

St Innocent Orthodox Church

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July 10th, 2022

Today's commemorated feasts and saints:

4th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 3. Ven. Anthony of the Kiev Caves, Founder of Monasticism in Russia (1073). Holy 45 Martyrs at Nicopolis in Armenia, including Leontius, Maurice, Daniel, Anthony, Alexander, Sisinius, Meneus, and Belerad (Verelad – ca. 319). The Placing of the Honorable Robe of the Lord at Moscow (1625). Ven. Silvanus, Schema-monk, of the Kiev Caves (Far Caves – 13th-14th c.). Martyr Apollonius of Sardis (3rd c.). Martyrs Bianor and Silvanus of Pisidia (4th c.). 10,000 Fathers of the deserts and caves of Scete martyred by the impious Patriarch Theophilus of Alexandria (ca. 398). Martyr Nikódēmos of Elbassan (Albanian – 1722). Monastic Martyr Nectarius of St. Anne Skete (Mt. Athos – 1820). The KONEVSKAYA Icon of the Mother of God.



BRINGER OF LIGHT

Slavic soil was largely pagan until the ninth century, when the light of Christianity pierced through the blackness. One of the most instrumental people in this conversion was PRINCESS OLGA.

As an important principality in the 9th century, Kiev had contact and trade with the religious hub of Constantinople. Slowly, Christianity began to filter in among the Slavs. Olga began to learn about Christian values and was met with love and solemnity. During a state visit to Constantinople in 957, she made the move that would have a profound influence on not only her but also her people. Recognizing the truth of Christianity, she decided to be baptized and embrace the Faith.

Olga began her missionary work upon her return to Kiev. She lived for approximately 12 years after her conversion, but accomplished a life-time of work for the Gospel. She is said to have built churches, baptized people, and organized a women's community. For all her labors for Christ, the Church has bestowed upon her the name "Equal-to-the-Apostles." She died in the year 969, at the age of 90.

Of vital importance is the influence St. Olga had on her grandson, Prince Vladimir. Tradition tells of Vladimir's search for the true religion for his people. Those who argued for the Orthodox Church told the prince: "If the religion of the Greeks had not been good, your grandmother Olga, who was the wisest of women, would not have embraced it." The weight of the name of Olga overcame whatever doubts that remained in the mind of Prince Vladimir.

Olga acts as a prime example for Christians today. We all have an opportunity to render our service to Christ. God grant that people will be found today to carry on this wonderful tradition of apostolic labor for the Church.

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SCHEDULE ALL SERVICES LIVE STREAMED.

Matins Gospel: Luke 24: 1 - 12 (*4th Matins Gospel*)

Next Week's Epistle: Romans 6:18-23 **Gospel:** Matthew 8:5-13

Reader: Kenneth

Today 9:30 am Liturgy

Wednesday 6:00 pm Moleben with Akathist for St John of Shanghai & SF

Saturday 5:30 pm Vespers

Sunday 9:30 am Liturgy

Next Week's Epistle: Romans 10:1-10 **Gospel:** Matthew 8:28-9:1

(*Fathers*) Hebrews 13:7-16 John 17:1-13

Reader: Matthew

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 3

Let the heavens rejoice! / Let the earth be glad! / For the Lord has shown strength with His arm. / He has trampled down death by death. / He has become the first born of the dead. / He has delivered us from the depths of hell, / and has granted to the world // great mercy.

Announcements:

Our Bulletins (\$60.00)	Alla Slobodskaya
	Izolda (Zoya) & Vladimir Sogokon
Our Altar Wine (\$40.00)	Gabriela Broncă & family good health & help in our needs.
Our Altar Candles (\$40.00)	Gabriela Broncă & family good health & help in our needs.
Our Altar Incense (\$20.00)	Gabriela Broncă & family good health & help in our needs.
Vigil – Golgotha I (\$7.00 /wk)	Caratās family
Vigil – Golgotha II (\$7.00 /wk)	Caratās family
Vigil – Prothesis (\$7.00 /wk)	Caratās family
- Broncă: Gabriela, Robert, & Carmen Iuliana. Good health, & help in need. Repose: Tasie.	
- Sogokon: for the health of Zoya, Vladimir, Irina, Anastasia, Vladimir, Vladimir.	

Adult Education is in summer break.

Have you ever become a full Member? Fill out the form available. Prayerfully consider your pledge for 2022. You may speak with a parish council member about membership and pledging.

2022 Wall Calendars are here at the Candle stand. Requested donation this year, \$7.00.

Lectionary. The Church Lectionary is reading Romans and Matthew.

Coffee Hour, This Week: Celebration Sunday potluck **Next Week:** Krissi

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>.

Kontakion, Resurrection – Tone 3

On this day Thou didst rise from the tomb, O Merciful One, / leading us from the gates of death. / On this day Adam exults as Eve rejoices; / with the prophets and patriarchs // they unceasingly praise the divine majesty of Thy power!

