



# SAINT MARK'S CHURCH

*An Antiochian Orthodox Parish in the Western Rite Tradition*

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## III Trinity 2008

The first Mass begins at 8:00 AM today. Visitors are welcome to join us for social hour, and attend Church School at 9:10. At 9:45 we will offer Anglican Chant Matins. Please pick up our new Matins/Mass booklet on the back table of the sanctuary. The Solemn Mass begins at 10:00 o'clock. All are invited to join us in the Parish Hall for refreshments after each of the Liturgies.

Please, pick up your July *Lion* newsletters in the narthex. We have extra copies for our visitors.

The *Altar Flowers* are given in loving memory of *George* on the first anniversary of his passing by *Georgean Lycas*.

The Altar Guild encourages the expression of thanksgivings and memorials by dedicating the weekly Altar flower arrangements to loved ones. Donations are accepted in any amount to encourage participation by everyone. Monies are used to purchase the flowers and other supplies necessary to carry out the duties of the Altar Guild. Due to rising costs, the Altar Guild coffers are lower than usual so if at least two people participate each week, the cost may be shared and kept to a minimum per family. The arrangements will continue to offer comfort to others as they will be offered to the sick and shut-ins by the St. Elizabeth Guild. Use the envelopes provided in the narthex and write your name on the calendar in the parish hall. The Altar Guild appreciates donations toward general operating costs as well. A report on receipts will be provided to each participant at year end for tax purposes. For more information, please see Laurie Baker.

The *St. Tikhon candle* is given in thanksgiving for the healthy birth of our great nephew, *Charles David*, by Fr. John and Matushka Deborah.

Those St. Mark's parishioners that will be celebrating *July Birthdays* are Laurie Baker, Grace Brainerd, William Sebastian Coit, Fr. John Connely, Capt. Joe Mahan, Peggy Matsch, Ed Pinfield, Kathryn Prose, John Prose, Mary Rench, Madeline Stokes, James Tochiara, Zellah Upton, and Jeffrey Winkelhake...many years!

Thanks to ? for signing up to bring refreshments this morning. Thanks to *Laurie Baker*, *William Sebastian Coit*, & *Mary Rench* for the social hour last week. If you have a birthday or an anniversary in July, please sign up to bring refreshments. Since we will be having a BBQ next Sunday, please bring some tasty snacks the following Sunday.

Thanks to ? for serving in the nursery today. We have openings for volunteers (Teens and Parents) to work in the nursery during the month of July and August.

Thanks to *Sister Sophia* for baking the "bread of hospital-ity," and thanks to Jennifer B. for donating candles and tea.

Katie Huft will give a presentation on her Semester of Studies in Greece at the Adult Sunday School class, today. All of our scholars are welcome to attend.

*The St. Mark's Vestry* will meet in the library this morning at 11:30 a.m. *We will be taking photos of the St. Mark's Vestry, the St. Elizabeth Guild, and the SOYO teen officers for the parish directory in the chapel, today.*

The *St. Mark's Churchwomen's* will meet at 11:45 today. The minutes for their last meeting are available in the parish hall.

*Vanessa Mahan and Mark Cianfichi were married yesterday.* She is the daughter of Capt. Joseph and Susan Mahan. Mark was Chrismated an Orthodox Christian last Sunday. Thanks to Celebrant: Fr. John, Chanters: John, Claire, Oliver Brainerd and Tom Blakemore, Altar Servers: Daniel Brainerd and Austin & Luke Ryan for their assistance with the Holy Nuptial Mass in the wilderness.

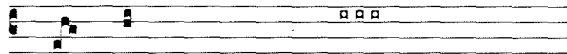
The St. Mark's Churchwomen will be having a *Fund-raiser BBQ Luncheon* next Sunday, July 20th at 11:30. Thanks to Dianna Care, Tanya Diederich, and Judith Tochiara for hosting the event. The ladies have provided a Sign up sheet on the Churchwomen's bulletin board in the parish hall if you would care to bring a salad, side dish, or a dessert. The cost for the meal is Adults \$5, Teens \$4, and Children \$3. Thanks to the many ladies who have signed up. The BBQ will take the place of our usual social hour.

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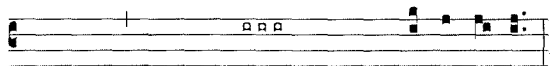
THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

THE INTROIT.

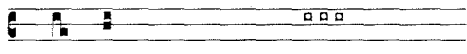
*Respice in me. Psalm xxv. 15, 17. Tone VII.*



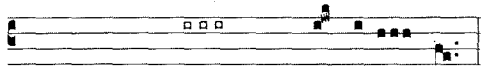
Turn thee unto me, and have mercy upon me,



O Lord: for I am desolate, and • in mi-se-ry:



look up-on my adversity and misery:



and forgive me all my • sin, O my God.

§ *Psalm ibid. 1,2.*



Un-to thee, O Lord, will • I lift up my soul:



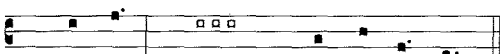
my God, I have put  
my trust in thee, let me not • be con-found-ed.



