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GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
SYRACUSE, NEW YORK**



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WEEKLY BULLETIN

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021

SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND PHARISEE

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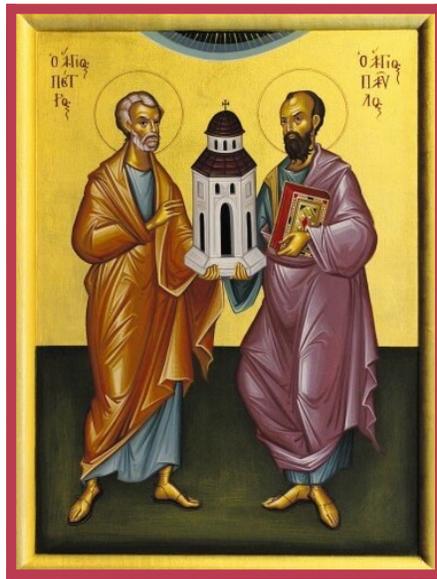
METROPOLIS
OF DETROIT

Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee:
Triodion Begins Today
St. Paul's Second Letter to Timothy 3:10-15

**Prokeimenon. Mode 4.
Psalm 103.24,1**

O Lord, how manifold are your works.
You have made all things in wisdom.

Verse: Bless the Lord, O my soul.



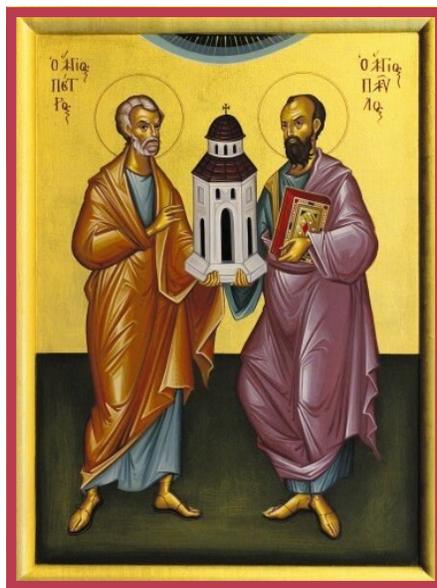
The reading is from St. Paul's Second Letter to Timothy 3:10-15

TIMOTHY, my son, you have observed my teaching, my conduct, my aim in life, my faith, my patience, my love, my steadfastness, my persecutions, my sufferings, what befell me at Antioch, at Iconion, and at Lystra, what persecutions I endured; yet from them all the Lord rescued me. Indeed all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, while evil men and impostors will go on from bad to worse, deceivers and deceived. But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings which are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.

Πρὸς Τιμόθεον β' 3:10-15

Προκείμενον. Ἦχος δ'.
ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 103.24,1

Ὡς ἐμεγαλύνθη τὰ ἔργα σου Κύριε, πάντα ἐν σοφίᾳ ἐποίησας.
Στίχ. Εὐλόγει ἡ ψυχὴ μου τὸν Κύριον.



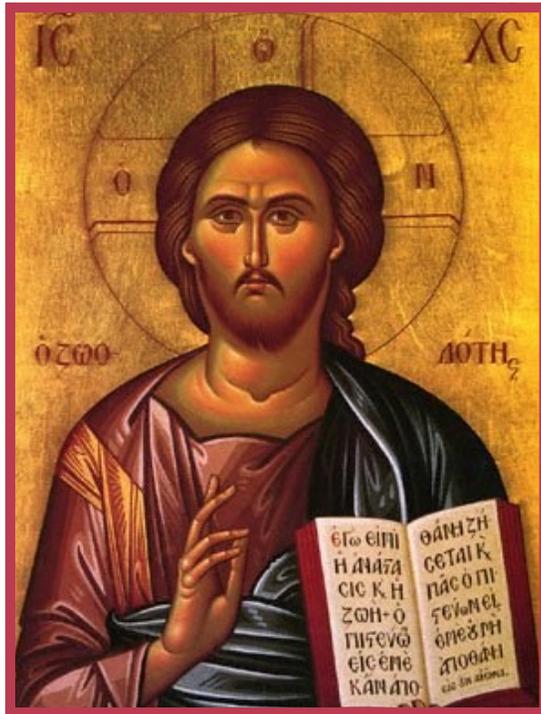
Πρὸς Τιμόθεον β' 3:10-15 τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

Τέκνον Τιμόθεε, παρηκολούθηκάς μου τῇ διδασκαλίᾳ, τῇ ἀγωγῇ, τῇ προθέσει, τῇ πίστει, τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ, τῇ ἀγάπῃ, τῇ ὑπομονῇ, τοῖς διωγμοῖς, τοῖς παθήμασιν, οἷά μοι ἐγένετο ἐν Ἀντιοχείᾳ, ἐν Ἰκονίῳ, ἐν Λύστροις, οἷους διωγμοὺς ὑπήνεγκα· καὶ ἐκ πάντων με ἐρρύσατο ὁ κύριος. Καὶ πάντες δὲ οἱ θέλοντες εὐσεβῶς ζῆν ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ διωχθήσονται. Πονηροὶ δὲ ἄνθρωποι καὶ γόητες προκόψουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ χειρόν, πλανῶντες καὶ πλανώμενοι. Σὺ δὲ μένε ἐν οἷς ἔμαθες καὶ ἐπιστώθης, εἰδὼς παρὰ τίνος ἔμαθες, καὶ ὅτι ἀπὸ βρέφους τὰ ἱερὰ γράμματα οἶδας, τὰ δυνάμενά σε σοφίσει εἰς σωτηρίαν διὰ πίστεως τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ.

