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August 11, 2019 — Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Intention: Health of Fr. ROMANOS Russo (req. by Fr. Philaret)

Troparia:

1. *Resurrection (tone 8)*, p. 78
2. *St. George*, p. 25
3. *Kontakion, of the Transfiguration*, see insert

Prokeimenon: Make vows to the Lord your God and fulfill them; / let all round about Him bring gifts to the awesome Lord.

Epistle: I Cor 3:9-17 (Today: Maya Audi. Next Sunday: Ralph Audi)

Gospel: The Calming of the Storm, Mt 14:22-34

Ushers: George Baho, Mark Spankowski (Next Sunday: Said Audi, Joseph Wahhab)

Prayer List

Please remember—All those who are sick and in need: Mary Fisher (Benjamin Newman's aunt and godmother), John & Alice Herro, Bill Koutris, Nick Langenfeld, Henry Look, Fr. Frank Milienewicz (former pastor), Barb & Bruce Moden (sister- and brother- in-law of Jan Taylor), Eva Nora (niece of the Noras), Bob Peterson, Joe Radanovich, Beth Rodwell, Eva Saseen (Theresa and Janelle Herro's niece), Leah Schwalenberg, Jan Taylor, Kathy Tomaz, Espe Villasenor, John Zambo and Kathy Zambo.

Holy Resurrection Monastery

Summer Repairs Fundraiser

The monastery has a number of unexpected repairs required for them to be able to maintain their ministry of hospitality. (They've also grown doubled in size the last few years!) Information and links to donate are on the monastery's website: <https://hrmonline.org/>.

Day Retreat this Fall

Saturday, 9am-4pm, \$35 suggested donation. 300 S. Second Ave., St. Nazianz, Wisc. Includes Divine Liturgy, meal and talks. monks@hrmonline.org, (920) 881-4009.

- Byzantine Social Thought: November 9th

Schedule for This Week

Monday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: First Hour

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6pm Great Vespers

Thursday: *Dormition of the Theotokos*
7:30am Morning Prayer: Third Hour
6pm Typika

Friday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: First Hour

Saturday: 5pm Great Vespers

Sunday: *Tenth Sunday after Pentecost*
9:45am Orthros (Matins)
10:30am Divine Liturgy

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to Benedict Roxas (8/14), Charlie McShane (8/16). May God grant you many years!

Church Fathers on the Dormition

"Today the whole universe dances with joy at your glorious memory, O Mother of God, and it cries out to you: 'Rejoice, O Virgin, pride of Christians!' " (Kontakion of the Forefeast)

"Finally when blessed Mary having completed the course of this life, and was to be called from the world, all the Apostles gathered to her house from their different regions. And when they had heard that she was to be taken from the world, together they kept watch with her; a lo, the Lord Jesus came with His angels. Taking her soul, He gave it the Archangel Michael and withdrew. At dawn the Apostles raised her body with a pallet and they placed it in a vault and they guarded it awaiting the coming of the Lord. And lo, a second time the Lord stood by them and he ordered the holy body to be taken and borne to Paradise; there having rejoined the soul exultant with His elect, it enjoys the good things of eternity which shall know no end."

"If her Fruit, whom none may comprehend, on whose account she was called a Heaven, submitted voluntarily to burial as a mortal, how could she, who gave Him birth without knowing a man, refuse it?" (St. John of Damascus, Canon for the Feast in the 4th Tone)

Stewardship

Last Sunday: candles=\$19; ordinary collections=\$510; donations=\$200. Thanks for your generosity!