

# THIRD SUNDAY OF LUKE

VENERABLE PELAGIA; RIGHTEOUS PHILIPPOS BISHOP OF GORTYNIA; TAISIA THE HARLOT

Sunday, October 8, 2017

Guest Homilist: Fr. Simeon Poptelican

Orthros

Tone: One

Seventh Eothinon: John 20:1-20

Divine Liturgy

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 9:6-11 (pg. 93)

Gospel: Luke 7:11-16 (pg. 97)

Epistle Reader: Philip Rausch

Prophora: Terry Corkos

Coffee Hour Set-Up: Dina Andrews & Maria Smith

Coffee Hour Hostesses: Dina Andrews, Helen Servetas, Fane Zambros

Parish Council: Craig Brothers, Philip Rausch, Andy Mitrosilis

Organ Pieces: *Collection:* To Molly (M.J.Glinka) *Dismissal:* Buciumeana from *Roumanian Folk Dances* (B.Bartók)

Altar Boys Team: Two

Next Week's Team: Three

Parish Schedule for the Week October 8, 2017		
Sunday, October 8	Orthros Divine Liturgy Sunday School Daughters of Penelope Meeting (Community Center)	9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM
Monday, October 9 <i>Columbus Day (Office closed)</i>	Greek Dance Practice (Community Center)	5:00 PM
Tuesday, October 10	Senior Citizens Meeting Philoptochos Board Meeting (Community Center) YAL Basketball Practice	11:00 AM 6:00 PM 7:30 PM
Wednesday, October 11	Budding Angels Pumpkin Patch Event (offsite-21573 Madrona)	10:00 AM
Thursday, October 12	Girls Basketball Practice	7:00 PM
Friday, October 13	Hellenic Culture Program (cancelled due to construction) Greek Language School (check with director for cancellation)	Cancelled ? 4:00 PM
Saturday, October 14	Greek Language School (check with director for cancellation)	? 9:30 AM

Resurrection Hymn (Tone One): Τοῦ λίθου σφραγισθέντος

The stone that had been sealed before Your tomb by the Jews and the soldiers guarding did watch over Your pure and sacred body. O Savior the third day You arose, and unto all the world did You give life, whereby all the heavenly powers did proclaim that You are the giver of life. Glory unto our resurrected Christ. Glory unto Your Kingdom. Glory to Your dispensation, O You alone who loves mankind.

**We welcome Fr. Simeon Poptelican to St. Katherine!**

We are grateful for Fr. Simeon's joyful presence in our midst today. We thank him for his service in celebrating the Divine Liturgy during Fr. Michael's absence. May our Good Lord grant you many years. AXIOS!!

**Safely accessing the church & school during construction – Be aware of your surroundings as you walk to & fro:**

Access to the church will be from the *kitchen door*, through the community center and the new building. Access to the Caras Education Center for bathrooms and Sunday School will be through the *church's side door* by way of temporary wooden walkways. Parents, please watch your step and supervise your children as they cross to class. Things change weekly, so always check with Parish Council. As with crossing the street... Stop! Look! & Listen!

**Our Help & Comfort Newsletter, Nov/Dec edition – Article submissions are due by Monday, October 16:**

Group/Ministry leaders, please share your news with the community! Email your articles to Dcn. Cary by 10/16.

**Calling all St. Katherine Budding Angels (newborn-3 yrs old) – Join us at the Pumpkin Patch, Oct. 11!**

The pumpkin season is here and we are excited to invite you to join us on Wednesday, October 11 at 10AM to share the joy of the season at the pumpkin patch (21573 Madrona Ave., Torrance, behind Del Amo Mall - between Carson and Fashion Way). Our little angels will have the opportunity to enjoy baby animal petting zoo, pony rides, jumpers, and mazes. We will also provide snacks for them at the picnic area. Let's have fun! Admission to pumpkin patch is FREE. Petting Zoo \$5/person. Pony Rides \$7/child. Jumpers & Mazes \$1. Please bring cash.

**Legacy of Love:**

Production has begun for the Legacy of Love wall and we thank all our pledged donors. Pledges to our Legacy wall will continue to be accepted until all name plates are filled. The banner posted in the courtyard displays numbered name plates pledged to date by fellow parishioners. Forms are available in the office or via email. Contact Ellen Papadakis at 310-832-9688. As the last quarter of 2017 approaches, remember donations are tax deductible.

**Hellenic Culture Program will meet again on November 10 – See you then!**

Due to construction related issues we are cancelling this Friday's meeting, but we'll be back in November.

**St. Katherine Foundation-Thanksgiving Benefit Drawing-November 19:**

Raffle tickets have been mailed out and we ask for your support. All money collected from this raffle will help us offer scholarships to our high achieving young men & women. We are all winners when we help our young people achieve. **First prize: \$3000; Second prize: \$1000; Third prize: three \$100 prizes.** Thank you!!

**St. Gerasimos Dinner Dance Fundraiser on hiatus for 2017:**

We regret that due to construction related issues there will not be a St. Gerasimos event this year. We look forward to a beautiful event in our stunning, new facilities in 2018.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Young Adult Fall Retreat – Orthodoxy in the Vineyards:**

The Antiochian Young Adult Ministry of Los Angeles and the West invites you to the Wine Country (Temecula that is) on Saturday, November 11 for a retreat dubbed *Joy Within Discomfort*, focusing on coping with anxiety and depression as an Orthodox Christian Young Adult. For more info visit [www.dlawayoungadults.com](http://www.dlawayoungadults.com).

**The Icon Guild of Southern California is offering day-long icon writing classes:**

Do you want to learn how to *write* an icon? Beginning, intermediate and advanced level students are invited to day-long instructional sessions held once a month. Sessions located in Altadena & Orange County. Instruction is in the style of the Prosopon School of Iconology. For dates and locations visit [www.ProsoponSchool.org](http://www.ProsoponSchool.org) or contact instructor Edward Becket directly at 626-791-7953 or at [Edward@BeckettStudio.com](mailto:Edward@BeckettStudio.com).

**Archdiocese offers FREE Mobile App for Daily Bible Readings and Lives of the Saints:**

The Archdiocese has produced a Daily Readings app for the iPhone, iPod Touch, Android & Nokia mobile device, allowing users to look up the day's prescribed Scripture readings, fasting guidelines, and lives of the saints for any day of the year. Download at: [www.goarch.org/archdiocese/departments/internet/mobileapps](http://www.goarch.org/archdiocese/departments/internet/mobileapps).

**The Information Station:** Tidbits of news and info about local events and other items of interest.

- **Temecula Valley Greek Festival:** October 14-15 at the Civic Center in Old Town Temecula. St. Nicholas parish invites us to get out of the city and come to the wine country! For more info [www.TemeculaGreekFest.com](http://www.TemeculaGreekFest.com).
- **An Evening with the Jersey Boys – A PAOI Fundraiser:** Join us on October 22 for a memorable evening of thrilling close-harmony vocals and fine dining at the distinctive Cicada Club in downtown LA (617 S. Olive St.) Help support the work of the PAOI and also honor Dr. Michael & Susan Patzakis. Cocktails 5-6 PM. Dinner to follow. For more information please call Pana Pastis Gelt 626-293-7588 or Roz Halikis 310-378-5672.