

## Parish Life August 20 - 29

**Saturday, August 20** Happy Birthday Myra Lourie and Quincy Powell  
Namesday for Jared Cook; Samuel Siskar

- 6:30pm **Vigil**
- 8pm Confessions

### Sunday, August 21

- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship Hour (team IV)
- 12:30pm Bread Ministry (team C)
- 6pm Girls Group Meeting

### Monday, August 22

### Tuesday, August 23

- 11am Moleben w/Canon to St. Irenaeus of Lyons (for local needs)

### Wednesday, August 24

- 6:30pm **Vespers**
- 7:320pm Christian Education Class:  
"Orthodoxy & Society" (Part 4 of 5)

### Thursday, August 25

### Friday, August 26

Namesday for Natalie Lourie  
Happy Birthday Melania Wirkus

### Saturday, August 27

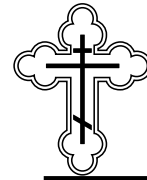
Happy Birthday Natalie Lourie  
•6:15pm **Memorial Litya** for Archbishop Dmitri (5-year)  
•6:30pm **Great Vespers**  
•7:20pm Confessions

### Sunday, August 28

- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship Hour (team I)
- 12:30pm Bread Ministry (team D)
- 6:30pm **Great Vespers for Beheading of St. John**

**Monday, August 29** *Beheading of St. John the Baptist*  
**Strict Fasting Day (w/o)**

- 9:30am **Liturgy for Beheading of St. John**



# Saint Athanasius

ORTHODOX CHURCH

**Sunday, August 21, 2016**

*9th Sunday After Pentecost*

Today's Readings: 1 Corinthians 3:19-17 Matthew 14:22-34



*Please keep Wes Pulley and family in prayer  
as they begin a new chapter in their life of service.*

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**Two Special Events on August 27**

- ★ **St. Michael Orthodox Church** in Louisville, KY is hosting a retreat that begins with Matins at 9am. Fr. Andrew Stephen Damick, the retreat speaker, will begin his presentation, “*An Introduction to God,*” at 10am in the parish center. Retreat is offered at no charge, childcare is provided, and lunch will be served. RSVP by August 22.
- ★ **Wes Pulley, a former parishioner** and graduate of St. Vladimir’s seminary, will be ordained as a Deacon of the Orthodox Church, at the hands of Bishop Alexander, in Richmond, Virginia. Fr. Justin and Sub-deacon Bert Walther will be representing our parish at this service.

**Moleben w/Canon to St. Irenaeus** for local needs will be prayed on Tuesday, August 23 at 11am. Send any special requests to Fr. Justin’s email if you cannot be present. Service only lasts about 45 minutes.

**Wednesday Vespers** at 6:30pm. The Christian Education class follows at 7:20pm with Part IV of *Orthodoxy & Society*. Audio for first three parts are available on the website. Come and bring a friend!

**Church property is in need of many hands to help get the weeds under control.** Please come on Thursday, August 25 between the hours of 7am - 10:30am and help with the beautification of our grounds.

**Note Change in Calendar:** No service or class on Wednesday, August 31 at St. Athanasius. Fr. Justin encourages everyone to attend the Pan Orthodox service at St. Andrew’s in Lexington at 6:30pm. The final class on *Orthodoxy & Society* will be on September 7.

**Sunday School** for adults and children begins September 11.

**Orthodox Christian Fellowship (OCF)** will meet on Tuesdays at 6:30pm in the St. Augustine Chapel on UK campus beginning on August 30 for the new academic year. Everyone is welcome!

**Welcome Guests & Visitors to our weekend cycle of services!**

We are happy you are worshipping with us and will gladly answer any questions you may have at the end of the service. You may sit or stand, and participate at your comfort level. *Reminder: Holy Communion is open to all baptized Orthodox Christians who have observed the fasting requirements, had recent confession, and are at peace with neighbors.*

**Pan Orthodox Service will be held on  
Wednesday, August 31, 6:30pm**

**at St. Andrew Antiochian Orthodox Church in Lexington**

September 1 is the beginning of the Orthodox liturgical year and since 1989 has been observed as the *Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation* by the Orthodox Church. In 2015 Pope Francis called for Roman Catholics to join in Christian unity with the Orthodox Church in observing September 1 as a *World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation*.

**Annual Parish Meeting** will be Sunday, September 28 following Divine Liturgy. All parishioners should plan to attend. Guests and visitors are welcome, but will not have a voting presence. Ministry stewards/coordinators will need to submit a brief summary of 2015-16 activities for the packet to be presented at the meeting. These reports are due by Sunday, Sept. 11. An informational Q & A on the budget will be held Sunday Sept. 18 following Liturgy.

Weekly Budget = \$3,265 August 14 Offering = \$1,836.00  
August 31 is the end of our current budget year (2015-16). September 1 begins the *Ecclesiastical New Year and new fiscal year*. Please be generous in your giving as we try to reduce our budget deficit.

Date	Readers	Handmaidens	Prospora	Bread Ministry	Fellowship	Greeter	Doorkeeper	Counters
August 21	Reader Ryan Winter	Suzannah Reeves Karis Jacobs	Mary Bradshaw	Team C (Inessa Verenich, Tanya Viarenich)	Team IV (Walther)	Josh Lourie	Jeff Hart	Tim Powell Ellie Sutter
August 28	Reader Rick Cook	Teresa Powell Nicole Rusu	Ryan Winter	Team D (Lisa Powell, Linda Frangedakis)	Team I (Frangedakis)	John Mize	Chris Naughton	Laura Walther Mary Cook
Sept. 4	Reader Bert Walther	Anya Jacobs Shannon Cook	Ryan Winter	Team A (Karis Jacobs, Ben Worthington)	Team II (Henderson)	Rebecca Wilson	Myra Lourie Linda F.	Tim Powell Rebecca Wilson
Sept. 11	Reader Ryan Winter	Rebecca Walther Myra Lourie	Kathryn McCord	Team B (Laura Walther, Beth Walther)	Team III (Bradshaw)	Josh Lourie	Paul Frangedaksi	Ellie Sutter Mary Cook