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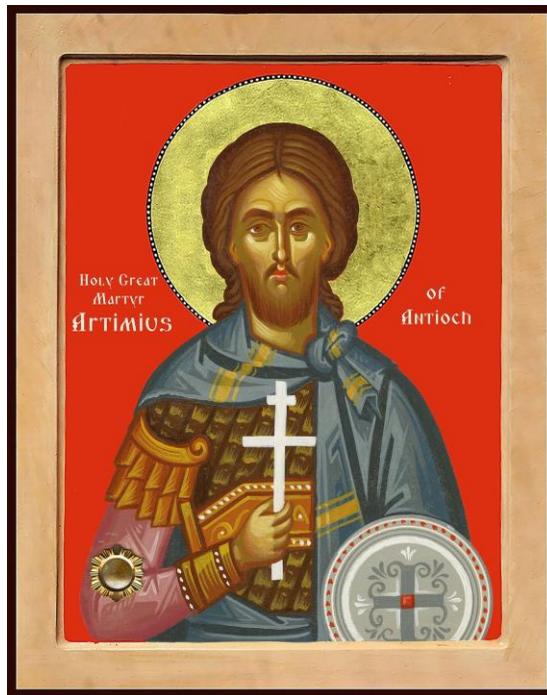
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## **DIVINE LITURGY - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2019; TONE 1 / EOTHINON 7; EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST & SIXTH SUNDAY OF LUKE GREAT-MARTYR ARTEMIUS AT ANTIOCH**

**VENERABLE GERASIMOS THE NEW ASCETIC OF KEPHALLENIA; VENERABLE MATRONA OF CHIOS**



### **THE FIRST ANTIPHON**

+ *It is good to give praise unto the Lord, and to chant unto Thy Name, O Most High.*

**Refrain:** Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us.

+ *To proclaim in the morning Thy mercy, and Thy truth by night. (Refrain)*

+ *Upright is the Lord our God, and there is no unrighteousness in Him. (Refrain)*

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; both now and ever and unto ages of ages.  
Amen. (Refrain)

### THE SECOND ANTIPHON

+ *The Lord is King, He is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength and hath girt Himself.*

**Refrain:** O Son of God, Who art risen from the dead, save us who sing unto Thee, Alleluia.

+ *For He established the world which shall not be shaken. (Refrain)*

+ *Holiness becometh Thy house, O Lord, unto length of days. (Refrain)*

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; both now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

### HYMN OF ST. JUSTINIAN

Only Begotten Son and Word of God, who art immortal, Thou didst take on Thee for our salvation to be incarnate of the Holy Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary and without change was made man, and was crucified also, O Christ our God, and by Thy death hast death subdued. Who art one of the Holy Trinity, glorified with the Father and the Holy Spirit: O save, O save us.

### THIRD ANTIPHON: APOLYTIKION OF THE RESURRECTION IN TONE ONE

+ *Come, let us rejoice in the Lord, let us shout with jubilation unto God our Saviour.*

**Refrain:** While the stone was sealed by the Jews, and the soldiers were guarding Thy most pure body, Thou didst arise on the third day, O Savior, granting life to the world. For which cause the heavenly powers cried aloud unto Thee, O giver of life. Glory to Thy Resurrection, O Christ, glory to Thy kingdom, glory to Thy providence, O Thou Who alone art the lover of mankind.

### THE EISODIKON (ENTRANCE HYMN)

Come, let us worship and fall down before Christ. O Son of God, who art risen from the dead, save us who sing unto thee: Alleluia.

### APOLYTIKION OF THE RESURRECTION IN TONE ONE

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### APOLYTIKION OF ST. ARTEMIUS THE GREAT-MARTYR IN TONE FOUR (\*\*Be quick to anticipate\*\*)

Thy Martyr, O Lord, in his courageous contest for Thee \* received as the prize the crowns of incorruption and life from Thee, our immortal God. \* For since he possessed Thy strength, he cast down the tyrants \* and wholly destroyed the demons' strengthless presumption. \* O Christ God, by his prayers, save our souls, since Thou art merciful.

### APOLYTIKION OF ST. ANNA, Righteous Ancestor of God, Mother of the Theotokos:

O godly minded Anna, thou didst give birth unto God's pure mother who conceived Him Who is our Life. Wherefore, thou hast now passed with joy to thy heavenly rest, wherein is the abode of them that rejoice in glory; and thou askest forgiveness of sins for them that honor thee with love, O ever blessed one.

