

Parish Announcements - Sunday, June 23, 2024

Announcement requests (due by Monday at noon) may be sent via email to saintnicholasar@gmail.com

Schedule of Liturgical Services & Activities	
Sunday, June 23 <i>(Great Feast of Pentecost)</i>	9:00a Festal Orthros 10:00a Festal Liturgy followed by Festal Potluck Fellowship & Garden Sale 1:00p Great Vespers w/ Rite of Kneeling Prayers
Tuesday, June 25	9:30a Youth Summer Gathering
Wednesday, June 26	6:00p Vespers
Friday, June 28	9:30a Bible Study 6:00p Akathist <i>(Feast of Ss. Peter & Paul)</i> 6:30p Going Away Party for the Strickland Family
Saturday, June 29 <i>(Holy Apostles Peter & Paul)</i>	5:00p Great Vespers
Sunday, June 30 <i>(Synaxis of the Holy Apostles)</i>	9:00a Orthros 10:00a Divine Liturgy followed by Fellowship

Weekly Offering during the Divine Liturgy

Each Sunday during the Divine Liturgy, we pass baskets as an opportunity for ALL those present to support the ministry offered by our parish community. To contribute electronically via PayPal, please access the QR Code. Many thanks!



Great Feast of Pentecost & Festal Potluck - TODAY, Sunday, June 23

Regular schedule of services TODAY for the Great Feast of Pentecost with the addition of Kneeling Vespers at 1:00p. Join us for our Festal Parish Potluck during Fellowship TODAY. Wear green for Pentecost during this week. There is no fasting during the Week of Pentecost!

Garden Sale (Rescheduled) - TODAY, Sunday, June 23

Join us after Liturgy on the back porch of the parish house on June 23 for our annual church garden sale! We will have plants and more available to help fund our garden project and cleanup this year! If you would like to donate anything for the sale, or would like to join the garden club, contact Ciera Nelson (409-256-5685).

Paschal Appeal - New Church Chairs

It is a pious practice to offer an additional donation during the Paschal season for the needs of the parish community. We ask that donations be offered for the expenses of our NEW church chairs for the nave and overflow area. This will cost approx. \$10,000 - a big expense, but a great upgrade for our worship space!

We've collected \$3,500 thus far - help us reach our goal! THANK YOU!



**Akathist Service for the Feast
of Ss. Peter & Paul – Friday, June 28**

Join us for an akathist service for the Feast of the Holy Apostles Peter and Paul on Friday, June 28 at 6:00p.

**Birthday & (sadly) Going away celebration for
the Stricklands – Friday, June 28**

Join us on Friday, June 28 to celebrate Scott and Janna's 40th and the Strickland's farewell. Take the chance to celebrate their achievements, express appreciation, and wish them well for the future. **The party will start at 6:30p.** We'll have pizza, an ice cream bar, and drinks (feel free to BYOB). We will offer an akathist service prior to this gathering at 6:00p. *Contact Rebecca Troy with any questions and to RSVP: 657-275-4432.*

2024	Names of Host	Commemoration
Jun 23	Parish Festal Potluck	<i>PENTECOST</i>
Jun 30	IN NEED OF HOST	
Jul 7	IN NEED OF HOST	
Jul 14	IN NEED OF HOST	
Jul 21	IN NEED OF HOST	
Jul 28	IN NEED OF HOST	
Aug 4 <i>(fast)</i>	IN NEED OF HOST	

**Hosts NEEDED for Fellowship on Sundays; contact
Denise King (DL0118@yahoo.com OR 501.442.8460) to sign up.**

Parish Baseball Game Outing – Monday, July 1

Let's go to a baseball game! We are attending the Northwest Arkansas Naturals game on **Monday, July 1 at 7:05p.** The ballpark is across I-49 from the church. **Group tickets are ONLY \$10 (including fees).** If interested in attending, please contact Steve Rieger (479-295-0418 or sriege1@msn.com) so we can secure a group rate and seating.

Antiochian Men



Our next 2 men's breakfasts will occur on July 13th and August 17th. Both will take place at the parish house next to the church and will start at 9:00 am. These are potluck breakfasts, so everyone is encouraged to bring some food to share. We are in need of volunteers for several things including (1) organizing large fundraising events for our parish, (2) helping with lawn care on the church property, (3) managing the church website, and (4) assisting with live streaming the services. Please reach out to Michael Baclig at (479) 372-7097 if you are interested in volunteering to help with any of these needs. We are also still collecting voluntary dues for our AMEN Chapter. Dues are \$10 per person and can be paid using the donation envelopes in the narthex of the church or via PayPal using this QR code.

Bible Study – Fridays in June & July

We will continue with our study of the Gospel of Matthew on Friday mornings in June & July. Morning Prayers at 9:30a followed by our Bible Study.

Those Celebrating in June – God Grant You Many Years!

Birthday

Philip Nelson – Jun 1	Alexandria Pangere – Jun 19
Paul Nevill – Jun 2	Caleb Mackey – Jun 21
Daniel King – Jun 3	Abigail Bliss – Jun 26
Mike LeGare – Jun 5	Seth Wilson – Jun 28
Aethan Waters – Jun 6	Pat Teague – Jun 30
Olivia Rhodes – Jun 7	

Wedding Anniversary

Michael & Elizabeth Baclig – Jun 10
 Philip & Ciera Nelson – Jun 10
 Steve & Tina Rieger – Jun 12
 Sean & Carrie Scarce – Jun 13
 Nikifor & Megan Paunov – Jun 14
 Mark & Denise King – Jun 18
 Jeff & Ollina Jenkins – Jun 21

Name's Day

Nikifor Paunov (St. Nikephoros) – Jun 2	Denise King (St. Joanna) – Jun 27
Kevin Scherer (St. Kevin) – Jun 3	SoonMee Townsley (St. Joanna) – Jun 27
Gretchen Baclig (St. Martha) – Jun 4	Fr. Paul Fuller (Apostle Paul) – Jun 29
Don Lourie (Apostle Barnabas) – Jun 11	Gary Wheeler (Apostle Peter) – Jun 29
Judah Strickland (Apostle Jude) – Jun 19	