

GENERAL SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Feast-Day Liturgy at 9:00am

Sunday Liturgy at 10:00am

Vespers Service on Saturdays: 5:00pm

Vespers Service on the eve of a Feast-Day: 5:00pm



Schedule of Upcoming Church Services

Saturday, March 16

Vespers at 5:00pm

Sunday, March 17

Divine Liturgy at 10:00am

WISDOM OF THE HOLY FATHERS

So, being the portion of the Holy God, begin to do all that pertains to holiness, running away from evil words, unclean and shameful relations, drunkenness, passions and innovations, base lusts, defiled adulteries and overweening pride. For it is said: "God resists the proud, but gives grace to the humble" (**I Pet. 5:5**).

So, let us unite ourselves to them to whom grace has been given by God. Let us put on oneness of mind, let us be humble, temperate, far from any cursing or evil speech, making ourselves righteous by deeds and not by words... Let our praise be from God, and not from ourselves. God hates those who praise themselves. Let the witness of our good deeds be given by others.

(**St. Clement of Rome, Corinthians, 30**)

ST. GEORGE THE GREAT MARTYR SERBIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

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March 10, 2024

Sunday of the Last Judgment

Epistle Reading: 1 Cor. 8:8-9,2

Gospel Reading: Matthew 25:31-46

Liturgical Message

Then shall the King say unto them on His right hand, Come, ye blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: for I was hungry, and ye fed Me: I was thirsty, and ye gave Me drink: I was a stranger, and ye took Me in: naked, and ye clothed Me: I was sick, and ye visited Me: I was in prison, and ye came unto Me. Then shall the righteous answer Him, saying, Lord, when saw we Thee hungry, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave Thee drink? When saw we Thee a stranger, and took Thee in? or naked, and clothed Thee? Or when saw we Thee sick, or in prison, and came unto Thee? And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these My brethren, ye have done it unto Me.

He does not give honor or punishment until He has first judged. For He loves mankind and teaches us to do the same as well, not to punish until we have made a careful examination. In this way those *who are punished after the judgement will have no cause for complaint. He calls the saints blessed* as they have been accepted by the Father. He considers them to be inheritors of the kingdom to show that God makes them participants in His own glory as His sons.

For He did not say, "receive", but rather *inherit*, as a man would say of his father's estate. By *the least brethren* He means either His own disciples or, simply, all the poor. For every poor man is Christ's brother for the very reason that Christ, too, spent His life in poverty. See also God's righteousness, how He acclaims the saints; and see the good disposition of their mind, how they deny, with befitting modesty, that they have cared for Him. But the Lord accepts as for Himself the things that were done for the poor.

+Blessed Theophilact of Ochrid

Chicago Deaner Lenten Services

Sunday, March 17, 2024, 6:00pm

Homilist: V. Rev. Radovan Jakovljevic

FORGIVENESS SUNDAY
Lenten Vespers Service
March 17, 2024 at 6:00 pm



St. Sava Church, Merrillville

Dinner Following Vespers

On the evening of the Sunday of Forgiveness the Church conducts the first service of Great Lent, the Vespers of Forgiveness, a service that directs us further on the path of repentance and helps us to acknowledge our need for forgiveness from God and to seek forgiveness from our brothers and sisters in Christ.

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Youth Basketball Practices for SNF Tournament

Sunday, March 10, 2024, from 5:00pm-8:00pm

Clark Middle School

MONTHLY KOLO MEETING

Monday, March 18, 2024

6:00pm (Halls of St. George)

Monday Night Bible Studies

Monday, March 11, 2024, at 7:00pm

Series: Orthodoxy 101

In this series we will cover the basics of Orthodoxy and the important teachings and beliefs of the Orthodox Church.

The Tamburitzens Concert
Sunday, March 24 at 2:00pm
Munster High School

The Tamburitzens return to Munster, IN to premiere their newest show, "Reflections". This 2 hour live stage production features music, song and



dance from cultures around the world. Sitting in a beautiful theatre only an hour outside of Chicago, you can live the shared experience of peoples from thousands of miles away. Your favorite traditions return to stage, including Croatian, Serbian,

Ukrainian, Bulgarian, Hungarian, Armenian, and more along with all the enthralling instruments, entrancing costumes and intricate steps you've come to love from America's Longest Running Live Stage Show. It's Folk - with a Fresh Coat of Paint!

27 Student Performers dance, sing and play their way across the countries of Eastern and Western Europe, entertaining young and old while helping to keep alive the heritages of our shared ancestors.

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