### ORDINARY KONTAKION IN TONE TWO

O undisputed intercessor of Christians, the Mediatrix who is unrejected by the Creator. Turn not away from the voice of our petitions, though we be sinners. Come to us with aid in time, who cry unto thee in

faith, for thou art good. Hasten to us with intercessions, O Theotokos, who dost ever intercede for those who honor thee.

### TRISAGION HYMN

**People:** *(sung)* Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal: have mercy on us. *(three times)*  
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. *Amen.*  
Holy Immortal: have mercy on us.

**Deacon:** *With Strength!*

**People:** Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal: have mercy on us.

### ~THE NEW TESTAMENT READINGS~

#### THE EPISTLE (For the Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost)

**Deacon:** *Let us attend.*

**Reader:** Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us. Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous.

**Deacon:** *Wisdom.*

**Reader:** **The Reading from the Second Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians. (9:6-11)**

**Deacon:** *Let us attend.*

**Reader:** Brethren, he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that you may always have enough of everything and may provide in abundance for every good work. As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever." He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your resources and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for great generosity, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God.

### ALLELUIA

**People:** Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

**Reader:** *O God, Who givest avengement unto me and hast subdued peoples under me.*

**People:** Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

**Reader:** *It is He that magnifieth the salvation of His king and worketh mercy for His anointed, for David, and his seed unto eternity.*

**People:** Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

#### THE GOSPEL (For the Sixth Sunday of Luke)

**Deacon:** *Wisdom. Stand upright. Let us hear the Holy Gospel.*

**Priest:** *Peace be to all.*

**People:** And to thy spirit.

**Deacon:** **The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (8:26-39)**

**People:** Glory to thee, O Lord, Glory to thee.

**Deacon:** *Let us attend.*

At that time, Jesus arrived at the country of the Gadarenes, which is opposite Galilee. And as He stepped out on land, there met Him a man from the city who had demons; for a long time he had worn no clothes, and he lived not in a house but among the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before him, and said with a loud voice, "What hast Thou to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beseech Thee, do not torment me." For Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. [For many a time it had seized him; he was kept under guard, and bound with chains and fetters,

but he broke the bonds and was driven by the demon into the desert.] Jesus then asked him, “What is your name?” And he said, “Legion”; for many demons had entered him. And they begged Jesus not to command them to depart into the abyss. Now a large herd of swine was feeding there on the hillside; and they begged Jesus to let them enter these. So He gave them leave. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned. When the herdsmen saw what had happened, they fled, and told it in the city and in the country. Then people went out to see what had happened, and they came to Jesus, and found the man from whom the demons had gone, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. And those who had seen it told them how he who had been possessed with demons was healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gadarenes asked Jesus to depart from them; for they were seized with great fear; so He got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with Jesus; but Jesus sent him away, saying, “Return to your home, and declare all that God has done for you.” And he went away, proclaiming throughout the whole city all that Jesus had done for him.

**People:** Glory to thee, O Lord, Glory to thee.

### **CHERUBIC HYMN**

We who mystically represent the cherubim, and who sing to the life-giving Trinity the thrice holy hymn, let us now lay aside all earthly cares, that we may receive the King on all who comes invisibly up borne by the angelic host. *Alleluia.*

### **THE NICENE CREED**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the Only-begotten, Begotten of the Father before all worlds, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, Begotten, not made; of one essence with the Father, by whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; And ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of the Father; And He shall come again with glory to judge the quick and the dead, Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, Who spake by the Prophets; And I believe in One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins. I look for the Resurrection of the dead. And the Life of the world to come. *Amen.*

### **MEGALYNARION IT IS TRULY MEET**

It is truly meet, it is truly meet, to call thee Blessed, Lady Theotokos. Lady ever-greatly blessed, and most perfect in innocence, and Mother of our God. Lady more precious than the cherubim and more glorious beyond all measure than the seraphim, who without corruption gavest birth to God the Word and art truly Theotokos, we magnify Thee, we magnify Thee.

