

St. Paul Orthodox Church



A Parish of the Antiochian Christian Archdiocese of North America

Antioch where the followers of Jesus were first called Christians
Acts 11:26



Don't forget this Sunday following the Divine Liturgy Valeriy Malyashev will be offering a concert to the parish family of St. Paul's. This will be a great experience for both adults and children.

A number of video's of valeriy's work can be seen via You Tube here is a link

<https://youtu.be/-e4bn2LrjVU> ,this was one of his early "Pop" video's. Later, Valeriy through his conviction of faith turned to liturgical and sacred music. This past year he was invited by the Patriarch of Georgia to compose music for the Patriarchate. This year on July 17th Valeriy will be performing at the memorial for the Romanov's in Yekaterinburg, Russia on the 99th anniversary of the martyrdom of the Czar Nicholas II and his family



Please remember in your prayers...Vera, Ken, Ralph, John, Anne, Mathias, Pat, Tiffani, Marilyn, Jared, David, George, Elizabeth and Alex, Kenneth, For those serving in the Armed Forces, Brett Sukolics, For the quick release of Met. Paul and Archbp. John and for all those suffering persecution for their faith. For our sister diocese of Bosra-Hauran, His Eminence Mt. Saba, the Archmandrite Isaac, the Priests, Peter, George, Peter, Philip, George, Symeon, Elia, Timon, Paul and Anas...For the St. Constantine School of Houston

Servers for Sunday, June 11 Sunday of All Saints
Altar Boys

Jason Hicks
Judah Hicks
Will Irwin
Zac Irwin
Jeremiah Metzgar
Alternate Acolyte Karl Cook
Reader Daniel Seehausen
Subdeacon Benjamin Harrison

From His Grace Bishop Basil

THE APOSTLES FAST continues through Wednesday, June 28th (the eve of the commemoration of Ss Peter and Paul). During this fast we observe the traditional fasting discipline (no meat, poultry, dairy, fish, wine, and olive oil) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays with katalysis for fish, wine, and olive oil on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays.

June 29th, 2017

Commemoration of the Holy Apostles Peter and Paul
Patronal Festival of St. Paul's on Wed. the 28th at 7:00 pm

July 23rd, 2017

"St Timon Sunday"

Each year on this day congregations throughout our diocese are asked to take a special collection for the work in our sister diocese of Bosra Hauran. Throughout the years St. Paul's has been very generous in aiding our sister diocese. Please start to prepare today to offer a sacrificial gift for the work of the Church in Bosra Huaran.... Bishop sent to the clergy an update of the clergy who serve the diocese as well as some of the communities that have now been evacuated because of the war.

Metropolitan Archbishop Saba
Priest Peter (who serves Al-Sweda and Jbeb).
Priest George (who serves Daraa).
Priest Peter (who serves Znebe).
Priest Philip (who serves Al Oslha, A dara, and Shahba).
Priest George (who serves Salkhad, Aramman, Malah, Anz, and Om Aromman).
Priest Samaan (who serves Al Korayya, Tisiya and Maarbeh).
Priest Elia (who serves Izraa and Mothbeen).
Priest Timon (who serves Kharaba and Rakham).
Priest Paul (retired).

Current status of the parishes of Bosra-Hauran. Daraa: half the parish fled to Damascus, 45 families lost their houses
Kharaba: 36 families remain while the others (160) fled to Sweda or Ira.
Jbeb: 18 elderly people remain, while all others fled to Damascus or Sweda.

Al Oslha: half the parish fled to Sweda.
Maarbeh: all fled and the village is completely empty
Rakham: all fled and the village is completely empty
Tisiya: all fled and the village is completely empty
Smej: all fled and the village is completely empty
All the more reason that we sacrificially present offerings for the work in Bosra hauran and in particular Sweda the See City

July 25th, 2017

Dormition of Righteous Anna the Ancestor of God

July 28, 2017

Commemoration of St Timon the first Bishop of Bosra

August 1st, 2017

Procession of the Precious and Lifegiving Cross
Beginning of the Dormition Fast

During this fast we observe the traditional fasting discipline (no meat, poultry, dairy, fish, wine, and olive oil) Monday through Friday with katalysis for wine and olive oil on Saturdays and Sundays.

August 6th, 2017

Great Feast of Transfiguration
Blessing of Grapes
Katalysis for fish, wine, and olive oil

August 15th, 2017

Great Feast of the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos
The Lamentations may be chanted at Vespers on Monday, August 14th.

August 29th, 2017

Commemoration of the Beheading of the Forerunner
A strict fast day

August 31st, 2017
Commemoration of the Deposition of the Belt of the Most Holy Theotokos

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