The Gospel Reading

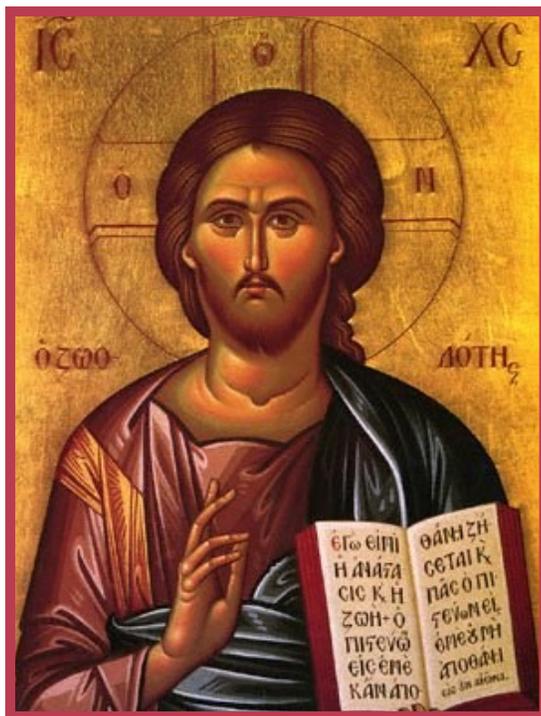
Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee:
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The Gospel According to Luke 18:10-14



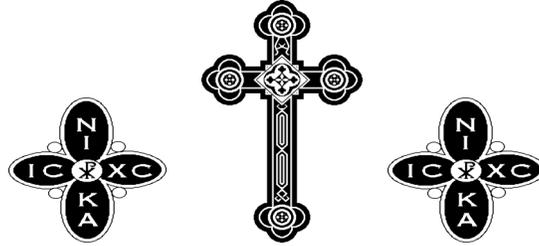
The Lord said this parable, "Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week, I give tithes of all that I get.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other; for everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but he who humbles himself will be exalted."

Ἐκ τοῦ Κατὰ Λουκᾶν 18:10-14 Εὐαγγελίου τὸ Ἀνάγνωσμα



Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τὴν παραβολὴν ταύτην· Ἄνθρωποι δύο ἀνέβησαν εἰς τὸ ἱερὸν προσεύξασθαι, ὁ εἷς Φαρισαῖος καὶ ὁ ἕτερος τελώνης. ὁ Φαρισαῖος σταθεὶς πρὸς ἑαυτὸν ταῦτα προσηύχετο· ὁ Θεός, εὐχαριστῶ σοι ὅτι οὐκ εἰμι ὡς περ οἱ λοιποὶ τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ἄρπαγες, ἄδικοι, μοιχοί, ἢ καὶ ὡς οὗτος ὁ τελώνης· νηστεύω δις τοῦ σαββάτου, ἀποδεκατῶ πάντα ὅσα κτῶμαι. καὶ ὁ τελώνης μακρόθεν ἐστὼς οὐκ ἤθελεν οὐδὲ τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν ἐπάραι, ἀλλ' ἔτυπεν εἰς τὸ στήθος αὐτοῦ λέγων· ὁ Θεός, ἰλάσθητί μοι τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν. λέγω ὑμῖν, κατέβη οὗτος δεδικαιωμένος εἰς τὸν οἶκον αὐτοῦ ἢ γὰρ ἐκεῖνος· ὅτι πᾶς ὁ ὑψῶν ἑαυτὸν ταπεινωθήσεται, ὁ δὲ ταπεινῶν ἑαυτὸν ὑψωθήσεται.

Sunday—February 21, 2021



Memorials

Zoe Papazides (40 Days)

Eleanor Theodore (40 Days)

Magdaline Kouides (1 Year)

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*Church Services & Events
for Today and the Upcoming Week*

Today ~ Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee

9:00 am Orthros

10:00 am Divine Liturgy

11:30 am Children's Sermon: Triodion begins today

Monday, February 22, 2021

8:00 pm Telos Webinar

Wednesday, February 24, 2021

6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, February 26, 2021

3:00 pm SU OCF

Saturday—February 27, 2021

10:00 am 5K Run for Rescue Mission

6:00 pm Great Vespers

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*Father David is Out of Town
Monday, Feb 22 through Friday, Feb 26, 2021*



GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY **March 25th at Syracuse City Hall**

Calling all Greeks/Hellenes and Philhellenes to answer the call to join us for the raising of the Greek/Hellenic Flag on the steps of Syracuse City Hall. The Bicentennial Anniversary of the Greek /Hellenic Revolution of 1821 for the Independence of Greece/Hellas celebration will take place on Thursday, March 25th at 12 noon.

As a token of appreciation, everyone who attends will receive a Greek/Hellenic Flag to keep, compliments of The AHEPA Syracuse Chapter.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, there will be no charter bus this year. We ask that you arrive 15 minutes early to find parking. Arrangements are being made to have reserved parking spots available in a private lot across from City Hall.

We will be required to properly wear face masks and to observe social distancing at all times. Also, with weather unpredictable at this time of the year with temperatures ranging from a low of 26 degrees to a high of 40 degrees, we ask that you please dress warmly with several layers of clothing, head and ear coverings, gloves and winter socks.

Hope to see you there,

The St. Sophia's Bicentennial Committee
for the Celebration of Greek/Hellenic Independence Day