



Ss. Peter & Paul Orthodox Church
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JULY 26, 2020 / SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (TONE 6)

TODAY'S SAINTS

St. Jacob Netsvetov, Enlightener of the Alaskan Peoples; Hieromartyrs Hermolaus, Hermippus, and Hermocrates of Nicomedia; Martyr Parasceva of Rome; St. Moses the Hungarian, of the Kiev-Caves; St. Pastor (brother of Pope Pius I); Martyrs Symphronius, Olympius, Theodulus, and Exuperia of Rome; St. Valens, Bishop of Verona; St. Simeon of Mantua

RESURRECTIONAL TROPARION IN TONE SIX

The Angelic Powers were at Thy tomb; / the guards became as dead men. / Mary stood by Thy grave, / seeking Thy most pure body. / Thou didst capture hell not being tempted by it. / Thou didst come to the Virgin, granting life. / O Lord, Who didst rise from the dead, // glory to Thee.

TROPARION OF ST. JACOB NETSVETOV IN TONE FOUR

Righteous Father Jacob, / adornment of Atka and the Yukon Delta, / offspring of Russian America, / flower of brotherly unity, / healer of sickness, / and terror of demons, / you offered yourself as a living sacrifice / to bring light to a searching people. // Pray to Christ God that our souls may be saved!

- *Now sing the troparion of Ss. Peter and Paul*
- *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

RESURRECTIONAL KONTAKION IN TONE SIX

When Christ God the Giver of Life, / raised all of the dead from the valleys of misery with His mighty hand, / He bestowed resurrection on the human race. // He is the Savior of all, the Resurrection, the Life, and the God of all.

PROKEIMENON IN TONE SIX

O Lord, save Thy people, / and bless Thine inheritance!
v. To Thee, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me!

THE EPISTLE

The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Romans (15:1-7)

Brethren, we who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves; let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to edify him. For Christ did not please himself; but, as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached thee fell on me." For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with

Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Welcome one another, therefore, as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

ALLELUIA IN TONE SIX

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

v. He who dwelleth in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the heavenly God.

v. He will say to the Lord: "My Protector and my Refuge; my God, in Whom I trust."

THE GOSPEL

The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew (9:27-35)

And as Jesus passed on from there, two blind men followed him, crying aloud, "Have mercy on us, Son of David." When he entered the house, the blind men came to him; and Jesus said to them, "Do you believe that I am able to do this?" They said to him, "Yes, Lord." Then he touched their eyes, saying, "According to your faith be it done to you." And their eyes were opened. And Jesus sternly charged them, "See that no one knows it." But they went away and spread his fame through all that district. As they were going away, behold, a dumb demoniac was brought to him. And when the demon had been cast out, the dumb man spoke; and the crowds marveled, saying, "Never was anything like this seen in Israel." But the Pharisees said, "He casts out demons by the prince of demons. And Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every disease and every infirmity.

COMMUNION HYMNS

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance. He shall not fear evil tidings. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

TODAY'S SPECIAL OFFERINGS

Altar Vigils offered by Tais Fedetz in memory of Matushka Geraldine Fedetz and Archpriest Nicholas Fedetz (anniversaries of repose on 7/30/2004 and 1/1/2005, respectively). **Sanctuary Lamp** offered by John and Helen Wanko in memory of Rose Brelinsky (anniversary of repose). **St. Nicholas Cross** offered by Tais Fedetz in memory of all reposed members of the Fedetz and Shevchuk families.

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES

5:00 PM (Saturday) – Great Vespers

8:50 AM (Sunday) – Third Hour

9:00 AM (Sunday) – Divine Liturgy

"It is only with the heart that one can see rightly; what is essential is invisible to the eye."
—*The Little Prince* by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry (1900-1944)



Family Retreat Week

Aug 3 – 7 (Monday-Friday)

Socially distanced multiple family get-togethers, which includes indoor dorm-style accommodations, meals, chapel services, religious education for both children and parents, horse stable visit, kayaking, swimming, games, sports, campfires, and a visit from our Archbishop Michael.

Can't get away for a week? Consider this new offering!

Family Retreat Weekend

July 31-Aug 2 (Friday-Sunday)

Socially distanced multiple family get-togethers, which includes indoor dorm-style accommodations, meals, chapel services, religious education for both children and parents, kayaking, swimming, games, sports, and campfires.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO REGISTER!

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