Troparion, St Anthony – Tone 4

Having left the turmoil of the world, / thou didst renounce the world to follow Christ in accordance with the Gospel. / Living a life equal to the Angels, / thou didst reach the quiet haven of the Holy Mountain of Athos. / With the blessing of the Athonite fathers, thou didst come to the hills of Kiev, / where thou didst labor with love and didst illumine thy homeland. / There thou leddest a multitude of monastics to Christ / showing them the path that leads to the Kingdom of Heaven. // Venerable Anthony, pray to Him that our souls may be saved!

Kontakion, St Anthony – Tone 8

Having loved God above all from thy childhood, O ven' rable one, / thou didst surrender thyself to Him and followed Him with all thy soul. / Despising the material things of this world, / thou didst make a cave in the earth, where thou didst fight the good fight against the invisible Enemy. / Like a brilliant sun thou didst illumine all the ends of the earth, / and with rejoicing thou didst pass into the heavenly chambers. / Now as thou dost stand with the Angels before the Throne of the Master, / remember us who honor thy memory as we cry to thee: // "Rejoice, our Fa-ther Anthony!"

Of our charity, remember in your prayers:July 10th, 2022**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;
 Archpriests Paul Waisanen, George Gray, Michael Regan, Andrew Jacobs; Moses Berry; John Armstrong.
 Abbess Susanna; Protodcn Nicholas Jannakos; Protodeacon Averky Davis
 Matushki Alexandra Safchuk, Elizabeth Powell, Clara Mancantelli, Suzanne Senyo; Maria Vallens, Priscilla Shipley, Jean Moore;
 Monk John. Deacon Mark Story, Robert Peterson, Marios Perez, Barbara Anderson, Monika Cleenewerck, Marea Kuolt. OCA-DOW
 Manya Prybyla, Gregory Theophan Hoffberg; Olga Stephanenko; Virginia, Levon; Edmund Roschak, Darka Raicevich; Karen Olds;
 Alla Miller, Mike Shinkarik, Andrew Sturmer, Stanislava; Bridget Merridy Strand, Assia Alexander, Scott T. Karen T., Dmitri G.,
 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. Archriest 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
 Ruben Richard & Yolanda Durham
 Walter Irina
 Larry & Emma Abbe Kulhanek
 Anna Elena
 Pearl Ruggiero. Sheena Wickens, Veronica Clarkson, Anna Cruz, Anna Rossiter; Ward; Griselda Leon. Diane Rhodes
 Luke Norton Alexander Norton
 Bruce Anderson, Audrey Anderson. Subdeacon Polycarp Anderson & family
 Larry McHargue; Laura; Robert; Kenny Anne McHargue Witz & family

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: Dalen, Kelly, & Jamie Muster; Bryce; Cameron.
 newly Illumined Nikolinka Jovanna & Ilja
 newly Illumined John (Jack) Keoseyan, sponsor James
 newly Illumined Marilyn, sponsor Mother Markella
 Zlata Okunev, Artemi & Erica
 New born Ava Adria Vizireanu
 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
 Newly illumined Matthew; Nicholas Damiano, Magdalena Elizabeth. Stephen & Marisa Thompson
 Elijah, parents Aika & Dmitri Goudkov
 new born Rowan. 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:

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Newly Departed Metropolitan Hilarion (Kapral) first hierarch of ROCOR. +May 16, 2022
Newly Departed Matushka Gerry (Evgenia) Glagolev. +May 23, 2022. Christia, Marina, John & family
Newly Departed Archpriest Alexei Poliakov +June24, 2022. Matushka & family, Holy Transfiguration Cathedral parish
Newly Departed Evgenia. +June 5, 2022.
Newly Departed Nina. Elena
Newly Departed Galina Trifonovna Grabovska. +June 3, 2022.
+ July 10: Archimandrite Stefan (Lucaciu), 1963; Deacon John Demos, 1993; Archimandrite Pitirim (Stehnach), 2019. 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
Cor Brevet Delabruinene Natalya Slusar Nosa & family
Vadim
Rodney Lake + May 20, 2021. son-in-law & daughter Thaddeus & Jacqui Wojcik
Nun Seraphima (Anna Kremenetskaya) Konstantin, Taissia, Vladimir, Ioann Kremenetsky
Nun Nonna (Verna Harrison)
Igor
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
Evdokiya, Anatoliy, Domnikiy, Semen, Feodosiy, Ella, Grigoriy, Nadejda, Konstantin, Svetlana,
Valentina, Anna, infant Anatoliy, Olga, Anna, Peter. Alla Slobdorskaya
Anne Lewandowski + Raissa Dulian
Marina, Alexandra, Petr, Boris, Tatiana. Margarita Maximova
Rebecca Svetlana (Photini) Gushard son Wade Aiden Greer, Fr Yousuf