March 10th, 2024 Sunday of the Last Judgement (Meat Fare)

As we enter the Church let us pray..... I will come into Thy House In the multitude of Thy mercy; And in Thy fear I will worship toward Thy Holy Temple.

Resurrectional Apolytikion – Tone 7

Thou didst shatter death by Thy Cross, Thou didst open paradise to the thief; Thou didst turn the sadness of the ointment-bearing women into joy. And didst bid Thine Apostles proclaim a warning, that Thou hast risen O Christ, granting to the world the Great Mercy.

Apolytikion of St. John Chrysostom - Tone 8

Grace shining forth from your lips like a beacon has enlightened the universe. It has shown to the world the riches of poverty. It has revealed to us the heights of humility. Teaching us by your words, O Father John Chrysostom, intercede before the Word, Christ our God, to save our souls!

Kontakion of the Last Judgement (Meat Fare) - Tone 1

When thou comest, O God, to earth with glory, and all creatures tremble before thee, and the river of fire floweth before the Altar, and the books are opened and sins revealed, deliver me then from that unquenchable fire and make me worthy to stand at thy right hand, O righteous Judge.

SYNAXARION

On March 10 in the Holy Orthodox Church, we commemorate Martyr Kodratos of Corinth and his five companions; and Anastasia the patrician of Alexandria.

Today, we commemorate the Second and impartial Coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is the Sunday of the Last Judgment—known also as Meat Fare Sunday—the lesson of which occurs in today's Holy Gospel. Jesus illustrates to us God's ineffable goodness and His great love for mankind. And so lest some who are lazy should loiter and spend the time appropriate to their salvation in the pursuit of sin, and be suddenly overtaken by death, the divine Fathers decree that on this day the remembrance of the Second Appearance of Christ may be celebrated. The intention is to remind them that, as God is good and loving to mankind, He is also a very righteous Judge Who recompenses each according to his deeds. Our Lord teaches us that when we minister to our brother or sister, we really minister to Him. This brings us righteousness and life eternal.

By Thine ineffable love for mankind, O Christ God, make us worthy of Thy devoted voice, number us among Thy righteous ones and have mercy on us. Amen.

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His Eminence Metropolitan SABA, Metropolitan of New York and North America His Grace Bishop Thomas, Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Charleston, Oakland and the Mid-Atlantic The V. Rev. Peter Pier, Pastor

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The Inquirer's Class – will meet today, Sunday, March 10th, following the Divine Liturgy. These classes are for those studying the Orthodox Christian Faith, and those wishing to deepen their understanding of the Faith. All are welcome.

Weis and Giant Grocery Gift Cards – are available for purchase. You pay the face amount of the card and the church receives 5% of the value of the card. Please see Marjorie Barrett after any Divine Liturgy to purchase a card. Purchases benefit the general fund of St. John Chrysostom Church.

<u>Attendance Last Sunday</u> 205 <u>Operating Fund Offering Received</u>: \$7,879.50 Amount Needed Each Week To Meet Operating Fund Budget: \$7,443.00

Church Calendar

- March 10 8:50 am Orthros. 10:00 am Divine Liturgy. SCS. Inquirer's Class. Parish Council.
- March 11 7:00 pm Book Study: <u>Money and Salvation</u>.
- March 12 9:00 am Third Hour and Play and Pray.
- March 13 6:00 pm Daily Vespers.
- March 14 6:00 pm Men's Fellowship @ Starview Brewers 224 Locust Street Columbia, PA.
- March 16 6:00 pm Great Vespers.
- March 17 8:50 am Orthros. 10:00 am Divine Liturgy. Forgiveness Vespers.

Remember In Your Prayers

Before they call I will answer, while they are yet speaking I will hear" (Is. 65:24)

The Living – for their health &wellbeing	Leavitt "George" Keener
Metropolitan SABA	Mary Jane Glagola
Bishop Thomas	Norm "Nourhan" and Eva "Marie" Kailian
Denise Zakula	Nicholas Raptapolus
Olena Bassarab	Walter and Mary Damm
Jayme Miller	Donnell Gregory and Mary "Rebecca" Beck
Matthew Miller	Michael Bogosh
Officer Jamie Miller	Christos Tsakiris
Joyce "Kassiane" Williams	Harry and Grace Dorion
Michael Acierno	Marianne Rupp and Mary Bincarowsky
Jerry "David" Desautels	Gene "Paul" Strayer
Christopher Reese	Katherine Monsour
Beverly Kushner	George and Darla Feeser
Michelle Prince	Cindi "Monica" Bennett
Richard "Stephen" Vangel	Mary Kopey
Joshua "John" Ranck	Martha Allen
Ronna "Sophia" Castle	Mary Lou Grove
Kera McBurnett	Melinda "Magdalena" Stika
Arlene "Éirene" Maisch	James Fetter
Christine Bogosh	Andrew Himes
Sasha Florenz	Patty May
Andrew Kurtz	Julie Acierno
	Vincent Michael Terzano-Borovic
The Departed – Memory Eternal!	Steven Smith
Metropolitan PHILIP	Edward Boner
Bishop Antoun	Cheryl "Alexandra" Bury
Priest Boniface Black	Thomas Lehman
Helen Diamond	Barry "John" Hart
Angela Burke	Angela Pandelidis

Kathryn Velen

Karl and Nancy Usner

Wayne "Stephen" Coleson Georgette Habib Soliman Joseph Danyo