All Saints 1st Sunday after Pentecost

Heb. 11:33-12:2 Matt. 10:32-33; 37-38; 19:27-30

Homíly by Subdn. Tím Mellor

Epistle Reader: Russell Clodfelter

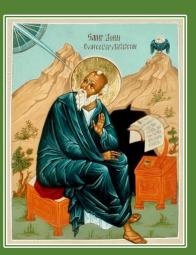
Coffee Hour Hosts: Arnold / Klatt

St. John Orthodox Cathedral

Weekly Bulletin



Sunday, June 15, 2025 And the Days Following



O Apostle John, speaker of Deity, the beloved of Christ our God, hasten to deliver your people powerless in speech, for He on Whose bosom you lean accepts you as an intercessor. Beseech Him, therefore, to disperse the darkness of ignorance and pray for peace and great mercies to be shown upon us.

Feast Days and Services

The Apostles Fast Monday, June 15 through June 28

This fasting season varies in length because it extends from the Monday after All Sains following Pentecost up to the Feast of the Saints Peter and Paul on June 29, from which it derives its name.

Parish Events and News



Funeral For Harold Everette Davis – This Saturday, June 14

Visitation - 11:00am Funeral - 12:00 noon

Mercy Meal in church basement - following the burial in our church cemetery

Mercy Meal

Jane Lamb will be coordinating the Mercy Meal, with Jennifer Gillquist. Please bring sandwiches, fruit or vegetable plates or dessert. You can contact Jane at 907-862-3701.



Coffee Hour This Sunday - June 15, 2025 Group C - Third Sunday of the Month

Hosts Families: Arnold / Klatt

Snacks: Arnold, Curry, Dunham, Fisher, Greene, Hanna, Hawi, Hunter, E & H Johnson, Kelly, Kendall, Labrecque, Medders Families, Okuley, Polson, Saur, Scherer, Sparks, Stiehr, Temple Families, Wasile

Next Sunday - Group D - June 22, 2-25 - Fasting Day - Hosts: E & H Johnson, N. Temple

Snacks: Alexander, Arvidson, Clement, Clodfelter, Cowan, Dougherty, Fr. M & Kh. B Dunaway, Dyal, Fletes, Haines, Goetz, Hightower, B & M Johnson, Jones, Kies, Lamb, Mee, Moses, Palmer, Parker, Ray, Snider, Stogsdill, I. Temple, Terrell, Van Dyke, Webster



Wedding of
Arianna Stallman
and
Brandon Weaver
Friday, June 20 at 2:00pm
Celebration Drinks to Follow

We are looking for clothes steamers. If you have any to loan, contact Arianna Stallman.

Bulletin Announcements – Needed Early for Next Week

Please send in your announcements early this week – as the bulletin will come out early on Thursday, rather than Friday. Thank You!

Send announcements to cathedral@stjohnalaska.org.

EAGLE RIVER INSTITUTE OF ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN STUDIES



The Sacrament of Daily Life

Dr. Philip Mamalakis



"Remembering all these things" Trauma and Healing as Mystery

Nicole Roccas, PhD

Save the Date: August 1-5, 2025

The Eagle River Institute is sponsored annually by the members of Saint John Cathedral to provide a forum for Orthodox scholars to address lay people on topics relevant to everyday, Christian life. The Institute also contributes to the greater, educational needs of the Church by publishing its lectures as podcasts.

Visit <u>eagleriverinstitute.org</u> for more details, registration, and schedule.

Notes and Pictures from Parishioners

"Checking In" with Each Other

Is there something you'd like to share? Please email cathedral@stjohnalaska.org

Tonight... Aloha Potluck for Lily Cowan Friday June 13 at Keith and Anna Haley's

Friday, June 13 at Keith and Anna Haley's RSVP to 907-444-1992





Congratulations to the Alexanders

Rose Marian Alexander (3) 6/12/25, 11:46am, 7 lb 10 oz

Everyone is doing great!





