SAINT MARY ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH



Sunday, November 1, 2020

Holy Unmercenaries Cosmas & Damian of Asia

THE EPISTLE

In the saints that are in His earth hath the Lord been wondrous.

I beheld the Lord ever before me.

The Reading from the First Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians. (12:27-13:8)

Brethren, you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the Church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then workers of miracles, then healers, helpers, administrators, speakers in various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak with tongues? Do all interpret? But earnestly desire the higher gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way. If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. If I give away all I have, and if I deliver my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing. Love is patient and kind; love is not jealous or boastful; it is not arrogant or rude. Love does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrong, but rejoices in the right. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends.

THE GOSPEL

The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (16:19-31)

The Lord said, "There was a rich man, who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, full of sores, who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table; moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried; and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead."

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RESURRECTION APOLYTIKION: Tone 4

Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel the women disciples of the Lord cast from them their parental condemnation. And proudly broke the news to the Disciples, saying: Death hath been spoiled; Christ God is risen, granting the world Great Mercy.

APOLYTIKION OF SS. COSMAS AND DAMIAN OF ASIA: TONE 8

O ye silver-hating, wonderworking saints, Cosmas and Damian, visit our sicknesses. Freely ye received, freely give unto us.

TROPARION OF THE DORMITION: Tone 1

In giving birth, Thou didst keep Thy virginity and in thy repose, Thou didst not forsake the world, O Theotokos, for Thou art the mother of life, and Thou didst pass over into life; and through thy intercession from death Thou dost redeem our souls.

ORDINARY KONTAKION: Tone 2

O protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the Creator most constant, O despise not the suppliant voices of those who have sinned; but be thou quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession, and speed thou to make supplication, thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.

Arabic Liturgy

Arabic Liturgy is being offered the first Saturday of each month at 6:00 P.M. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Bazaar/Food Fair 2020)
Bulk Order	

Order#	

Name:	 	 	
Phone #:			

Item	Price	Quantity	Subtotal
Kibbee – 24 ct.	\$50.00		
Sfeeha – dozen	\$36.00		
Grape Leaves – 100 ct.	\$50.00		
Grape Leaves - 25 ct.	\$12.50		
5 Kabobs @ 3oz each	\$15.00		
Homemade Cheese	\$6.00 / ball		

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St. Mary Bazaar/Food Fair November 7th & 8th, 2020 Middle Eastern Pastry

Order #		

Item #	Item	Price	Quantity	Subtotal
1	Namoura	6 for \$12.00 12 for \$24.00		
2	Mamool Date	6 for \$12.00 12 for \$24.00		
3	Graybee	6 for \$12.00		
4	Baklawa – Rolled (Walnuts)	4 for \$10.00		
5	Baklawa – Rolled (Pistachio)	4 for \$15.00		
6	Kaak- Braids	\$12.00 dozen		

Order Total:	
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One-Year Memorial Service



A One-Year Memorial Service is being offered for the servant of God, (in Loving Memory of our Beloved husband, father and jiddo) Steven W. Kilsey and is being offered by Patricia Kilsey, Melissa Kilsey, Melanie, Patrick & Esma Merner, Steven, Missy, Benjamin & Theodore Kilsey

May God grant him peace and may his memory be eternal.

PRAYERS ARE BEING OFFERED FOR GOOD HEALTH AND BLESSING OF:

Kevin Hashway Mark Hashway

Offered by: Elaine Wilbur

Victoria & Albert Hallal Offered by: Ron Hallal

Josephine Karam Mother Xenia Minihan Ed Betor

Offered by: Elie, Julia & Naji Karam

Ron Hallal

Offered by: Rhonda Hallal, Bob Lienert, Hanna & Emma, Sharyn Hallal, Keith & Maria Hallal, Isabel & Matthew

Patricia Kilsey & Family Elaine Wilbur

Offered by: Nabil & Salwa Khoury

Patricia Kilsey & Family

Offered by: Susan Warzycha & Family

Patricia Kilsey & Family

Elaine Wilbur

Offered by: Walid & Mirna Nakhoul

Pat & Melissa Kilsey

Offered by: Philip & Bette Ayoub
Philip G. Ayoub

Steven & Melissa Kilsey & Family Offered by: Philip & Bette Ayoub Philip G. Ayoub

Patrick & Melanie Merner & Family Offered by: Philip & Bette Ayoub Philip G. Ayoub Patricia Kilsey & Family Offered by: Nora Abdelahad Elaine Agaty Sandra Matook