Glo-ry be . Father . Son and • to the Ho-ly Ghost:



As it was in the beginning is now and • ev-er



shall be, world with • out end A-men.

*Cantor and Choir repeat from top to §.*

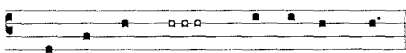
COLLECT OF THE DAY

O Lord, we beseech thee mercifully to hear us: and grant that we, to whom thou hast given an hearty desire to pray; may by thy mighty aid, be defended and comforted in all dangers and adversities. Through.

THE LESSON. 1 Peter v. 6-11.

DEARLY beloved: All of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble. Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time: casting all your care upon him, for he careth for you. Be sober, be vigilant: because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about seeking whom he may devour: whom resist stedfast in the faith: knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world. But the God of all grace, who hath called us into his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that ye have suffered a while, make you perfect, stablish, strengthen, settle you. To him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

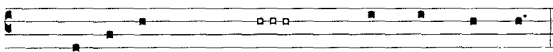
THE GRADUAL *Psalm lv. 23, 17, 19. Tone V.*



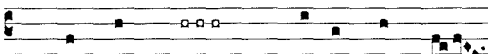
O cast thy burden • up-on the Lord:



and • he shall nou-rish thee.



When I called upon the Lord, • he heard my voice:

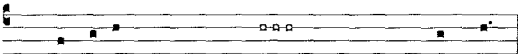


from the battle that • was a-against me.

THE ALLELUIA. *Psalm vii. 12. Tone VI.*



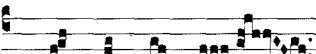
Al - le - lu - ia. R. Al - le - lu - ia.



God is a righteous Judge, strong and • pa-tient:



and God is pro-vok-ed ev-ery day.



Al - le - lu - ia.

## THE HOLY GOSPEL *St. Luke xv. 1-10.*

At that time: There drew near unto him all the Publicans and sinners for to hear him. And the Pharisees and Scribes murmured, saying: This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them. And he spake this parable unto them, saying: What man of you, having an hundred sheep: if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it? And when he hath found it, he layeth it on his shoulders, rejoicing: and when he cometh home, he calleth together his friends and neighbours, saying unto them: Rejoice with me; for I have found my sheep which was lost. I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance. Either what woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it? And when she hath found it, she calleth her friends and her neighbours together, saying: Rejoice with me, for I have found the piece which I had lost. Likewise, I say unto you: There is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth.



℞ o-ver one sin•ner that re-pent-eth.

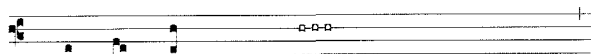
## POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

We beseech thee, O Lord, that we who have received these holy mysteries may by their power be cleansed from all our iniquities, and evermore be filled with the bounteous gifts of thy grace. Through.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Hymn	1940 - 9
The Introit	<i>Bulletin</i>
Collect for Purity	<i>BCP. 67</i>
Kyrie eleison:	1940 - 702
Gloria:	1940 - 707
Collect of the Day	<i>Bulletin</i>
The Lesson	<i>Bulletin</i>
The Gradual	<i>Bulletin</i>
The Alleluia	<i>Bulletin</i>
The Holy Gospel	<i>Bulletin</i>
Nicene Creed:	<i>St. A - 370</i>
Blessings, Notices, Sermon	
The Offertory	<i>Bulletin</i>
Offertory:	"It Is A Good Thing" - Bourne
Doxology:	1940 - 139
The Secret	
Prayer for the Church	<i>BCP. 74</i>
The Invitation	<i>BCP. 75</i>
The Preface	<i>BCP. 76</i>
Sanctus / Benedictus:	1940 - 796
Canon	<i>BCP. 80-81.</i>
Our Father:	1940 - 722
Agnus Dei:	1940 - 706
Prayer of Humble Access	<i>BCP. 82</i>
The Communion	<i>Bulletin</i>
Communion Hymns:	1940: 345i, 199ii, 203
Post Communion Prayers	<i>Bulletin</i>
Thanksgiving Collect	<i>BCP. 83</i>
Dismissal & Blessing	
Closing Hymn:	1940 - 312i

## THE OFFERTORY. *Psalm ix. 10-12. Tone II*



℞ They that know thy Name will put their trust in thee:



℞ for thou, Lord, hast never fail•ed them that seek thee:



℞ O praise the Lord, which dwelleth in Sion:

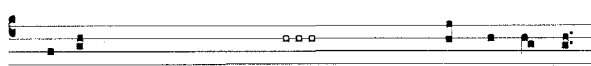


℞ for he forgetteth not the • com-plaint of the poor.

## THE SECRET

SANCTIFY, O Lord, we beseech thee, the gifts which we offer unto thee: that they may be made unto us the Body and Blood of thine only-begotten Son: Who liveth.