Interested in Offering Feedback on Poetry and Prose?

Allison Boyd Justus is preparing a manuscript for potential publication and would like to build a team of interested "beta readers" - people who can read and offer feedback on selections of poetry and prose over the coming months. Subject matter includes perspectives of women in scripture and in modern church environments (Protestant and Orthodox), unheard voices, faith and doubt, and theology/spirituality pertaining to non-human creation. Commitment will be manageable (perhaps 1-3 poems at a time), and schedule logistics will be determined once we have a group together. Please let Allison know by the end of the month if you're interested! 931-265-4356 / alliboyd@gmail.com

Update on Helen Gillquist

Helen and I are home from her testing in Seattle - you may check out her Caring Bridge page for updates. Thank you for your prayers and encouragement. Helen will stay with us for a week before going back to her apartment. I am looking for someone to be with her so I can go to appointments for myself and for some respite (run errands etc.) it would be good to set up a visitation schedule while she continues to recover at her home. Please contact me if you are willing to help. - Jennifer Gillquist

Dates to Remember

Birthdays This Week

June 15 - Daniel Kies

June 17 - Lori Mellor

June 17 - Wade Hattenburg

June 18 - Sylvia Okuley

June 20 - Judi Hoyt

June 20 - Caleb Bower

June 21 - Alex Temple

June 22 - Sydney Ihde

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Anniversaries This Week

Dwight & Debbie Stallman - June 18, 1983 Allison & Roy Justus - June 20, 2014

MANY YEARS!



Remembering in Prayer...

Oksana Artz Helen Gillquist Sylvía Villafana

We continue to pray for all those suffering in Ukraine and for all those suffering in Israel and Gaza, for a quick end to war and for peace

Remembering Those Who Have Fallen Asleep This Month



- * Harold Everette Davis June 4, 2025
- * Miranda Marie Kelly June 8, 1984
- * Kh. Esther Lois Sparks June 18, 2012
- * Rosalie Ann Zink June 21, 2000
- * Ruth McLean French June 24, 1984
- * Andrew Kenneth Davis June 25, 2022
- * Brenda Joy Davis June 28, 1994

MEMORY ETERNAL!

Clare House Meal - 4th Saturday of Each Month

For the Month of **June** – our scheduled meal that we provide Clare House is: **Saturday, June 28**. Contact Cara Fletes to see how you can help.





Glorification of St. Olga of Alaska Read more HERE

Fr. Marc and Kh. Betsy will be attending her glorification in Kwethluk, Alaska from June 19-20.

THE SYNAXARION

All Saints – 1st Sunday after Pentecost



On June 15, in the Holy Orthodox Church, we commemorate the Holy Prophet Amos; Apostles Achaikos, Stephen and Fortunatos of the Seventy; Venerable Jerome of Bethlehem and Augustine, bishop of Hippo; Jonah, metropolitan of Moscow; and Martyr Lazarus, the Serbian prince.

On this day, the Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate the Feast of All Saints who shone forth throughout the whole world, North and South, East and West.

Verses

All the friends and followers of the Lord do we praise.

Though we cannot mention them all, they will all be remembered.

David the Prophet and king, who revered the beloved of God, and respected them because of his great piety, said in the Psalms, "How precious are Thy beloved unto me, O God." And the Apostle Paul, in his Epistle to the Hebrews, recounted the lives of the saints, when he wrote, "Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us." Therefore, as Orthodox Christians, we honor the beloved saints of God, respecting them as keepers of God's commandments, shining examples of virtue and benefactors of humanity. We commemorate all the holy ones every year on this day, as the list of saints ever increases, even though some of their names escape us. Nevertheless, we honor them for their piety and strive to imitate their good works.

By the intercessions of Your immaculate Mother, O Christ God, and of all Your Saints from all ages, have mercy and save us, since You alone are good and the Lover of mankind. Amen.

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