Patti Kilsey & Family Tom Trabulsi David Trabulsi & Family Offered by: Ray & Leila Trabulsi

Patricia Kilsey & Family Offered by: Samy & Helen Morcos

Patricia Kilsey, her children & grandchildren

Elaine Wilbur Lorice Hallal

Albert & Vickie Hallal Offered by: Elaine Gauthier

Patricia Kilsey & Family Offered by: Bob & Christine Briggs Mary Jane, Vanessa & Claudine Wehbe

Patricia Kilsey & Family Offered by: Barbara Samra

Patricia Kilsey & Family Offered by: Sandra Conca

Patricia Kilsey Melissa Kilsey

Patrick, Melanie & Esma Merner

Elaine Wilbur Al & Vicki Hallal

Steven, Missy, Benjamin & Theodore Kilsey

Offered by: Joe & Marlene Samra

Patricia Kilsey Melissa Kilsey

Patrick, Melanie & Esma Merner Steven, Missy, Benjamin & Theodore Kilsey

Offered by: Lorice Hallal

PRAYERS ARE BEING OFFERED FOR GOOD HEALTH AND BLESSING OF:

Donnie, Lauren, Dan, Liz & Sarah Offered by Cindy Hayes

Mary Massiwer & Family
Maureen, Paul & Mary Gurghigian
Mary, Bill, Bill & Jon Franklin
Diane Andrew & Paul Burnier
Laura, Jim & Noelle Arrighi
John & Patricia Massiwer
Al & Vicki Hallal & Family
Marilyn Flanders & Family
Patricia Kilsey & Family
Offered by Cindy Hayes & Family



Patty Kilsey & Family Amen & Family, Fred & Family Jeffrey & Joyce Elaine Gauthier & Family Offered by: Elaine Swistak

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Janice Hallal

Offered by: Her Loving Husband Ron

Fred Hashway Jr. Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Elaine Wilbur

George & Jeannette Arees

Richard Arees Sara Patzelt Rebecca Wylie

Offered by: George & Andrew Arees

Steven W. Kilsey

Offered by: Audrey & Wayne Kilsey

Fred Slemon Sr.

Offered by: Donna, Christina, Ellen, Fred & Families

Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Nabil & Salwa Khoury

Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Walid & Mirna Nakhoul

Steven Kilsey

Offered by: Alice Maurice, Mark Rigby & Family

Mary Samra Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Lorice Hallal

Steven Kilsey

Offered by: Šusan Warzycha & Family

Steven Kilsey

Offered by: Philip & Bette Ayoub Philip G. Ayoub

Steven Kilsey

Offered by: Nora Abdelahad

Elaine Agaty Sandra Matook

Steve Kilsey Helen Haddad Janice Hallal Leon & Lily Hattab Basses & Valentine Trabulsi Offered by: Ray & Leila Trabulsi

Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Samy & Helen Morcos

Ronald Gauthier Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Elaine Gauthier

Steve Kilsey

Offered by: Bob & Christine Briggs Mary Jane, Vanessa & Claudine Wehbe

Steven Kilsey

Offered by: Barbara Samra

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Offered by: Sandra Conca

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Offered by: Joe & Marlene Samra

St. Mary Bazaar / Food Fair Menu Saturday & Sunday

November 7th & 8th, 2020

Order#	

Item #	Item	Price	Quantity	Subtotal
1	Combo Plate: 1 Sfeeha, 1 Kibbee, 5 Grape Leaves, Rice, Syrian Bread, Yogurt	\$15.00		
2	Kabab Combo: 2 Kababs, 1 Kibbee, 5 Grape Leaves, Rice, Syrian Bread	\$15.00		
3	Kibbee Plate: 3 Kibbees, Rice, Green Beans, Syrian Bread, Yogurt	\$14.00		
4	Kabab Plate: 4 Kababs, Rice, Green Beans, Syrian Bread	\$14.00		
5	Sfeeha Plate: 2 Sfeehas, Rice, Yogurt	\$12.00		
6	Hummus and Syrian Bread	\$4.00		
7	Zaatar	\$4.00		
8	Alfonso Olives:	\$5.00/pint \$10/quart		
9	Cashews Jumbo: Salted/unsalted	\$10 Package		
10	Pickle Turnip	\$5.00/ pint \$10.00 quart		

THE SYNAXARION (Plain Reading)

On November 1 in the Holy Orthodox Church we commemorate the holy and wonderworking Unmercenaries Cosmas and Damian, the sons of Theodota of Asia.

