

# ST. GEORGE ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN CATHEDRAL

A parish of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America

*Metropolitan Saba, Primate*

*Archimandrite Calinic Berger, Archiepiscopal Vicar, Diocese of Wichita and Mid-America e-mail:*

Tone 6 **Sunday before Elevation of the Holy Cross** Eoth 4

**WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS AND GUESTS!** Please sign a visitor card on the stand in the narthex and take a visitor packet. Join us following Liturgy in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. A special table for our guests is located near the book kiosk in the northeast corner of the hall.

**RECEIVING COMMUNION** Only those Orthodox Christians who have properly prepared themselves may approach the chalice for Holy Communion, but all are welcome to receive a blessing from the priest and partake of the holy bread at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy.

**September 13, 2026**

**THE BREAD OF OBLATION** is offered by Pat & Judy Stanley, George & Claudia David and Jerry & Dolores David

**TRISAGION PRAYERS OF MERCY** *Phyllis Kamas* (40 days), *Lorise Cohlma* (20 yrs). Memory Eternal!

**MEMORY ETERNAL** *Nina Gavrilovna Guzenkova* (Mother of Veronika Arola). Russia, 9/8.

**HERITAGE SUNDAY DINNER** gathering will be held TODAY immediately following Liturgy. A freewill donation gives you a Lebanese meal and desserts from around the globe.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL begins today** with a welcome assembly. We ask that all registered students proceed to the back of the church for communion, where they will be lined up by grade. Following communion, they will proceed to the gym with their teachers. The assembly will include the distribution of entries and prizes to the students who participated in the Creative Festivals last year, as well as an introduction of our teachers and the Church School Theme for this year - *One Body, One Spirit (I and II Corinthians)*.

**GREAT VESPERS** this evening at 5:00p ***Elevation of the Cross***

## **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

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| <b>Monday, Sep 14</b>    | 8:00a <i>Orthros</i> ; 9:15a <i>Divine Liturgy</i> <b><i>Elevation of the Cross</i></b> ;<br><i>Great Vespers</i> 6:30p |
| <b>Tuesday, Sep 15</b>   | 7:30a <i>Orthros</i> ; 6:45p <i>Daily Vespers</i>                                                                       |
| <b>Wednesday, Sep 16</b> | 6:45p <i>Daily Vespers</i>                                                                                              |
| <b>Thursday, Sep 17</b>  | 6:45p <i>Daily Vespers</i>                                                                                              |
| <b>Friday, Sep 18</b>    | 7:30a <i>Orthros</i>                                                                                                    |
| <b>Saturday, Sep 19</b>  | 5:00p <i>Confessions</i> ; 5:45p <i>9<sup>th</sup> Hour</i> ; 6:00p <i>Great Vespers</i>                                |
| <b>Sunday, Sep 20</b>    | 8:45a <i>Orthros</i> ; 10:00a <i>Divine Liturgy</i> ; Church School                                                     |

## **MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES**

**WEST WICHITA MISSION MEETING** Will be held Monday, September 14 at 6:30pm at Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, 8021 W 21st St N, 67205.

**PARISH COUNCIL** will meet Tuesday, September 15, 7:15p at the Parish House.

**YOUNG ADULT GATHERING** ages 18-35 this Tuesday at Seneca Park for Pickleball, 7:30p after Vespers. See Justin Carlson or Holly Nisly for more information.

**ORTHODOX SPIRITUALITY pt. 2** Catechesis with Fr. Mark concludes Tuesday, September 15, 7:15p.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** is scheduled for Wednesday, September 16, 1:30p at the Parish House, Check WhatsApp for confirmation. Contact Fr. Paul to join WhatsApp group.

**TEEN SOYO** will meet Wednesday, September 16, 7:15p in the Teen Room following Vespers. All 7-12 graders welcome for dinner and fun!

**OUR ANTIOCHIAN HERITAGE** Adult Education series exploring the history and spirituality of the Church of Antioch begins Wednesday, September 16, 7:15p: *The Ancient City of Antioch* by Prof. Jens Kreinath of WSU.

**WOMEN'S FAITH & GROWTH** will meet Thursday, September 17, 7:15p at the Parish House. Rebekah Sturgill will lead the discussion on the book "Thinking Orthodox" by Dr Jeannie Constantinou.

**OCF** will meet Thursday, September 17, 7:15p in the Teen Room. All college students or young adults ages 18-23 are invited.

**TEEN SOYO SERVICE PROJECT** to be held Saturday, September 19 from 8-10:30a serving breakfast to the homeless at St Mary Orthodox Church. Contact Jacob Andrus for more information.

