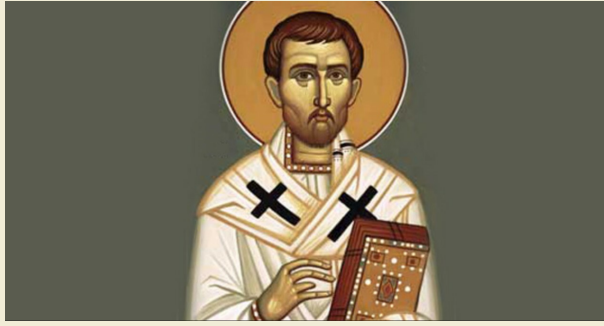


# ST. TIMOTHY ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday  
April 17,  
2022



Tone 1  
Eothinon 9

## Divine Liturgy Variables for Feast of Palm Sunday: Entrance of Our Lord Jesus Christ into Jerusalem

### Apolytikion of Lazarus Saturday in Tone One

In confirming the common Resurrection, O Christ God, Thou didst raise up Lazarus from the dead before Thy Passion. Wherefore, we also, like the children, bearing the symbols of victory, cry to Thee, the Vanquisher of death: Hosanna in the highest; blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord.

### Apolytikion of Palm Sunday in Tone Four

As by baptism we were buried with Thee, O Christ our God, so by Thy Resurrection we were deemed worthy of immortal life; and praising Thee, we cry: Hosanna in the highest; blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord.

### Kontakion of Palm Sunday in Tone Six

Being borne upon a throne in Heaven, and upon a colt on the earth, O Christ God, Thou didst accept the praise of the angels and the laudation of the children as they cried to Thee: Blessed art Thou Who comest to recall Adam.

### The Epistle

Blessed is He Who cometh in the Name of the Lord. O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good; for His mercy endures forever.

### **The Reading from the First Epistle of St. Paul to the Philippians. (4:4-9)**

Brethren, rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice! Let your forbearance be known to all people. The Lord is at hand. Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your petitions be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are honorable, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report; if there is any virtue, and if there is any praise, think about these things. The things which you both learned and received, and heard and saw in me, these things do; and the God of peace will be with you.

### **The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. John. (12:1-18)**

Six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus who had died was, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. There they made Him a supper; Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at table with Him. Mary took a pound of costly ointment of pure nard and anointed the feet of Jesus and wiped His feet with her hair; and the house was filled with the fragrance of the ointment. But Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, one of His Disciples (he who was to betray Jesus), said, "Why was this ointment not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" This he said, not because he cared for the poor but because he was a thief, and as he had the moneybox he used to take what was put into it. Jesus said, "Let her alone, let her keep it for the day of My burial. The poor you always have with you, but you do not always have Me." When the great crowd of the Jews learned that He was there, they came, not only on account of Jesus but also to see Lazarus, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. So the chief priests planned to put Lazarus also to death, because on account of him many of the Jews were going away and believing in Jesus. The next day a great crowd who had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying, "Hosanna! Blessed is He Who cometh in the Name of the Lord, the King of Israel!" And Jesus found a young ass and sat upon it; as it is written, "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on an ass's colt!" His Disciples did not understand this at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that this had been written of Him and had been done to Him. The crowd that had been with Jesus when He called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead bore witness. The reason why the crowd went to meet Jesus was that they heard He had done this sign.

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## THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

- Monday - Parish Open, 9am to 1pm; Bridegroom Matins, 6:00pm
- Tuesday - Parish Open, 9am to 1pm; Sisterhood Coffee Hour, **11:00am**; **Bridegroom Matins, 6:00pm**
- Wednesday - Holy Unction Service, 6:00pm
- Thursday - Parish Open, 9am to 1pm; Passion of the Gospels, 6:00pm (drop-off hard boiled eggs)
- Friday - Royal Hours & Typika, **9:00am**; Taking Down of the Cross, **2:00pm**; Matins and Lamentations, 6:00pm (hard-boiled egg drop off, egg dying at church)
- Saturday - Divine Liturgy, **9:00am**, followed by Pascha egg wrapping; Rush Procession, Paschal Matins & Divine Liturgy with festal potluck to follow, **8:30pm**

## CURRENT & UPCOMING EVENTS

- Week of April 17th** Sun abstain meat, dairy & eggs; Mon-Fri strict fast; Sat abstain meat, fish, dairy, eggs, & olive oil.
- Mercy Mission Food Drive for Solano/Contra Costa Food Drive **now through the end of Pascha**. Any donations of non-perishable food items are appreciated, bins are located in the refectory. No glass, expired or perishable items please.
- Week of April 24th Clean Week - No Fasting restrictions
- Friday April 29th The "Charcuterie Board" Meeting after 6:00pm Evening Service, bring your favorite bottle of wine!
- Saturday May 7th Alpha Clinics Baby Shower 1:00pm, reach out to January Al-Zouhbi @ 214.392.7009 for more information

## Prayer List

For Health and Physical Healing...Linda McKee, pain; Victoria Haskins, friend and parish co-founder, ongoing heart issues; Hugh Christianson, son of Fr John/Kh Barbara, black widow bite and still on antibiotics; Mona Shamieh, ill and on oxygen; Lena Steed; Ksenia Lin, recovering from mass removal; Dave McKee, pain and hand fractures

For Strength and Comfort...Regina and her son Wesley, acquaintance of Renae Holland, husband reposed unexpectedly and selling personal items to survive; Family of Anna Mantalvanos, Ourania (Gary) and Antonis; Aerial Wernecke family; Lisa and Romina, friends and family of Purcell family

For Mental and Emotional Health...Crawford Family (Arthur, Angeliq, Currie, Monique, Illiana); Cindy, sister of Kh Barbara

For Ukraine and the end of this devastating war, especially for Fr John/Kh Barbara's bookkeeper Larysa and her family in Eastern Ukraine...Valerie, Olga, Alexie, Artemis, Nadia, Illya, Nikita, Elena, Danila, Tatiana, Yulia, Sergei, Andrei, Lilly, Zema, Irina, Volodimir, Alexander, Marina and Natasha. Pray especially for the shipments containing needed medicines and supplies to be let through by the Russian forces; Ukrainian Refugees near Mount Herman who are seeking shelter

Please submit specific prayer requests to [admin@sttimothy.us](mailto:admin@sttimothy.us) and include the following: First Name, Last Name, and the Specific Prayer request. Out of respect to our parishoners, family members and friends please ensure you have received authorization from the person or their immediate family.

## Welcome Guests

Guests are always welcome to worship with us! We look forward to meeting you and answering any questions you may have about Holy Orthodoxy or our parish. If you are an Orthodox Christian, and are prepared through prayer, fasting, and recent confession, you are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

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

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Please contact Father John with any pastoral needs or questions.