Verses

The two Unmercenaries, from earth departed, Yet again, as before, fill the earth with wonders. November first they flew from earth, O healing Light.

The brothers were from Mesopotamia in Asia Minor. After the death of their pagan father, their Christ-loving mother Theodota reared them in piety and in all manner of virtue, and had them instructed in every science, especially that of medicine. This became their vocation, and they went about healing every illness and malady, bestowing healing freely on both men and beasts alike; because of this, Cosmas and Damian are called "Unmercenaries." They fulfilled Christ's command: "Freely have ye received; freely give" (Matthew 10:8). And thus, having completed the course of their life, they reposed in peace. Even after their deaths, Cosmas and Damian worked healing miracles for all who called upon their names.

On this day, we also commemorate the Venerable-martyr James and his disciples James the deacon and Dionysios of Prodromou Skete on Athos; and Venerable David of Evia in Greece.

By their intercessions, O Christ God, have mercy upon us. Amen.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Steven Kilsey

Offered by: George & Lois Kilsey & Family

Steve Kilsey

Offered by: David Maurice

Don Hayes,
John Massiwer
Tom Andrew
David Pearson
Steve Kilsey
Offered by Cindy Hayes & Family



Offered by: Mary Massiwer & Family

Steve W. Kilsey Ronnie Gauthier

Offered by: Elaine Swistak



The Teens are beginning the food drive to pass out Thanksgiving baskets to families in need this holiday season, this is especially important this year. Please help our neighbors in need.

Canned foods/non-perishables can be left in the church hall, if you would like to send a check instead, please put 'thanksgiving baskets' on the memo line and either mail to church, put in tray or give to Elijah or Andrea Vollendorf. Thank you for all your support!!!



Sunday, November 1st: Sunday of Comas & Damian of Asia

One Year Memorial for Steve W. Kilsey

Saturday, November 7th: 6:00 P.M.-Arabic Liturgy

Bazaar/Food Fair: November 7th & 8th

Sunday, November 8th: Sunday of Archangels Michael & Gabriel

Sunday, November 10th: 7:00 P.M.—Parish Council Meeting

Sunday, November 15th: Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, November 22nd: Twenty–Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, November 29th: Twenty-Fifth Sunday After Pentecost



ST. MARY ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH 40TH ANNUAL BAZAAR / FOOD FAIR

Our menu is the Authentic Middle Eastern Cuisine with all the favorite dishes for you to savor.



Example of our many offerings-Our signature dishes include: Seasoned meat pies (Sfeeha)

Flavorful grape leaves stuffed with American lamb and rice (Yabrac)

Lamb tenderloin seasoned and stuffed with onions and pine nuts (Kibbee)

The selection is wide:

Kabab"Kifta", Zaatar, Authentic Middle Eastern Pastries, Homemade Braided Cheese, and much more.

Our full menu can be found in its entirety by going to: www.stmarypawtucket.org (pre-order online) Heat and Serve for Curbside Pickup

Or order in Person

Saturday, November 7th, from 11:00 am - 9:00 pm Sunday, November 8th, from 11:30 am - 5:00 pm

For more information, please call the church at (401)726-1202 or visit our website at www.stmarypawtucket.org

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His Eminence Metropolitan JOSEPH, Archbishop of New York & Metropolitan of all North America

His Grace Bishop JOHN, Auxiliary and Bishop of the Diocese of Worcester and New England

V. Rev. Father Elie Estephan Cell- 1-(240) 205-9079

Sub-Deacon Emad Amirhom Sub-Deacon Elijah Vollendorf

Schedule of Services

Sunday: Orthros (Matins) 9:00 a.m. Church School 11:15 a.m. Sunday: Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Enter in Quietness, Rest in Prayer, Worship in Reverence, Depart in Peace to Serve

We welcome our Visitors & Guests: Please take a moment to fill out a Visitor Card. We invite you to join us for coffee hour at the Parish Center following Liturgy.

Receiving Communion: Only those Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves may approach the chalice for Holy Communion. Everyone is welcome to partake of the Holy Bread after the Liturgy.



Prayer Line

St. Mary ~ Internet Prayer Line
Prayer requests can be sent to us via the internet at

office@stmarypawtucket.org

All requests must be received by Wednesday noon to be included in that week's bulletin. Any requests received after that time will be included in the following week's bulletin.