

Sunday of the Holy Myrrhbearing Women with the Noble Joseph

Troparion - Tone 2

The Noble Joseph,
When he had taken down Your most pure Body from the tree,
Wrapped it in fine linen and anointed it with spices,
And placed it in a new tomb.
But You did rise on the third day, O Lord,
Granting the world great mercy.

Troparion - Tone 2

The angel came to the myrrhbearing women at the tomb and said:
Myrrh is meet for the dead;
But Christ has shown Himself a stranger to corruption!
So proclaim: the Lord is risen,
Granting the world great mercy!

Kontakion - Tone 2

You did command the myrrh-bearers to rejoice, O Christ!
By Your Resurrection, You did stop the lamentation of Eve, O God!
You did command Your apostles to preach: The Savior is Risen!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Garage/Rummage Sale-May 23-24 - Memorial Day Weekend

Golf Outing June 30

County Fair Food Booth

AppleFest

Beefsteak Dinner

Holy Spirit Orthodox Church - Wantage, NJ

Archpriest Samuel Kedala, Rector

Joanne Patrick, Choir Director

Parish Council

Timothy Kachur, Sr. Warden

Mark Benda, Jr. Warden

Michael Olsen, Treasurer

Doris Livanos/Susan Matthews, Co/Recording Secretary

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Edward Engelsman • Michael Chwan

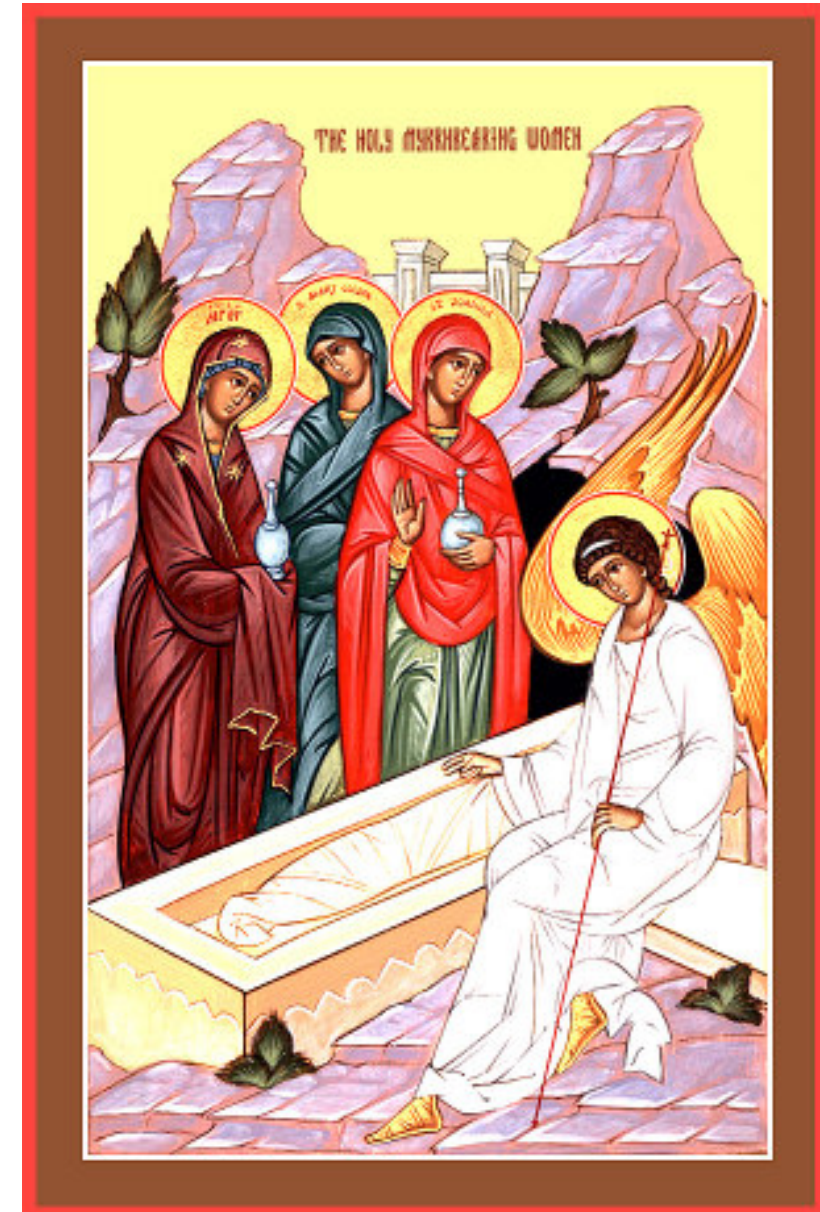
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Holy Myrrbearers Sunday

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND EVENTS

Today Holy Myrrbearers Sunday-Mother's Day
Tues. 7:30 p.m. Parish Council Meeting
Saturday 6:00 p.m. Vespers/ Confessions
Sunday 9:15 Church School
9:35AM Hours, 10 AM Divine Liturgy

Today's commemorated feasts and saints... 3rd SUNDAY OF PASCHA—Tone 2.

Holy Myrrbearers Sunday. Commemoration of the Founding of Constantinople.

Hieromartyr Mocius (Mucius), Presbyter, of Amphipolis in Macedonia (3rd-4th c.). Holy Equals-to-the-Apostles Cyril (869) and Methodius (885), First Teachers of the Slavs. Ven. Sophrony, Recluse, of the Kiev Caves (Far Caves—13th c.). St. Joseph, Metropolitan of Astrakhan (1671). St. Nicodemus, Archbishop of Serbia (1325).

Acts 6:1-7 (Epistle) Mark 15:43-16:8 (Gospel)

CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

BULLETIN

Check our web site www.holyspiritorthodox.org - photos of Holy week and Pascha are up

We thank Alexandra Gutu for donating aprons for the Sunday School Mother's Day project.

May our Lord repay!

Thank you to the **Eptamenitis Family** for their generous donation for Communion Wine in Blessed memory of Aunt **+Mary** (Gagianos). May her Memory be Eternal.

Thank you to **Carol Boenda** for putting together the flowers for the women of our community today. Many Years!

Our Church's **Annual Golf Outing** will take place on June 30th, 2008. **Please** solicit Hole Sponsors and Players.

Please **remember** to send in your **weekly donation or pledge** even when you have not attended Church on a Sunday. Our Church depends on your weekly contributions to pay our obligations. Thank you.

Thank you to **Timothy Kachur** for hosting the **Coffee Social** today. **The Kedala family** is signed up to host next Sunday, check the Coffee Social Assignment Sheet for your turn.

Father Samuel will be **blessing vehicles** that were recently purchased after Coffee Social today. See Father Samuel if you have a vehicle that you would like to have blessed.

The Annual Church Rummage/Yard sale will be held on **Friday and Saturday, May 23 &**

24 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.. We will accept clean unbroken items such as: books, CD's, games, gift items, handbags, house items, glassware, jewelry, toys, games, video tapes, DVD's, working electrical appliances etc. We will not accept clothing, computers, or suitcases. Workers will be needed for set-up and to help on the days of the sale. As always thank you for supporting our endeavor.

PLEASE PURCHASE gift cards for shopping at ShopRite and A & P stores. They are working out wonderfully. Very convenient for shopping. No cash, no checks, just a little card. They are great, and our church benefits by your using them.

WE HAVE SHOP RITE AND A&P GIFT CARDS-STOCK UP ON GIFT CARDS FOR YOUR REGULAR SHOPPING & AS GIFTS TO OTHERS

Pictorial Directory- Keep these dates open- June 13-14th for pictures of yourselves and your families. Go to our website holyspiritorthodox.org to set-up an appointment. See Tim Kachur or Susan Matthews if it does not work for you.

Please place a **food donation in the Sussex Help Center basket** downstairs. The food is distributed to the needy in our community. Thank-you, Despena Eptamenitis. They were very appreciative of the food that you had placed in the basket as they were running short.

Please place a small donation in the basket at Coffee Social to help pay for the paper products.

Please **keep the following people in your prayers:** Catherine Schwed, Thelma Macheska, Alyssa Karakos, Mary Kwak, Matushka Evelyn Kreta, Christopher, Corinne Matthews, infant Nicholai, Dan Taylor, Stephen Kachur, Pighi Mardaloescu, Valentina Bobrowsky, Archimandrite Joachim (Parr), Frank Higginbotham, Joanne Patrick, Feodora Apanasow, Archpriest Joseph Chupeck, the infant Logan Eugene, Jennifer, Matushka Vera Yuschak, Kat Shannon, Christine Molbury and her children, Catherine Matthews, Jean Holowach and especially pray for the infant Ella Jane who is very ill.

Seven Day Vigil Candles

By the **Doris Livanos** in blessed memory of **+Cecelia** (Brumaghin)

By the **Kedala, Lamlamay & Molbury Families** for the Health, Salvation, Happy Birthday & Happy Mother's Day for **our Mom, Matushka JoAnne**

Seven day vigil candles are available for the faithful to sponsor in memory of their departed, the sick, or for the general intentions (anniversaries, birthdays, weddings, baptisms, etc.). They will remain lit on the altar and table of oblation. The suggested donation is \$10.00 each and will burn for seven days. The intentions and those who offered them will be announced in the weekly bulletins. You may purchase your offering at the Parish Council office.

If you would like to have something published in the weekly bulletin, e-mail or bring typed copy to Father Samuel by Wednesday of the week prior to the Sunday you would like it published. If you would like something in the monthly bulletin have it e-mailed or brought to Fr. Samuel two weeks prior to the first of the month it is to be published in.

We welcome our guests who are worshipping with us today. Please join us downstairs for refreshments and fellowship. Please sign our guest book.