

## St. George Melkite-Greek Catholic Church

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### ***March 8, 2020 — Sunday of St. Gregory Palamas***

**Intention:** Health, peace and salvation of SUE and CARL Wallenmeyer (req. by Jan Taylor)

#### **Troparia**

1. *Resurrection (tone 6)*, p. 76
2. St. Gregory Palamas: O Gregory the Wonderworker, light of Orthodoxy, support and teacher of the Church, glory of monks and invincible protector of theologians, pride of Thessalonica and preacher of grace: pray without ceasing for the salvation of us all.
3. *St. George*, p. 23
4. *Of the Annunciation*, see insert

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

**Epistle:** Heb 1:10-14 & 2:-3 (Today: George Baho. Next Sunday: Jon Rebholz)

**Gospel:** Healing of the Paralytic, Mk 2: 1-12

**Ushers:** Said Audi, 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](http://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.

#### **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.

#### **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  
**6pm Great Compline**

**Thursday:** 7:30am Morning Prayer: Third Hour

**Friday:** 7:30am Morning Prayer: First Hour  
**6pm Compline and Akathist**  
**Afterwards Lenten Potluck**

**Saturday:** 5pm Great Vespers

**Sunday:** *Sunday of the Holy Cross*  
9:45am Orthros (Matins)  
10:30am Divine Liturgy  
**Noon Falafel Brunch**

**Congratulations and Happy Birthday** to Manal Wahhab (today) and Brigid Farley (3/9). May God grant you many years!

*Next Sunday: Falafel Brunch*

Large falafel sandwich, chips, and soda. \$10.00.

#### **Palm Sunday Pancake Brunch**

April 5<sup>th</sup>, noon-2pm: Adults: \$10; Children (under 12): \$4

Pancakes, Eggs, Ham, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Coffee Pastries and More

#### **Stewardship**

Last Sunday: candles=\$43; ordinary collections=\$1258; donations=\$270. Thanks for your generosity!

The January cashflow report is posted in the church hall. Owed to eparchy for last month (assessment, retirement and medial insurance): \$2,099.51

#### **Kontakion of St. Gregory Palamas**

"Holy and divine instrument of wisdom, joyful trumpet of theology, with one accord we sing our praises, O Gregory inspired by God! But since you are now in mind and spirit before the Original Mind, guide our minds to Him, O father, that we may cry out to you: 'Hail, O preacher of grace!'"