

Services and Celebrations This Week in the Parish

Saturday, August 8

- 6:30pm **Great Vespers** (no confessions)

Sunday, August 9

- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship Hour (team I)
- 12:30-1:15pm Bread Minsitry (team A)

Tuesday, August 11

- 11am **Moleben** (Paraclesis) to the Theotokos

Wednesday, August 12

- 6:30pm **Vespers**
- 7:20 Christian Education:
Resurrectional Gospel Readings, Part II of III

Thursday, August 13 / *St. Tikhon of Zadonsk*

Friday, August 14

Birthday for Deacon Simeon

- 8am Matins
- 9am Confessions
- 6:30pm **Vigil for Dormition**
- 8:10pm Confessions

Saturday, August 15 / *Feast of the Dormition of the Theotokos*

Namesday for Avaline Marie Ellwood

Birthday for Sarah Holiday

- 9am **Liturgy for Dormition**
- 6:30pm **Great Vespers** (no confessions)

Sunday, August 16 / *"Image Not Made by Hands"*

Birthday for Zachary Johnson

- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship Hour (team II)
- 12:30-1:15pm Bread Minsitry (teamB)



Saint Athanasius

ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday August 9, 2015

St. Herman of Alaska

Readings for Today

1Corinthians 4:9-16 Matthew 17:14-23



located in Kodiak, Alaska

**45th Annual Saint Herman Pilgrimage
to Kodiak and Spruce Island August 7-9, 2015**

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- ◆ **We Welcome Fr. Daniel Talley**, from St. Tikhon Mission in Chattanooga Tennessee, who will serve Divine Liturgy this Sunday.
- ◆ **The Dormition Fast (August 1-14)** continues. Please remember not only to honor the Fast at home, but also to be mindful of what you bring to Fellowship Hour, so as to honor the Fast among our brothers and sisters. Fasting information can be found on our parish calendar online, our printed parish calendar, and on the St. Tikhon's calendars most of our parishioners have at home.
- ◆ **Our Tuesday Prayer Service (Moleben) will be Paraclesis to the Theotokos**, chanting the canon in Greek style (sung in Byzantine). This extended hymn, like the Dormition Fast season itself, encourages us to consider the Virgin Mary's role in our God's saving dispensation (her place in saying 'yes' to the Incarnation) and to ask her to pray for us before her Son and our God.
- ◆ **Great Vespers for the Feast of St. Tikhon of Zadonsk** will be served on Wednesday the 12th at 6:30pm. The Christian Education class will follow with Fr. Justin continuing with Part II (of III) on the Resurrectional Gospel Readings from St. Luke.
- ◆ **Friday Matins** at 8am followed by confessions at 9am.
- ◆ **Vigil for Feast of the Dormition of the Theotokos** will be served at 6:30pm on Friday, August 14 and Fr. Justin will hear confessions after the service. Liturgy for the feast will be served at 9am on Saturday. Please bring foods with which to "break the fast" and extend the celebration of the Feast! We will only serve Great Vespers on Saturday night and Fr. Justin will not hear Confessions.

Welcome Guests & Visitors!

We are happy you are with us today and will gladly answer any questions you may have about our service. If this is your first time visiting, please let our greeter or doorkeeper know so we can recognize you at the end of the Liturgy. *Holy Communion is open to all baptized Orthodox Christians who have fasted from food and water since midnight, had recent confession, and are at peace with neighbors.*

- ◆ **"What is Orthodoxy?"** Fr. Justin is doing a special 2-part Christian Education class on Wednesdays, August 26 and September 2. Please take some of the fliers on the credenza in the nave and share with friends and neighbors. The classes will be announced in the Jessamine Journal on August 13 & 20.
- ◆ **Altar Server Retreat** will be held on Saturday, August 22 at 11am. All servers are required to attend. Please let Fr. Justin know if you have a conflict with this time.
- ◆ **Family Pizza Night** at Panagia Pantovasilissa in Lexington on Saturday, August 22 following Pan-Orthodox Vespers at 5pm. There is a flier on the bulletin board in the parish hall with details or visit their website. You must RSVP by August 15. Fr. Justin plans on attending. We will have a Reader's Vespers here on the 22nd.

Reminder that we will begin a new church year on September 1. Our annual parish meeting is planned for September 27. Ministry stewards will need to have their reports to Fr. Justin by Sept. 15.

Date	Readers	Servers	Handmaidens	Prospora	Bread Ministry	Fellowship	Greeter	Doorkeeper	Counters
Aug. 9	Subdeacon Bert Walther	Patrick, Michael, Liam, Silas, Ian (dk), David J (dk)	Robyn Cook Myra Lourie	Kathryn Pressley	Team A (Ben Worthington, Karis Jacobs)	Team I (Powell)	Josh Lourie	Myra Lourie & Linda F.	Rebecca Wilson Laura Walther
Aug. 16	Reader Ryan Winter	Jared, Michael, Liam, JP, David M (dk), Ian (dk)	Rebecca Walther Lilliana Greathouse	Tamara Patterson	Team B (Laura Walther, Beth Walther)	Team II (Patterson)	Rebecca Wilson	Paul Frangedakis	Ellie Sutter Mary Cook
August 23	Reader Rick Cook	Jared, Patrick, Silas, Liam, JP, Ian (dk), David J (dk)	Suzannah Reeves Grace McCallum	Tamara Patterson	Team C (Inessa Verenich, Tanya Viarenich)	Team III Bradshaw	John Mize	Jeff Hart	Tim Powell Rebecca Wilson
August 30	Subdeacon Bert Walther	Ben, Jared, Silas, JP, David M (dk), David J (dk)	Beth Walther Mandariah	Ryan Winter	Team D (Lisa Powell, Linda Frangedakis)	Team IV (Walther)	Josh Lourie	Chris Naughton	Tim Powell Ellie Sutter