



SAINT NICHOLAS
RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

Weekly Bulletin - Sunday, May 7, 2023

Christ is Risen! Христос Воскресе!

Service Schedule

Fr. Daniel Meyer will be serving our parish through June 4, 2023 (Pentecost). If you need to contact Fr. Daniel, his cell phone number is 909-286-0814, and his email is frdanielmeyer@protonmail.com.

Fr. Daniel would like to remind everyone that the beginning prayers change during Paschaltide. From Pascha until Ascension, instead of the prayer O heavenly King, the troparion for Holy Pascha, Christ is risen, is said three times. And from Ascension until Pentecost, begin with Holy God, Holy Mighty...

On Fridays in May, Fr. Daniel is planning to have Confessions/counseling from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Vespers or a short service at 6:00 p.m., and a discussion on Orthodox topics following the service. More details to come.

Date	Time	Service
Friday, May 5	4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Confessions/Counseling
Friday, May 5	6:00 p.m.	Vespers
Friday, May 5	Following Vespers	Open Forum Discussion
Sunday, May 7 (Sunday of the Paralytic)	9:00 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
Sunday, May 14 (Sunday of the Samaritan Woman)	9:00 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
Sunday, May 21 (Sunday of the Blind Man)	9:00 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
Sunday, May 21	Following Liturgy	Akaphist to St. Nicholas

Asking for Prayers

Please pray for the newly baptized baby Timothy. He will undergo surgery on his esophagus tomorrow morning.

Potluck Luncheon

A potluck luncheon will be held after Liturgy on Sunday, May 21. Please come and enjoy some good food and fellowship! If you would like to bring food or drinks, please sign up [here](#).

Building Fund/Roof Update

The roof replacement project has been scheduled to begin on Monday, June 26. It is expected to be completed by Thursday, June 29 and should not interfere with any church services. Thank you to everyone who contributed toward this effort!

The total cost will be about \$22,000. Any extra funds in the building fund will be used in the future for other deferred building projects.

RaiseRight Fundraiser

Gift card orders through the RaiseRight fundraiser program will be taken through Sunday, May 7, 2023, during coffee hour. Gift cards will be distributed on Sunday, May 14, 2023. The full list of current retailers and rebates is available [here](#). *Cash or checks only, please.*

This is how the program works: Our parish purchases gift cards at a discount, sells them at face value, and then keeps the difference. For example, our parish purchases a \$100 grocery store gift card at a discount for \$95, a parishioner purchases the gift card for \$100, and our parish keeps the \$5 difference. The gift cards can be purchased for gifts or everyday purchases such as groceries, gas, and restaurants.

Reminders

Online candle stand: Candles and vigil lights can now be ordered [online](#) to be lit at the next service.

Online donations: One-time or recurring donations to the church can be made [online](#). The recurring option is a convenient way to donate and also helps to better plan our budget.

Building fund: The building fund was established to save for future building projects. To donate specifically to this fund, please use the special blue envelopes that are available at the candle stand or otherwise designate your donation accordingly.

Rectory fund: The rectory fund was established to save for a future rectory close to the vicinity of the church. To donate specifically to this fund, please use the special yellow envelopes that are available at the candle stand or otherwise designate your donation accordingly.

Church cleaning schedule: The church cleaning schedule for the first half of 2023 is available [here](#). A [cleaning list](#) and other helpful information is also available for those volunteering.

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