

# Saints Peter & Paul Orthodox Catholic Church

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*Welcome to Ss. Peter and Paul's Church of Bayonne, N.J. Our church was founded in 1922 and is a parish of the Orthodox Church in America. We hope that you enjoyed your visit today and, if you are searching for a new spiritual home, we would love for you to become a member of our parish family. To our parishioners here today, thank you for your ongoing participation in our church's worship and ministry.*

### November 4, 2018 – 23rd Sunday after Pentecost (Tone 6)

#### Today's Saints

St. Joannicius the Great; Hieromartyrs Nicander, Bishop of Myra, and Hermas the Presbyter (disciples of Apostle Paul); Martyrs Vitalis and Agricola of Bologna; Ss. Philologus and Patrobas of Rome (disciples of Apostle Paul); St. Modesta of Trier, 1<sup>st</sup> Abbess of Oehren; Hieromartyr Proculus, Bishop of Autun; St. Beornstan, Bishop of Winchester; St. Gregory of Burtscheid

#### Today's Services

5:00 PM (Saturday) – Great Vespers

9:30 AM (Sunday) – Divine Liturgy

#### Today's Divine Liturgy Variables

*See Bulletin Insert for today's Bible readings and other Liturgy variables.*

#### Announcements & Events

- St. Mary's Pasta Dinner/Card Party is today at 12:00 p.m. in St. Mary's church hall. The Carpatho-Rusyn Society's annual Heritage Dinner is today, 12:30-4:30 p.m., at the Russian Hall, 4-6 Woodhull Ave., Little Falls, N.J. Today is the last day of the annual International Festival of St. Anthony's Church in Bergenfield, 12:00-6:00 p.m.
- The Fr. Georges Florovsky Memorial Lecture will be held at Betts Auditorium at Princeton University, Princeton, N.J. on Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018, from 2:00-3:30 PM. Betts Auditorium is located in the Architectural Center at the University. There is no admission fee. See flyer on the church bulletin board.
- The Bayonne "Alpha" chapter of FOCA is having its annual flea market on two Saturdays, November 10 & 17, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., at Ss. Peter & Paul's Church Hall in Bayonne, N.J. Anyone donating items towards the flea market is asked to leave them in the church hall prior to November 10, 2018.
- The Annual Parish Meeting shall be held on Sunday, November 18, 2018 after the 9:30 AM Divine Liturgy.

### Upcoming Services

#### November 10-11, 2018 (Next Weekend)

5:00 PM (Saturday) – Great Vespers

9:30 AM (Sunday) – Divine Liturgy

"If the only prayer you said in your whole life was "thank you" that would suffice."

- Meister Eckhart (c. 1260-1328)

## Divine Liturgy Variables for November 4, 2018 / Tone 6

### 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. JOANNICIUS IN TONE EIGHT

By a flood of tears thou didst make the desert fertile, and thy longing for God hast brought forth fruits in abundance. By the radiance of miracles thou didst illumine the whole universe. // Our Father Joannicius pray to Christ God to save our souls!

### TROPARION OF ST. NICANDER IN TONE FOUR

By sharing in the ways of the Apostles, thou didst become a successor to their throne. Through the practice of virtue, thou didst find the way to divine contemplation, O inspired one of God; by teaching the word of truth without error, thou didst defend the faith, even to the shedding of thy blood. // Hieromartyr Nicander, entreat Christ God to save our souls!

- *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 Ephesians. (2:4-10)**

Brethren: God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

### ALLELUIA IN TONE SIX

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*v. He who dwells 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. Luke. (8:41-56)**

. behold, there came a man named Jairus, and he was a ruler of the synagogue. And he fell down at Jesus' feet and begged Him to come to his house, for he had an only daughter about twelve years of age, and she was dying. But as He went, the multitudes thronged Him. Now a woman, having a flow of blood for twelve years, who had spent all her livelihood on physicians and could not be healed by any, came from behind and touched the border of His garment. And immediately her flow of blood stopped. And Jesus said, "Who touched Me?" When all denied it, Peter and those with him said, "Master, the multitudes throng and press You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?'" But Jesus said, "Somebody touched Me, for I perceived power going out from Me." Now when the woman saw that she was not hidden, she came trembling; and falling down before Him, she declared to Him in the presence of all the people the reason she had touched Him and how she was healed immediately. And He said to her, "Daughter, be of good cheer; your faith has made you well. Go in peace." While He was still speaking, someone came from the ruler of the synagogue's house, saying to him, "Your daughter is dead. Do not trouble the Teacher." But when Jesus heard it, He answered him, saying, "Do not be afraid; only believe, and she will be made well." When He came into the house, He permitted no one to go in except Peter, James, and John, and the father and mother of the girl. Now all wept and mourned for her; but He said, "Do not weep; she is not dead, but

sleeping.” And they ridiculed Him, knowing that she was dead. But He put them all outside, took her by the hand and called, saying, “Little girl, arise.” Then her spirit returned, and she arose immediately. And He commanded that she be given something to eat. And her parents were astonished, but He charged them to tell no one what had happened.

#### COMMUNION HYMN

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Alleluia!