## THE COMMUNION. *Luke xv. 10. Tone I.*



℞ I say unto you,

There is joy in the presence of the • An-gels of God:

SOYO will be holding the following meetings after the 10 o'clock service. Please see Mandi, Katie or Sarah for more information. 1) July 20 SOYO advisors will meet with the parents of the teens. Come learn more about SOYO, planned activities, and ways parents may contribute. This is also a time that parents may voice any concerns and offer ideas. We welcome any suggestions; 2) July 27 SOYO will hold annual elections for the executive committee. An executive board meeting will follow; 3) August 3 SOYO will hold its first meeting of the new year. The agenda will include planning activities for the year so it is important to have a good turnout and participation from every member.

Please, sign the "get well" card for *Laura Graham*. She has been in the hospital. See Sr. Sophia for more information.

The *St. Elizabeth Guild* has mapped the areas of town where parishioners live. We would like an individual or two to volunteer to be the contact person for each area. The map is on display in the parish hall.

There will be an *Orthodox Food Festival* celebrating the 110th Anniversary of the Holy Transfiguration Cathedral in Globeville next Saturday, July 19th from 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. There will be Live Music & Dancing, International Crafts & Gifts, Iconography Exhibition, and Tours of the Historical Cathedral. For more information, please see flyer or call 303-294-0938.

There will be a All Day Pan-Orthodox picnic at the *Agia Anna's Shrine* in the mountains on Saturday, July 28th. See flyer or call Fr. Christodoulas at 303-316-7407 for more information.

The St. Mark's Churchwomen will be offering a *Progressive fund-raiser Dinner on August 2nd*. Carol & Ken, Dana & Guy, and Debbie & John will be hosting this fun event. The way this dinner will work is that you will start at Ken & Carol McCabe's home in Castle Rock around 3:00. While watching Ken's "Garden Railroad" train circle the back yard, you will be served drinks and tasty appetizers. Then you will drive to Dana & Guy Huft's Franktown home arriving at 5:00 for Beef Brisket and BBQ Chicken with salads and an assortment of side dishes. This will be a great time for fellowship. The last stop of the evening, will be at Debbie & John St. Clair's lovely home in Castle Rock where you will be served coffee and dessert. The cost is Adults \$8, Teens/Children \$5, and Family Rate \$25. Fr. John and Mat. Deborah will each be driving a van to the dinner. If you need a ride, please meet at the Church at 2:30 p.m. We need a head count, so please sign up if you plan to make a night of it. Tickets are available today!

Earlier that day, the *Mothers Against Drunk Drivers* invites our Church parish to "Walk like Madd to eliminate Drunk Driving!" This event is on Saturday morning, August 2nd at Sloan's Lake Park. (7:30 Registration, 8:30 Ceremonies, 9:00 Race Starts) Join our team for a fun-filled day. If you are interested in registering as a walker and or want to donate, please sign up in the Sanctuary or contact Mary Rench. The proceeds will be used for MADD's programs and services.

*IOCC International Orthodox Christian Charities* will have their 5th Annual Bike Ride/Walk on Saturday, August 16th at 9 a.m. at E. B.Rains Jr. Memorial Park in Northglenn. The proceeds will provide food and shelter to thousands of people throughout the world. For more information please see flyer in parish hall or call Dino at 303-520-8826.

**Save the Date : BISHOP BASIL** will be coming to Denver on SATURDAY September 27th. We have been invited to join in a Deanery picnic between 10 AM & 7 PM at Clement Park. Each Parish or Mission will provide an entree for the event and members of each parish will be asked to bring a salad, side dish, or a dessert. It should be a special event!

Rosalind, the chairman, of this event is planning a meeting at St. Elias on Tuesday, July 29th at 7 PM to coordinate the churches. They want one representative from each parish to attend. Do we have a parishioner who lives in or around Aravada who can represent St. Mark's at the meeting?

*Fr. Luke Uhl* and *Presbyteria Ruth* are planning another fantastic trip to Greece and Constantinople in the Fall. The dates of the trip are Oct. 27 - Nov. 8th. Please see their web-site [www.denver.goarch.org](http://www.denver.goarch.org) or speak to Presbyteria Ruth for more information.

*OCMC* will be having a weekend retreat on "The Bible and Evangelism" on August 29 to September 1 in beautiful Santa Barbara. The speakers will be Fr. Gillquist, Fr. Braun, and Fr. Suciui. The cost is around \$400. Please, see flyer in parish hall.

The *new Old and New Testament Study Bible* is available from the St. Mark's Bookstore for \$47.00.

Thanks to Fr. Theodore Eklund for serving the 8 o'clock Mass & preaching today. He and Mat. Susan are here visiting relatives this week. They serve St. Vincent's in Omaha.

WEDNESDAY, MATINS 7 AM, MASS 7:30 AM, MASS 12:00 NOON, EVENSONG 5PM  
THURSDAY : MATINS 7 AM, MASS 7:30 AM, EVESONG 5  
FRIDAY, MATINS 7 AM, MASS 7:30 AM, EVENSONG 5PM  
SATURDAY : ROSARY 8 AM, MATINS 8:30 AM, LATIN MASS 9:00 AM, BOOK STUDY 10 AM, EVENSONG 5 PM