**A CHRISTIAN ENDING: PREPARING FOR THE FINAL JOURNEY** Join us Sept. 19 for a free (offerings accepted) seminar on the Orthodox approach to end-of-life planning, featuring V. Rev. John Reimann. Topics include burial practices, funeral preparation, and estate & legacy planning. Registration is open now on Realm. <https://tinyurl.com/2mr8w5d>

**THE LORD'S DINER** Volunteers are needed Sunday, September 20, from 5-7:30p to help serve. Please contact Pat Milburn for more information.



**CHRIST THE SAVIOR GOLF CLASSIC** Please join us for the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Christ the Savior Academy Golf Classic at Terradyne Country Club on Thursday, September 24. Scan the QR Code for tickets and sponsorship packages. Questions? See Vanessa Farha or Jacob Corbin.

**COMMUNION CLOTH TRAINING** Will be held Sunday, September 27th in the chapel after Divine Liturgy. Any men who would like to help hold the communion cloth during the church school year are welcome to attend. Any questions ask either Subdeacon Athanasios or Subdeacon Euthymios.

**AMEN THEOLOGY GROUP** will meet Thursday, October 1, 7:15p at the Parish House.

## **NOTICES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ATTENDING CATECHESIS?** If you have been attending classes but have not met with Fr. Paul or Fr. Mark, please reach out to one of them by email (addresses are in the masthead on the left). Our practice is to meet with all inquirers, enroll them in our database and distribution lists for notifications.

**KEVIN AYESH PIANO CONCERT** Sunday, September 27, 2pm at Sandzen Gallery, Lindsborg. Selections by Beethoven, Chopin, and Aaron Copland. Free admission. [www.sandzen.org](http://www.sandzen.org)

## **ANNUAL DINNER WORKDAYS**

**Monday, SEP 14, 10:00a** (Kibba) — **Tuesday, SEP 15, 9:00a** (Kibba)  
**Monday, SEP 21, 9:00a** (Baklava) — **Tuesday, SEP 22, 9:00a** (Baklava)

**COUNTRY KITCHEN COUNTDOWN:** Not a baker? You can still help! If you don't have time to bake or cook, consider making a monetary donation to support the Country Kitchen and help us make this our biggest year yet. Every contribution will be put to good use as we work to fill the shelves with even more homemade favorites! Please reach out to Jennifer Sebts or Ashley Mullinex for more details.

## **UPCOMING HOLY BREAD AND COFFEE HOUR OFFERING**

**Sunday Sep 20:** Steve & Missy Cohlma, W.G. & Mallory Farha and Shirley Farha

**Sunday Sep 27:** St Joseph of Arimathea Ministry Group.

**Sunday Oct 4:** **(FOUR Families needed)**

**Sunday Oct 11:** **(FOUR Families needed)**

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| <b>REMEMBER THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES</b> | Simon Abou-Faissal, Brett Butterfield, Alex Cox, Jonathan Dotson, Cameron Hoover, and Mordecai Koduah.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>REMEMBER THOSE SERVING AS MISSIONARIES</b>     | Dana Bates & multi-country IMPACT Program; Floyd & Ancuta Frantz in Romania; The Home of Hope Orphanage in Albania, Gabriela Hoppe & remote work w/ ministries in Albania; SAMP priests in Kenya; Sister Nektaria with orphanages, clinics & high school in Calcutta; Peter & Sharon Georges in Uganda; Project Mexico & St Innocent Orphanage in Tijuana; Metropolitan Neofitos of Eldoret & Northern Kenya, St. Makarios Orphanage of Nyeri, Kenya, Fr. Nicola & St. George Cathedral in Sweida; Fr. Mike Medis & St. Nicholas Mission in Lawrence; Fr. Alexios & Ss. Athanasios & Nicholas Church in Fiji and Fr. Juvenal & the Dormition of the Theotokos Parish in Sao Paolo, Brazil |
| <b>PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER,</b>                 | Joyce Bastow, Michael Bauman, Marsha Bever, David Bridge, Laura Capps, Samir Chahine, Eddie Farha, Michael Alfred Farha, Jenny Gaddis, Courtney Gammon, Tibe Habtemariam, Peter Hudleston, Linda Hull, Paul Jabara, John King family, Patrica Kralicek. Bill Massad, Don Massad, Jan Mattingly, Cheri Maxwell, Verla McCullough, Jett Myers, The Orth Family, Sandra Scott, Bonita Somerhalder, Elias Spencer, Gary & Paul Van Schuyver, Linda Stewart, Nancy Yoder.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |