



SAINT MARK'S CHURCH

An Antiochian Orthodox Parish in the Western Rite Tradition

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CHRIST THE KING 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. The Solemn Mass begins at 10:00 o'clock. All are invited to join us in the Parish Hall for refreshments after the Liturgies.

The St. Mark's Churchwomen will be having a *Fundraiser Octoberfest Luncheon* at 11:30 a.m. today. Thanks to *Mary Rench, Debbie St. Clair, and Carol McCabe* for hosting the event. The Churchwomen will offer a choice of two tasty entree 1.) *Brat & Sauerkraut* with an assortment of tasty side dishes and 2.) *All-American Hot Dog* with all the fixings along with side dishes. (baked beans & potato salad) Both menu choices will come with a selection of delicious desserts.

The cost of the Meal is Adults \$7.00, Teens \$3.00, Children \$2.00 and Toddlers under 3 is \$1.00. Please make your checks payable to the St. Mark's Churchwomen. (Children need to be accompanied by their parents before getting into the food line) See Debbie or Mary if you have any questions. As always please move through the line quickly and take your time eating. When everyone has been served including the hostess, we will let you know when you may come back for seconds. The luncheon will take the place of the social hour.

Thanks to the following ladies who brought a side dishes, salads, or a desserts: Laurie Baker, Matushka Deborah Connely, Tanya Diederich, Dana Huft, Tricia Langon making her special German potato salad, Joe Mahan, Carol McCabe, Kathryn Reeves, Mary Rench, Shirley Riemensnider, Sr. Sophia Roe, Lisa Taylor, Tracy Ryan, Debbie St. Clair, and others.

Acolyte training rehearsals will be (around 12:30) after the Churchwomen's Octoberfest luncheon. Subdn. John Brainerd will be your instructor. Males who serve at the Altar must attend this class!

Thanks to *Patricia Meeks and Jim & Gretchen Haskins* for last weeks delicious social hour refreshments. Those St. Mark's parishioners who will be celebrating *November Birthdays* are Sarah Meghan Banta, Louise Connely, Dottie Eklund, Michel Heneen, Ann & Kim Herrell, Emily Huft, Bill Matsch, Subdn. Kent Prose, Tracy, Luke, & Russell Ryan, Stuart Steffen, Edie Stout, Adam Surber, Warner Weiss, and Andrew Woolley...many years!

Thanks to all the nice folks who plan to sign up to bring refreshments for the social hour on any open Sunday during the month of November. Also, if those folks as well as anyone else who has a few extra minutes, we could use your help with the clean up in the aftermath of both the social hours. We have openings for snacks at the 9:00 and 11:30 social hours for the next two weeks.

October is "*Teen Youth Month*". Please, see Mandi and Katie, Teen Advisors, to learn more about their many activities. Thanks to *Sarah Greenlee and Ross Herrell* for being our Teen Greeters and for their help with the Alms collection today. The SOYO Teens will sing the "Offertory Hymn" this morning at the 10:00 Mass. The *SOYO executive board* will be discussing some of their upcoming events and service projects sometime after the 10:00 Mass today.

The *Altar Flowers* are given in loving memory of dear friend *George Lycas* by Jim and Gretchen Haskins. Rest eternal grant unto him.

Thanks to *Jennifer Bierbauer* for baking the "bread of hospitality" this morning and for last weeks too.

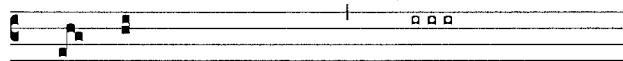
Thanks to *Mary Gay Coit* for her teachings on the Saints at the Adult Sunday School, today. On Sunday, November 2nd the Elementary and Teen Sunday School Class will meet in the Parish hall with the Adult class to play "Name that Saint." The scholars will be divided into two groups and there will be a quiz prepared by the Elementary class and given by Kim and Ann Herrell to the faithful. This mental exercise should be fun and interactive.

26 October 2008

THE FEAST OF OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST THE KING

THE INTROIT.

Dignus est Agnus. Revelation v. 12; i. 6. Tone VII.



∇ *Wor-thy is the Lamb
that was slain to receive power and*

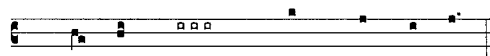


∇ *riches and wisdom and • strength and hon-our:*

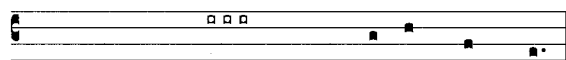


℞ To Him be glory and
dominion for • ev-er and ev-er.

