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“One, Holy, Catholic & Apostolic Church”

# SAINT GEORGE ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America  
Metropolitan JOSEPH

Diocese of Toledo and the Midwest

Bishop ANTHONY

## 17 July 2022, Tone 4 / Eothinon 5 and Sunday of the Fourth Ecumenical Council



### 10:00 AM ΤΥΠΙΚΑ SERVICE TODAY

**PASTOR:** Father Mark Sahady

#### **PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS:**

#### **Elected / Appointed Members**

Melanie Thompson, *Chair*  
Wayne Sanders, *Vice-Chair*  
Ronald Malooley, *Treasurer*  
Nicholas Schaefer, *Secretary*  
George Nimee, *Antiochian Men*  
Rdr Michael Baum, *Ecclesiarch*

#### **Organization Representatives**

Genie Sanders, *Chanters/Choir*  
Dee Khoury, *Antiochian Women*  
Sbdn David Anderson, *Sunday School*  
Robert Abraham, *Facilities*  
Nicholas Medawar, *Order of St Ignatius*  
No Teen Rep Presently, *SOYO*

## BULLETIN PART ONE – ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFO

Contact Fr Mark by calling the Church 815-664-4540. Council Minutes Binder is in Hall

**WORSHIP** On Youtube: [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVy\\_\\_6R3xbIrx-UI8H63AUA](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVy__6R3xbIrx-UI8H63AUA)

**STUDIES & MEETINGS** On Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5822049765>

### +++++++ SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

July 17, Sunday, **10 am Typica Service** Instead of Normal Services

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July 23, Saturday, **6 pm Vespers**

July 24, Sunday, **8:45 am Matins, 10 am Divine Liturgy, 11:15 am Fellowship**

July 28, Thursday, **1:30 pm Bible Study – Revelation On Zoom**

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July 30, Saturday, **6 pm Vespers**

July 31, Sunday, **8:45 am Matins, 10 am Divine Liturgy, 11:15 am Fellowship**

August 1, Monday, **6:30 pm Paraklesis to the Theotokos**

August 3, Wednesday, **6:30 pm Paraklesis to the Theotokos**

August 4, Thursday, **1:30 pm Bible Study – Revelation On Zoom**

August 5, Friday, **6:30 pm Vigil for the Feast of Transfiguration**

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August 6, Saturday, 10 am Liturgy with Bp Anthony at Holy Transfiguration Church  
28W770 Warrenville Rd, Warrenville, IL 60555

**6 pm Vespers**

August 7, Sunday, **8:45 am Matins, 10 am Divine Liturgy, 11:15 am Fellowship**

August 9, Tuesday, **6:30 pm Paraklesis to the Theotokos**

August 11, Thursday, **1:30 pm Bible Study – Revelation On Zoom**

**6:30 pm Paraklesis to the Theotokos**

August 13, Saturday, 5 pm Vespers with Bp Anthony at St Mary Orthodox Church  
6330 W. 127th St., Palos Heights, IL 60463

| Offering Schedule        | Holy Bread & Food             | Epistle Reader         |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>Sunday, July 17</b>   | Reader Service – No Meal      |                        |
| <b>Sunday, July 24</b>   | Mike & Ruth Baum              | Rdr Michael Baum       |
| <b>Sunday, July 31</b>   | Open                          | Open                   |
| <b>Sunday, August 7</b>  | David Anderson & Mary Majerus | SbDn Theophan Anderson |
| <b>Sunday, August 14</b> | Open                          | Open                   |
| <b>Sunday, August 21</b> | Open                          | Open                   |
| <b>Sunday, August 28</b> | Fr Mark & Kh Barbara Sahady   | Kh Barbara             |

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### JULY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

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| July 2 - Bill Loiocono/Michele Malooley (aniv) | July 19 – Bill Miller III, Micah Schaefer |
| July 5 – Gary Farral                           | July 20 – Maribeth Malooley Soldati       |
| July 14 – George and Mona Kaleel (anniv)       | July 28 – David and Gretel Kaleel (anniv) |
| July 15 – Michael Baum                         | July 30 – Dottie Malooley                 |
| July 16 – Thane Kaleel                         | July 30 – Nick & Anysia Medawar (anniv)   |

### +++++++ CHURCH FINANCES

#### May 2022 Income-Expense

Total May Income: \$12,806.44  
Total May Expenses: \$1,950.89  
Net Income May: \$10,855.55

#### January-May 2022 Totals

Total Year Income: \$ 34,858.05  
Total Year Expense: \$36,106.44  
Total Year Net Income: \$-1,248.39

## BULLETIN PART TWO – WORSHIP IS THE TYPIKA SERVICE TODAY

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- *Apolytikia for the day.*

### RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION IN TONE FOUR

Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel the women disciples of the Lord cast from them their parental condemnation. And proudly broke the news to the Disciples, saying: Death hath been spoiled; Christ God is risen, granting the world Great Mercy.

### APOLYTIKION OF THE HOLY FATHERS IN TONE EIGHT

Thou, O Christ, art our God of exceeding praise Who didst establish our Holy Fathers as luminous stars upon earth, and through them didst guide us unto the true Faith, O most merciful One, glory to Thee.

### APOLYTIKION OF ST. MARINA IN TONE FOUR

O Lord Jesus, unto Thee Thy lamb doth cry with a great voice: O my Bridegroom, Thee I love; and seeking Thee, I now contest, and with Thy baptism am crucified and buried. I suffer for Thy sake, that I may reign with Thee; for Thy sake I die, that I may live in Thee: accept me offered out of longing to Thee as a spotless sacrifice. Lord, save our souls through her intercessions, since Thou art great in mercy.

### APOLYTIKION OF SAINT GEORGE IN TONE FOUR

Since thou art a liberator and deliverer of the captives, a help and succour of the poor and needy, a healing physician of the sick, a contender and fighter for the kings, O great among martyrs, thou victory-clad George: Intercede with Christ God for the salvation of our souls.

### ORDINARY KONTAKION IN TONE TWO

O protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the Creator most constant, O despise not the suppliant voices of those who have sinned; but be thou quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession, and speed thou to make supplication, thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.

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- **The Scripture of the day:**

### THE EPISTLE (For the Holy Fathers)

**Reader:** The Reading from the Epistle of Saint Paul to Saint Titus. (3:8-15)

**Reader:** Titus, my son, faithful is the saying, and concerning these things I desire you to affirm confidently, that those who have believed in God may be thoughtful of how to preside in honorable occupations. These things are good and profitable to men. But avoid foolish disputes, and genealogies, and contentions, and controversies about the Law; for they are unprofitable and vain. A man who is a heretic after the first and second admonition reject, knowing that such a one is subverted, and sins, being self-condemned. When I send Artemas to you, or Tychicós, give diligence to come to me to Nicopolis; for I have determined to winter there. Set forward Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their journey diligently, that they may be lacking in nothing. And let our people also learn how to preside in honorable occupations, so as to help in cases of urgent need, that they



should not be unfruitful. All who are with me salute you. Salute those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.

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### THE GOSPEL (For the Holy Fathers)

#### The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew (5:14-19)

The Lord said to His Disciples: “You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father Who is in heaven. Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them, but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments, and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven.”

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**COMMEMORATION:** The 630 venerable and God-bearing Fathers of the Fourth Ecumenical Council; the holy and glorious Great-martyr Marina of Antioch in Pisidia; and Venerable Irenarchos of Solovky.

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### THE SYNAXARION

On this Sunday, we commemorate the 630 holy and God-bearing **Fathers of the Fourth Ecumenical Council**, which convened in Chalcedon in 451 against the Monophysites. The Holy Fathers were, once again, concerned with the nature of Jesus Christ. The false teaching arose that Christ’s human nature (considered by heretics as less perfect) dissolved itself in His divine nature (considered by heretics as more perfect): like a cube of sugar in a parcel of water. Thus, in that scenario, Christ had only one nature, the Divine. These false preachers were called Monophysites (“mono”, meaning “one” and “physis”, meaning “nature”), and they were led by Eutyches and Dioscorus. Monophysitism overemphasized the divine nature of Christ, at the expense of the human. The Fourth Ecumenical Council condemned Monophysitism and proclaimed that Christ has two complete natures: the divine and the human, as defined by previous Councils. These two natures function as equally perfect, without confusion, and are neither divided nor separate. The Fathers declared that at no time did they undergo any change.

**Saint Marina** was born to pagan parents and heard of the Lord Jesus at age twelve. Her heart was inflamed with love for the Lord, she vowed never to marry and, further, desired in her soul to suffer for Christ and be baptized with the blood of martyrdom. Her father hated her for her faith, and would not regard her as his daughter. The imperial governor, Olymbrius, desired her for his wife. When Marina refused, he put her to harsh torture, and threw her into prison all wounded and bleeding. Marina prayed to God in the prison and was healed by the power of God of all her wounds. The Lord Jesus appeared to her accompanied by angels just before she was beheaded.

By the intercessions of Thy Saints, O Christ God, have mercy upon us. Amen.