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

### **PRE-COMMUNION PRAYER – A PRAYER OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**

I believe, O Lord, and I confess that thou art truly the Christ, the Son of the living God, who didst come into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief. And I believe that this is truly thine own immaculate Body, and that this is truly thine own precious Blood. Wherefore I pray thee, have mercy upon me and forgive my transgressions both voluntary and involuntary, of word and of deed, of knowledge and of ignorance; and make me worthy to partake without condemnation of thine immaculate Mysteries, unto remission of my sins and unto life everlasting. *Amen.*

Of thy Mystic Supper, O Son of God, accept me today as a communicant: for I will not speak of thy Mystery to thine enemies, neither will I give thee a kiss as did Judas; but like the thief will I confess thee: Remember me, O Lord, in thy Kingdom. Not unto judgment nor unto condemnation be my partaking of thy Holy Mysteries, O Lord, but unto the healing of soul and body.

### **THE COMMUNION HYMN - KOINONIKON – Psalm 148:1-4**

**Refrain:** Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest.

1). *Praise Him, all ye His Angels; praise Him, all ye His hosts. (Refrain)*

2). *Praise Him, O sun and moon; praise Him, all ye stars and light. (Refrain)*

3). *Praise Him, ye heavens of heavens, and thou water that art above the heavens. (Refrain)*

*Alleluia.*

**Deacon:** *With the fear of God and faith and love, draw near.*

**People:** Blessed is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord. God is the Lord and hath appeared unto us.

### **THE PEOPLE'S COMMUNION HYMN**

Receive me today, O Son of God, as partaker of Thy mystical supper; for I will not speak, for I will not speak of Thy mystery to Thine enemies, neither will I give Thee a kiss as did Judas; but like the thief will I confess Thee. Remember me, O Lord, remember me, O Lord, in Thy Kingdom.

### **POST-COMMUNION HYMN**

We have seen the true light we have received the heavenly Spirit. We have found the true faith worshipping the Trinity, undivided, who hath saved us.

### **LET OUR MOUTHS BE FILLED**

Let our mouths be filled with Thy praise, O Lord that we may sing of Thy glory. For Thou hast made us worthy to partake of Thy holy, divine, immortal, and life creating mysteries. Keep us in Thy holiness that all the day we may meditate upon Thy righteousness. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

## **St. Anna Orthodox Christian Church Announcements**

**Welcome to our Visitors** – We're glad you're here! Please join us after the morning services for Coffee Hour so we can meet you and know you better.

**Receiving Holy Communion** unites us with Our Lord Jesus Christ, His unoriginated Father, the Holy Spirit, our Bishop and the Church, both in heaven and on earth. To commune signifies a commitment to Holy Orthodox Christianity and that all communicants share this common Apostolic Faith. As such, only those who are members in good standing of the Holy Orthodox Christian Church and who have prepared themselves through prayer, fasting and regular confession may receive the Eucharist. All those present today, including non-Orthodox, are invited to receive the Blessed Bread as a sign of our friendship.

### **UPCOMING SERVICES:**

**Sun, Oct. 20** – Orthros (9AM), Divine Liturgy (10AM)  
**Sat, Oct 26** - Great Vespers (5PM)  
**Sun, Oct 27** - Orthros (9am), Typika w/Reserve Sacrament (10am)

**PROSPHORA (Holy Bread Baking):**

**Sun, Oct. 20** – Ben & Hannah Kelley (B)  
**Sun, Oct 27** – Julie Dumond (F)

**ACOLYTES:**

Ben, Andrew, Kellen & Kanen  
NA

**EPISTLE READER:**

**Sun, Oct. 20** – Ben Kelley  
**Sun, Oct 27** – John Meese

**GREETER(S):**

Basil Derryberry & Rick Tweten  
Andrew & Lilly Webster

**CHURCH CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE:**

**Sun, Oct. 20** – B & H Kelley, G & H Kelley  
**Sun, Oct 27** – J & R Meese, Rose Family

**FELLOWSHIP HOUR FOOD:**

Weaver Family, Hathaway Family  
J & R Meese, Rose Family

**TODAY – SOYO Special Olympics Offering Collected** – See the announcement at the back of the bulletin.

**TODAY - Ladies October Luncheon** – Sunday, October 20th at 12:30 at Lisa Trimble's home (720 Lookout Drive, Columbia, TN. 38401) Nursing infants only, please. All women of the church (18 and older) are invited.

