

# St. George Melkite-Greek Catholic Church

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## **May 21, 2017 – Sunday of the Man born Blind** **Resurrection Tone 5; Feast of Sts. Constantine & Helen**

**Christ is risen! He is truly risen!**

**Christos aneste! Alithos aneste!**

**Al meseehu qam! Haqqan qam!**

**COMMEMORATION:** + Iskohi Wahhab, Nine day Memorial, req. by Wahhab Family  
Bert & Ber Tolentino, req. by Roxas Family

**Note:** The Easter troparion is sung at the beginning of each service during Paschaltide, first by the priest, then by the faithful. Then the priest sings the first part, and the faithful respond with the ending *"and has given life to those who were in the tomb."* The troparion is sung after Holy Communion, and then again (thrice) at the end of the Liturgy, in place of *"Blessed be the name of the Lord..."*

Troparion of the Resurrection in tone 5 (p. 75)

Troparion of the Feast (tone 8):

*O Lord, Your disciple, Emperor Constantine, who saw in the sky the Sign of Your Cross, accepted the call that came straight from You, as it happened to Paul, and not from any man. He built his capital and entrusted it to Your care. Preserve our country in everlasting peace, through the intercession of the Mother of God, for You alone are the Lover of Mankind.*

Troparion of St. George (p. 25)

Kontakion of the blind man (tone 4)

*I have lost the very eyes of my soul, wherefore I come to You, O Christ, As did the man who had been blind from birth, and I cry out to You with repentance: "To those who stumble in darkness, You are a radiant and resplendent light."*

**Prokeimenon:** *You, O Lord, will keep us and preserve us always/from this generation.*

**Epistle:** Acts 26:12-20 (Reader: Christopher Davel; Next Sunday: George Baho.)

**Gospel:** John 10: 1-9

**Ushers:** George Baho, Andrew Geiger. (Next Sunday: Mark Spankowski, Bill Koutris).

### **STEWARDSHIP:**

Last Sunday: Ordinary collection = \$1,289 .23; candle offerings = \$45 .00. Attendance: 46. Other donations received: \$ 200.00.

**Prayer List:** Please remember – All those who are sick and in need: Nuhad Acra, Chris Busalacchi, Andrew Geiger, Alice & John Herro, Joe Frenn, Bill & Kathy Jones, Daphne Knowles-Thoma, Nick Langenfeld, Roberta Linstrom, Fr. Philaret, Henry Look, Alice Nasr, Benjamin Newman, Bob Peterson, Joe Radanovich, Beth Rodwell, Jan Taylor, Kathy Tomaz, Jennifer Whitmore, John Zambo, Kathy Zambo, and Dan Z., and the soul of +Iskohi Wahhab who fell asleep in the Lord on Saturday, May 13.

### **SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK**

**Today:** **Transitional Council Council Meeting, following Divine Liturgy**

**Monday:** **No service**

**Tuesday:** 7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer: First Hour

**Wednesday:** **Last Day of Pascha**

7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer: Paschal Hours

***For Feast of the Ascension:***

**5:30 p.m. Great Vespers with Divine Liturgy** (Anne Marie Kopac – Roxas Family)

**Thursday:** 7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer: First Hour

**Friday:** 7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer: Third Hour

**Saturday:** 6:00 p.m. Great Vespers

**Sunday:** 9:45 a.m. Matins

10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy (Bert & Ber Tolentino – Roxas Family)

**Congratulations** and Happy Birthday to Bernadette Roxas (5/23). God grant you many years!

Note: Please let us know of anyone who is graduating this year so that we can honor them.

