

St. George Melkite-Greek Catholic Church

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February 2, 2020 — The Encounter and the Sunday of the Pharisee and Publican

Intention: For health, peace and salvation of MARGARET Radd; Happy and eternal repose of the soul of LILLIAN Littlefield (req. by Fr. Philaret)

Troparia

1. *Resurrection (tone 1)*, p. 71
2. *Of the Encounter*, see insert
3. Kontakion of the Pharisee and Publican

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

Epistle: II Timothy 3:10-15 (Today: Ralph Audi. Next Sunday: George Baho)

Gospel: The Pharisee and Publican, Lk 18:10-14

Ushers: Mark Spankowski, Anthony Geiger (Next Sunday: George Baho, Mark Spankowski)

Bishop's Appeal

The annual Bishop's Appeal helps fund the vital works of the Melkites in the United States, such as: publishing *SOPHIA* magazine; supporting our seminarians for the Priesthood and Diaconate; providing for our elderly priests; teaching the Faith to our children and young adults; establishing/supporting new missions and outreaches.

Look for the mailing in your postbox or contribute online, melkite.org ("Donate", in the bar near the top). Be sure to note "St. George, Milwaukee" in the box to make sure the parish gets credit.

Lentan Webinar

God With Us Online will host a weekly interactive online course by Fr. David Anderson studying Fr. Alexander Schmemmann's book *Great Lent*. Wednesdays of February 26th to March 18th (7-8pm CST). The videos are recorded and archived for those who can't make those times. Register at easterncatholic.org.

Schedule for This Week

Monday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: First Hour
Tuesday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: Third Hour
Wednesday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: First Hour
Thursday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: Third Hour
Friday: 7:30am Morning Prayer: First Hour
Saturday: 5pm Great Vespers
Sunday: *Sunday of the Prodigal Son*
9:45am Orthros (Matins)
10:30am Divine Liturgy

Coming Up: Pre-Lenten Potluck after Sunday Liturgies

February 16th: Meatfare (Meat potluck)

February 23rd: Cheesefare (Dairy potluck)

Stewardship

Last Sunday: donations=\$80; ordinary collections=\$210. Thanks for your generosity!

Donation statements for tax purposes were mailed this past week. Contact the parish office if any corrections are required.

Prayer List

Please remember—All those who are sick and in need: John & Alice Herro, Bill Koutris, Nick Langenfeld, 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), Jan Taylor, Kathy Tomaz, Espe Villasenor, John Zambo and Kathy Zambo. For those who have died: Fr. Frank Milienewicz

Winter Weather

Please take with winter weather. Even if services are not cancelled, only come if it is safe for you to travel!

52rd National Melkite Convention

July 9th to 12th, 2020, Atlanta. Hosted by St. John Chrysostom Melkite Church. Sheraton Atlanta Hotel. Convention registration and hotel information (\$109/night): 2020melkite.org.