mary Ann Nakonachny, Mykola Prychodczenko, Walter Duzzny, Alice Dobransky, Nancy Tiedeman, James Bobersky, Kay Malys, Marie Pupa, Deborah Harvey, Mary Lapushansky, Stella Woytek, Kathy Duzzny, Mary Ann Owens, Pauline Witkowsky, Dr. Dinah Fedyna, Mary Goncy, Catherine Rogenski, Marianne Carmack, Kenneth, Matthew, Peter, Michelle, Basil



LIVING ORTHODOXY

(A few more words about sin)

Sin is the absence of love, it is separation and isolation. When Christ comes to judge the world, His criterion for judgment will be love. Christian love entails seeing Christ in other people, our family, our friends, and everyone else we may encounter in our lives. We shall be judged on whether we have loved, or not loved, our neighbor. We show Christian love when we feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, clothe the naked, visit those who are sick or in prison. If we did such things for the least of Christ's brethren, then we also did them for Christ (Mt.25:40). If we did not do such things for the least of the brethren, neither did we do them for Christ (Mt.25:45). *(Father Alexander Schmemmann, Great Lent (Ch. 1:4),*

What we must do

(From the Lenten Triodion – Sunday of the Last Judgment)

Knowing the commandments of the Lord,

let us conduct our lives in this way:

let us nourish the hungry, let us give drink to the thirsty;

let us clothe the naked, let us welcome the strangers;

let us visit the sick, the infirm, and those in prison,

so that He Who is coming to judge the whole earth, may say to us:

“Come, O blessed ones of My Father,

inherit the Kingdom which has been prepared for you!”

FROM THE TRIODION – SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND PHARISEE

From Matins Verses from Canticle (Ode) 3

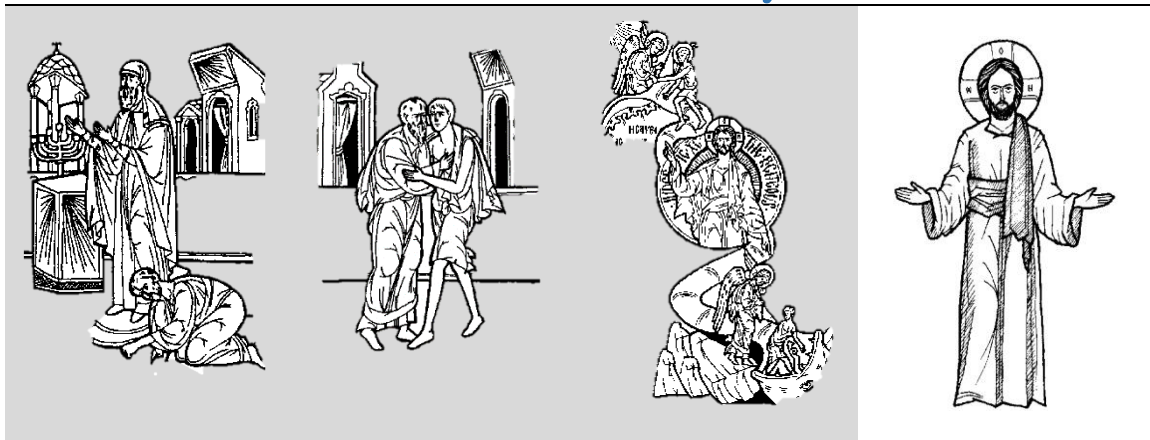
Let us go quickly while there is still time; let us lament, let us be reconciled to God before the end comes. For the judgement is fearful in which all of us shall stand naked.

I cry to You, O Lord, Have mercy, Have mercy on me, when You come with Your angels to give every man the due reward for his deeds.

Troparion — Tone 1

Fire shall flow before Your judgment seat; the books shall be opened and the hidden things disclosed! Then deliver me from the unquenchable fire and make me worthy to stand at Your right hand, righteous Judge!

