

✂ANNOUNCEMENTS ✂

- **Conflict in the Holy Land & the Ukraine** Please continue to pray for peace in the Ukraine & the Middle East.
- **Coffee Hour** Talk to Gracie if you have questions or to sign up to help.
- **Prospora Sign up** is in the basement. See Fr. Nikolai, if you have questions.
- **Church Garage Sale** October 23, 24, & 25 at the Woynicks. Please deliver your items by October 20.
- **2025 Pledge cards** are available in the Narthex. The cards are due Sunday October 13.

SS. Peter and Paul Greek Food Festival News

Baklava baking:

Friday, October 4 @ 9 AM, Saturday October 5 @10 AM
Sunday, October 6 following liturgy

Festival week:

There will be many opportunities for you help during the week leading up to the Festival. We will be working at the church ALL day Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. If you can't come during those times but would like to help, please talk to Skylar there may other opportunities for you to help.

Donations:

If possible please bring your Craft Booth donations by next Sunday. You can drop off your Baked Goods for the Taverna anytime during Festival Week. Please have them at the church before 11:00 on Saturday Oct. 12.

Signs:

We still have few more signs available. (Check with Joleen, Anna or Skylar if you need a frame.)

Fliers:

Fliers for the Festival in the Narthex. Please pass them out and encourage you friends and family to attend the festival.

Preorders:

Pre-orders are due **TODAY September 29**. You can place your order until **Midnight September 29** online @ peterandpaul.net

Notice: Sunday services are streamed on our YouTube page. Following services they are edited down to only the homily and do not remain up on the internet. You may appear in the live stream while it is active but the video will not remain on the internet.

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September 29, 2024

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS:

Our usual Sunday service is the Divine Liturgy. While all are welcome to attend this service, we ask that you refrain from coming to receive Holy Communion unless you are of the Orthodox Faith and have properly prepared through prayer, fasting and the Sacrament of Confession.

Tuesday Oct. 1	6:00 PM	Akathist at St. Mary Magdalene Manhattan
Wednesday Oct. 2	5:15 PM	Daily Vespers followed by fasting potluck & BibleStudy
Friday Oct. 4	9:00 AM	Festival Prep
Saturday Oct. 5	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy at St Mary Magdalene in Manhattan
	10:00 AM	Festival Prep
	4:45 PM	Catechism
	5:45 PM	9th Hour & Great Vespers
Sunday Oct. 6	9:00 AM	Orthros & Sunday School
	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy Followed by Coffee Hour & Bakalava baking
Wednesday Oct. 9	9:00 AM	Festival Prep — ALL DAY
	5:15 PM	Daily Vespers followed by fasting potluck & BibleStudy
Thursday Oct. 10	9:00 AM	Festival Prep — ALL DAY
Friday Oct. 11	9:00 AM	Festival Prep — ALL DAY
Saturday Oct. 12	9:00 AM	Festival set-up
	11 AM –3 PM	SS PETER & PAUL GREEK FOOD FESTIVAL
	2:00 PM	Festival clean up followed by 9th Hour & Great Vespers
Sunday Oct. 13	9:00 AM	Orthros, NO Sunday School
	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy Followed by Coffee Hour

Ss. Peter and Paul is a parish of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America, Diocese of Wichita and Mid-America.

RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION (Tone 5)

Let us believers praise and worship the Word; coeternal with the Father and the Spirit, born of the Virgin for our salvation. For, He took pleasure in ascending the Cross in the flesh to suffer death; and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection.

APOLOYTIKION FOR ST. KYRIAKOS OF PALESTINE (Tone 1)

Thou didst prove to be a citizen of the desert, an angel in the flesh, and a wonderworker, O Kyriakos, our God-bearing Father. By fasting, vigil, and prayer thou didst obtain heavenly gifts, and thou healest the sick and the souls of them that have recourse to thee with faith. Glory to Him that hath given thee strength; glory to Him that hath crowned thee; glory to Him that worketh healings for all through thee.

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

The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians (1:21-2:4)

Brethren, it is God who establishes us with you in Christ, and has commissioned us; He has put his seal upon us and given us His Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee. But I call God to witness against me—it was to spare you that I refrained from coming to Corinth. Not that we lord it over your faith; we work with you for your joy, for you stand firm in your faith. For I made up my mind not to make you another painful visit. For if I cause you pain,

who is there to make me glad but the one whom I have pained? And I wrote as I did, so that when I came I might not suffer pain from those who should have made me rejoice, for I felt sure of all of you, that my joy would be the joy of you all. For I wrote you out of much affliction and anguish of heart and with many tears, not to cause you pain but to let you know the abundant love that I have for you.

The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke (6:31–36)

The Lord said: “As you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for He is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful.”