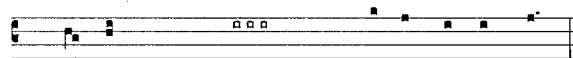
§ *Psalm lxxii. 1.*



∇ *Give the King Thy • judge-ments, O God:*



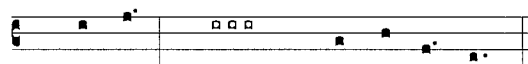
℞ and Thy righteousness un•to the King's Son.



∇ *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 §.

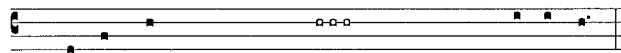
COLLECT OF THE DAY

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who in thy beloved Son, the King of all, hast willed to make all things new: mercifully grant that all the kindreds of the nations, now divided by the wounds of sin, may be made subject to his most gracious governance. Who liveth and reigneth with thee, &c. Amen.

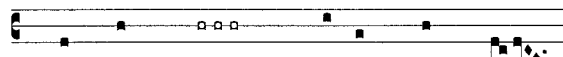
THE LESSON. *Colossians i, 12-20.*

BRETHREN: We give thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the Saints in light: who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son: in whom we have redemption through his Blood, even the forgiveness of sins: who is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of every creature: for by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by him, and for him: and he is before all things, and by him all things consist. And he is the head of the Body, the Church: who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead; that in all things he might have the pre-eminence. For it pleased the Father that in him should all fulness dwell; and, having made peace through the Blood of his Cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

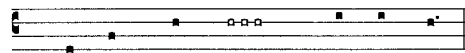
THE GRADUAL *Psalm lxxii. 8, 11. Tone V.*



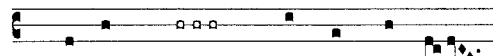
∇ *His do-min-ion shall be
from the one sea to • the o-ther:*



℞ and from the flood un•to the world's end.



∇ *All kings shall fall down • be-fore Him:*

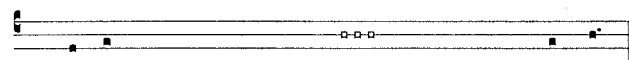


℞ All na-tions shall • do Him ser-vice.

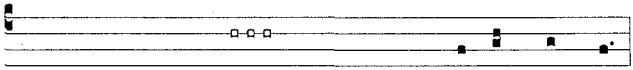
THE ALLELUIA. *Daniel vii. 14. Tone VI.*



∇ *Al-le-lu-ia.* ℞ Al - le - lu - ia.



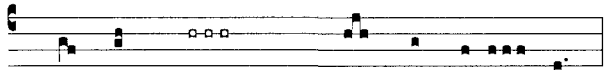
∇ *His do-minion is an everlasting dominion,
which shall not pass • a-way:*



℞ and His kingdom that which shall not • be de-destroy-ed.



℞ Al - le - lu - ia.



℞ the Lord shall give His people • the bless-ing of peace.

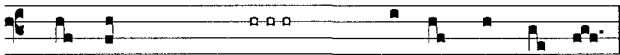
THE HOLY GOSPEL *St. John xviii. 33-37.*

AT that time: Pilate said unto Jesus: Art thou the King of the Jews? Jesus answered him, Sayest thou this thing of thyself, or did others tell it thee of me? Pilate answered, Am I a Jew? Thine own nation and the chief priests have delivered thee unto me: what hast thou done? Jesus answered, My kingdom is not of this world: if my kingdom were of this world, then would my servants fight, that I should not be delivered to the Jews: but now is my kingdom not from hence. Pilate therefore said unto him, Art thou a king then? Jesus answered, Thou sayest that I am a king. To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth. Every one that is of the truth heareth my voice. *The Creed is chanted.*

THE OFFERTORY. *Psalm ii. 8. Tone II*



℞ *De-sire of me, and I shall give thee the heathen • for thine in-her-i-tance:*

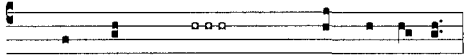


℞ and the utmost parts of the earth • for thy pos-ses-sion.

THE SECRET

We offer unto thee, O Lord, the victim who wrought the redemption of mankind: grant, we beseech thee; that he, whom we offer in this present sacrifice, may himself grant unto all nations the gifts of unity and peace, even Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord. Who liveth,&c.Through.