Pre-Lenten Sundays



9:30 AM DIVINE LITURGY

February 17 PUBLICAN & PHARISEE 2 Tim. 3:10-15 Lk. 18:10-14	February 24 PRODIGAL SON 1 Cor. 6:12-20 Lk. 15:11-32	March 3 LAST JUDGMENT 1 Cor. 8:8–9:2 Mt. 25:31-46	March 10 FORGIVENESS Rom. 13:11–14:4; Mt. 6:14-21
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Are you LISTENING? What is Christ ASKING us to DO?

Acknowledge our
Sins and Repent

TAKE ACTION

Live so that we
may inherit the
Kingdom of God

STEWARDSHIP ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES

Don't Just go to Church, Be the Church/Thank you for your Gifts of Love

Thank you to our sponsors, donors, food preparation workers, food servers, volunteers and all those who turned out to support our Ukrainian Dinner. Your participation is so uplifting and contributed to an outstanding success!

*Today's Bulletin is underwritten
In Memory of Becky Jean Meredith*

UPCOMING PARISH AND OTHER EVENTS

Please contact the church office to schedule Panikhidas, request Bulletin Dedications, or make Prosphora Offerings.

SUNDAY MARCH 3, 2019 – THE LAST JUDGEMENT:

- **CHOIR REHEARSAL**
 - Youth Sunday and Fellowship Sunday. Please stop by after church for refreshments and an opportunity to visit with one another in The Orthodox Center.
 - **JUNIOR UOL BAKE SALE** will be held during the Fellowship. Please support our phenomenal Juniors.
 - Today is the last day for eating meat and meat products until Pascha, though eggs and dairy products are permitted every day during the coming week. This limited fasting prepares us gradually for the more intense fasting of Great Lent which begins Monday, March 11, 2019.
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TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2019: 7:00 PM Church Council Meeting in The Ukrainian Orthodox Center.

SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2019: FORGIVENESS SUNDAY

- 9:30 – Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great followed by the Service of Forgiveness
 - Immediately following the Divine Liturgy – **St. Mary's Sisterhood Meeting**
 - Great Lent begins Monday, March 11, 2019.
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FIRST WEEK OF GREAT LENT 3.11.2019 – 3.15.2019 SERVICE SCHEDULE

- Tuesday, March 12 – 6:00 PM The Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
 - Wednesday, March 13 – 6:00 PM The Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
 - Thursday, March 14 – 6:00 PM The Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
 - Friday, March 15 – 5:30 PM Confessions; 6:00 PM Pre-Sanctified Liturgy
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SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2019: THE TRIUMPH OF ORTHODOXY

- 9:30 – Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great
 - Immediately following Divine Liturgy **Meeting of the Senior UOL**
 - 5:00 PM Lenten Vespers: St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, 305 Struthers-Liberty Road, Campbell, OH 44405
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NEXT PEROGIE SALE

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2019 (PICKUP 10 AM – NOON)

Don't forget: your help is always welcome and needed.

Task	Time	MARCH
Potato Prep	9:30 AM	6 th (Wed)
Pinching	9:30 AM	7 th (Thurs)
Pick-up	10:00 AM--Noon	8 th (Fri.)
Potato Prep	9:30 AM	20 th (Wed)**
Pinching	9:30 AM	21 th (Thurs_
Pick-up	10:00 AM--Noon	22 th (Fri)


MARCH 26, 2019 – COMMUNITY DINNER:

(Did you feed me?)

Please start collecting personal care products children's books, and recent magazines which are much appreciated. We are so Blessed to have such dedicated volunteers! If you have any questions or would like additional information on you can this wonderful outreach, please contact Dr. Dinah Fedyna.





Create
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and renew
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ME

Psalm 51:10

Praying Our Way Together

Through Great Lent 2019

Eph.6:17-18 "And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to the end with all perseverance..."



Come join your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ on a Lenten journey as we pray and read the Psalter each day for 20 days!

What: Reading the Psalter

When: March 18, 2019 – April 12, 2019, five days a week, Monday - Friday, at any convenient time

Where: In the comfort of your home or wherever you may be with your device.

Why: To heighten your Lenten journey by reading the Prayer Book of the Church!

If you would like to journey with us, please email your name, address, phone number, parish name, and parish address to Janice Meschisen at Bridesong150@gmail.com and more information will be sent to you.

Please respond by March 13, 2019

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