

## Parish Life April 22-30

### Saturday, April 22 Bright Saturday

- Meet in Berea for Hiking and **Vespers** at the Pinnacles
- 6:30pm **Reader's Vespers**

### Sunday, April 23 *St. Thomas Sunday / Holy Greatmartyr George* Namesday for Ciprian Panciuc

- 9am Sunday School
- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship (team III)
- 12:30pm Bread Ministry (team B)
- 6pm Pan-Orthodox College-age Bonfire/Cookout
- 6pm Girl's Group Meeting

### Monday, April 24

### Tuesday, April 25 *Feast of St. Mark*

- 6:30pm Youth Group Meeting

### Wednesday, April 26

- 6:30pm **Vespers**
- 7:20pm Christian Education Class:  
Movie about The Holy Sepulchre

### Thursday, April 27

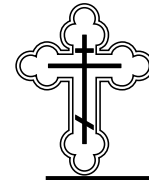
### Friday, April 28

### Saturday, April 29

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

### Sunday, April 30 *Myrrhbearers Sunday & St. James, Brother of St. John*

- 9am Sunday School
- 10am **Divine Liturgy**
- 12pm Fellowship (team IV)
- 12:30pm Bread Ministry (team C)



# Saint Athanasius

ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday, April 23, 2017

**St. Thomas Sunday**

**Holy Greatmartyr George**

Today's Readings: Acts 5:12-20 John 20:19-31



*Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!*

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**Welcoming the Kamau Family into the Catechumenate** We are blessed this morning to enroll Collins and Hannah Kamau, with their children Ella and Ian, as catechumens in the Orthodox Church. God-willing they will be received into the Church sometime during the Nativity Fast. May the Lord grant you strength for the journey!

**Welcome Guests & Visitors!**  
We are happy you are visiting with us. Please sit or stand and participate at your comfort level. *Note: Holy Communion is open to all baptized Orthodox Christians who have observed the fasting requirements, had recent confession, and are at peace with neighbors.*

**Monthly Budget Need** = \$14,150. April month-to-date offerings total \$8,908.73.

**St. Athanasius is happy to host the UK Chapter of Orthodox Christian Fellowship (OCF)** this Sunday evening with a bonfire and cookout beginning at 6pm.

**Girl's Group** will meet at 6pm at Lindsey's this Sunday.

**Note:** Fr. Justin will be attending Diocesan Retreat on Monday & Tuesday next week. In case of a pastoral emergency, contact Fr. Deacon Simeon (859-553-1088)

**Youth Group** will gather on Tuesday, April 25 at 7:10pm at the parish. They will be attending a 7:30pm service at the historic First Baptist Church (originally the African Baptist Church) in Nicholasville.

**Our Patron Saint's Feast is next week, Tuesday, May 2.**  
We hope you will mark your calendar to be present for one of the two services being offered for St. Athanasius.  
\*Monday, May 1 at 6:30pm **Great Vespers** followed by a casual cookout on the parish grounds.  
\*Tuesday, May 2 at 9:30am **Liturgy & Moleben** followed by a potluck breakfast in the parish hall.

**Christian Education Classes** begin again next Wednesday, April 26 following Vespers with a film & discussion on *The Holy Sepulchre*. On the Wednesdays in May, Fr. Justin will present a 5-part series entitled "*Doctrine of Christ*." These classes are open not only for parishioners and catechumens, but for anyone who is interested in learning more about the Orthodox Faith.

**Note About Summer Camp** St. Athanasius has, over the years, sent our teens to two camps, Camp St. John Indiana and Camp St. Thekla in South Carolina. Camp St. Thekla is currently booked up (about 8 of our youth are heading here.) Camp St. John is still open for booking: July 16 – July 22, 2017 at Camp Rivervale in Mitchell, IN. For youth going into 4th grade through college freshman in the fall. There will be fellowship, prayer, teachings, singing, games, a climbing wall and zip-line, refreshing pool and water slide, many outdoor sports and activities, and a talent/no-talent show - all in beautiful Southern Indiana! **Early bird rate ends 4/30; standard registration ends 7/2; space is limited - don't wait!** If you are in need of financial assistance please speak to your parish priest. Scholarships may also be available through St. John's Camp Program's Scholarship Fund. INVITE YOUR FRIENDS! It will be a week filled with wonder and one you won't soon forget - don't miss it for the world! Questions? Contact Jon Beecham, [director@saintjohnscamp.org](mailto:director@saintjohnscamp.org). Go to [www.saintjohnscamp.org/events/sc2017](http://www.saintjohnscamp.org/events/sc2017) for more details and to register!

**Happy Birthday!**

April 23: Caleb Cook, Rick Cook, Ciprian Panciuc  
April 24: Tabitha Naughton April 28: Anna Zamora

Date	Handmaidens	Prospora	Bread Ministry	Fellowship	Greeter	Doorkeeper	Counters
April 22 April 23	Rebecca Walther Karis Jacobs	Alina Rizea	Team B (Laura Walther, Becca Walther)	Team III (Bradshaw)	Rebecca Wilson	Paul Frangedakis	Wes Sheldahl Ben Worthington
April 29 April 30	Suzannah Reeves Nicole Rusu	Laura Walther	Team C (Inessa Verenich, Tanya Viarenich)	Team IV (Walther)	Josh Lourie	Jeff Hart	Josiah Letchworth Tim Powell
May 6 May 7	Teresa Powell Shannon Cook	Laura Walther	Team D (Lisa Powell, Linda Frangedakis)	Team I (Frangedakis)	John Mize	Chris Naughton	Ellie Sutter Mary Cook
May 13 May 14	Anya Jacobs Myra Lourie	Geoff Whiteman	Team A (Ben Worthington, Karis Jacobs)	Team II (Henderson)	Rebecca Wilson	Myra Lourie, Shannon Cook, Linda	Patrick Mooney Wes Sheldahl