**First Annual Parish Assembly – NEXT Sunday**, October 27 – Immediately following Typika, 11:30am.

**St. Anna Men's Night Out** – Thursday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 6pm at Puckett's Grocery & Restaurant (15 Public Square, Columbia, TN 38401) All men of the church (18 and older) and your guests are invited.

**St. Ignatius Women's Retreat** – November 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> - See announcement at the back of the bulletin.

**St. Anna Ladies Luncheon with Abbess Aemiliane** – Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 at Sh. Belinda Short's home (2935 Burtonwood Dr, Spring Hill, TN 37174). Mother Aemiliane is the Abbess at the Sacred Monastery of St. Nina in Union Bridge, MD founded in 2012. A BBQ lunch will be provided. (\$10 per person) All women of the church (18 and older) and your guests are invited. Nursing infants only, please. Please RSVP to BelindaJShort@Gmail.com or (615) 500-5051.

**ST. ANNA PRAYER REQUESTS: (Please send additions to this Prayer List to: DnAndrewShort@Gmail.com)**

- Building Renovation - Please pray for all of those involved with the build-out plans for our building.
- Lieutenants John and Jackie Hathaway - Kevin and Laura's son and daughter-in-law
- John & Rachel Meese - Expecting baby in November
- Grant & Hannah Kelley - Expecting baby in December
- Anthony & Danielle Thomas – Expecting baby in January
- BJ & Anna Rose – Expecting baby in February
- Fr. Kent McCaffrey & family (friends of the Webster's)
- Joan Miller (Julie Dumond's mother)
- Mark Dumond (Julie's husband)
- Melody Reddecopp (Anna Rose's friend)
- Jordan Reesor (Basil's nephew)
- Anna Derryberry-Carter (Basil's sister)
- Jayne Robbins
- Rita Trimble
- Audrey Mallory
- Robert Meese
- Robbie Derryberry (Basil's brother)
- Jen Bailey

☧ *Holy Righteous Ancestor of God, Anna, pray for us.* ☧

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**Register Now!**  
**St. Ignatius Annual Women's Retreat**  
**"Resting in the Love of Christ"**

Featuring:  
**Abbess Aemiliane**  
of the Sacred Monastery of St. Nina  
[www.saintnina-monastery.org](http://www.saintnina-monastery.org)

**November 8<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
Friday evening and all-day Saturday  
Heavy snacks Friday evening, 3 meals\* included Saturday

**St. Ignatius Orthodox Christian Church**  
3535 St. Ignatius Ln, Franklin, TN 37064

**\$65 registration to Sh. Belinda**  
Check payable to "St. Ignatius" or  
Venmo payment to @awretreat2019

**\$55 if not staying for dinner Saturday evening**  
\*Gluten free? - please indicate with registration



*The Women of St. Anna  
Orthodox Christian Church*

*Luncheon with  
Abbess Aemiliane*

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# *Special Olympics* AWARENESS DAY

As NAC Teen SOYO prepares to sponsor the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Special Olympics Sports Camp; we ask that you be generous in helping our teens in this ministry. Approximately 300 athletes and coaches participate in our camp each year. Teen SOYO members come from all over North America to volunteer their time, to reach out to others, and fulfill the Gospel: "Inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me." (Matthew 25:40)



**Saint Genevieve**  
January 3 • 3 janvier

"By thine abundant tears thou didst water and make fertile the desert of barren hearts; and by thy prayers and sighings thou hast borne fruit a hundredfold. Intercede for thy city, O Saint Genevieve, and for those who with love venerate thy holy memory."

«Tes larmes abondantes ont arrosé et fécondé le désert des cœurs stériles; tes prières et tes soupirs ont produit des fruits au centuple. Prie pour ta cité, ô sainte Geneviève, et pour ceux qui vénèrent avec amour ta sainte mémoire.»

Special Olympics Awareness Day is your opportunity to support this ministry and enrich the lives of our teens who participate in helping others. Your generosity makes this ministry possible.



Today, our teens will request your financial donations to enable them to sponsor the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Special Olympics Sports Camp, which will be held at the Antiochian Village, in the summer of 2020.

As an expression of gratitude for your support of this ministry, you will receive an icon of Saint Genevieve of Paris.

Thank you for your financial support.

Please make checks payable to your local teen SOYO group.

For More Information: <https://teensoyo.org/special-olympics>  
For online donations: <https://teensoyo.org/product/donate>