THE COMMUNION. *Psalm xxix. 10-11. Tone I.*



℞ *The Lord remaineth a • King for ev-er:*

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

O Lord, who hast bestowed on us the food of everlasting life, we beseech thee, that as we now glory to fight beneath the banner of Christ the King, so with him enthroned in heaven, we may hereafter continually reign. Who liveth, &c.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Hymn	1940 - 545i
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 & 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:	"TBA" - Youth Choir
Doxology:	1940 - 139
The Secret	
Prayer for the Church	<i>BCP. 74</i>
The Invitation & The Preface	<i>BCP. 75-76</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 - 283, 291, 387
Post Communion Prayers	<i>Bulletin</i>
Thanksgiving Collect	<i>BCP. 83</i>
Dismissal & Blessing	
Closing Hymn:	1940 - 544

Thanks to *Laurie Baker, Mat. Deborah, and Fr. John* for their work on the parish directory last week. We need the Herrell family and the Prose family to have their pictures taken again. You both looked fabulous, however we are having some formatting issues so we need to redo them. Now that most of the photos have been organized in the directory, we now need someone who can volunteer to "fine tune" the photos. See Matushka Deborah if you can help. Also, has anyone changed their emails or anything else in the last two months? The committee will need to know.

Mrs. Dianna Cate and Mrs. Tamara McCrossen have started a Children's Bell Choir class. Please check with them to see whether they will meet today. Other activities and rehearsal times are posted on the Children's classroom doors.

Looking ahead: We will need children to participate in the St. Nicholas pageant which will be on Sunday, December 7th. The rehearsals will begin Sunday, November 9th, so you need to be thinking whether or not this is something that you would be interested in doing.

Thanks to *Susan Mahan* for putting out pamphlets and a sign up sheet about the prices and selections of fresh evergreens that the Churchwomen are selling. Please feel free to take a pamphlet to share at your work. She will be taking orders for swags, wreaths, and garlands for the next few weeks.

Thanks to *Kit Brown* for being our contact person for the Women's Bean Soup Project. They have delicious soups and an assortment of other tasty foods such as salsa, corn bread, and brownies just to mention a few. These and other products will be available through Kit Brown once a month. She has catalogs and order forms in the parish kitchen. If you have any question, Kit will be happy to speak with you and help you with your orders.

Thanks to Dn. John Woolley, Patricia Meeks, Tanya & Andrew Diederich, and Oliver Brainerd and others for proof reading the Liturgical text that Fr. John is putting together for a more traditional book of common prayer. He ordered several copies of the Second draft last week. If you would like to help with the proof reading, please find out from Fr. John how to get a copy.

Thanks to ? for serving in the nursery today. The nursery is located downstairs in the North East corner of the parish hall. We need more volunteers to sign up to help.

This will be the last week that we will be taking donations to the Seminary fund and the Special Olympics fund. The Archdiocese has requested that St. Mark's earmark \$250 for the Seminary Fund.

Thanks to Fr. John for building the new bookcases in the back storage room. This will free up space for more books that are coming soon. There is a devotional pocket book, St Ambrose Prayer Book and, Deo volente, a traditional BCP.

We welcome back *Dana Huft* today. She has been recovery from back surgery. She thanks all those who prayed and called her during her illness.

EWTN will airing this evening the special "*Into the Silence*" about Carthusian monks who live under a rule of silence. It comes highly recommended by Sr. Sophia.

There will be a *Sts. Simon & Jude the Apostles* Mass at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 28th and an *All Saints Day* Mass at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 1st.

The St. Mark's Churchwomen will be selling *King Sooper gift cards* on the first Sunday of November. If you would like to order one, please see Jane Long and or Pamela Slettum for more information. The cards can be used for groceries, gas, and prescriptions.

Fr. Lester Bundy, retired professor at Regis College, will be offering a new class "*Christ and the Eternal Tao*" beginning on Tuesday, November 11th at 7:00 p.m. There will be four talks given at St. Mark's thorough December 2nd.

Please, pick up the October *Lion* newsletter, *the Credo*, and the *Ember Tidings* in the narthex.

If you have a notice for the *Sunday bulletin*, please get them in by Friday at noon. You may call Matushka Deborah at 303-753-6548 or e-mail her at matushka.deborah@gmail.com. with your notice.

For Sale: \$200 Black leather jacket (Large) with tags for only \$50.00.

Due to the many political calls, Matushka has stopped answering her telephone. Please, leave a message and she will get back with you later. She doesn't know why all these folks have to spend their money calling her since the real issue is to simply vote for those candidates who value Life!

If you cannot even get born alive, what other rights have any meaning? What kind of choice is that? Get ready for a new government that will make Comrades Lenin and Stalin look like boy scouts at summer camp. Time to get real folks.

TUESDAY, SS SIMON & JUDE MATINS 9:30, MASS 10:00

WEDNESDAY, MATINS 7, MASS 7:30, 12:00 NOON

THURSDAY MATINS 7, MASS 7:30

FRIDAY, MATINS 7 AM, MASS 7:30 AM, EP 5:00 PM

SATURDAY ALL SAINTS : ROSARY 8:00 AM, MATINS 8:30, MASS 9:00 EVENSONG 5:30 PM