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SUNDAY – April 5, 2015

Entrance into Jerusalem

EPISTLE: Phil. 4:4-9

GOSPEL: John 12:1-18

Saints of the Day: Martyrs Agathopodes, Theodulus and Their Companions

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS... We are pleased to have visitors worship with us, and we pray that you will be blessed through your experience in our services. In the Orthodox Church, the reception of Holy Communion is a mark of membership in the Church. Only those who have been united to the Orthodox Church through Baptism and Chrismation, having prepared themselves through Confession, prayer and fasting, are permitted to partake of Holy Communion. However, all are welcome to share in the blessed bread at the end of the service.

The following Troparia and Kontakia are sung after the Little Entrance:

(The Entrance of Our Lord into Jerusalem Troparion--Tone 1): By raising Lazarus from the dead before Your passion, You confirmed the universal resurrection, O Christ God. Like the children with the palms of victory, we cry out to You O Vanquished of Death: "Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord."

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

(The Entrance of Our Lord into Jerusalem Troparion--Tone 4): When we were buried with Thee in Baptism, O Christ God, we were made worthy of eternal life by Thy Resurrection! Now we praise Thee and sing: "Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord!"

Now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

(The Entrance of Our Lord into Jerusalem Kontakion--Tone 6): Sitting on Thy throne in heaven, carried on a foal on earth, O Christ God! Accept the praise of angels and the songs of children who sing: "Blessed is He that comes to recall Adam!"

We pray to the Lord in His great mercy to visit and heal our brothers and sisters who are in need: Natalie Kovalchik recovering from illness; Hieromonk Gabriel recovering from surgery; Tanya Carrelle recovering from surgery; newly born Rezanka grandson Kody and mother Natasha.

TODAY

**Liturgy of St. Basil

**Coffee Hour downstairs after Liturgy. Everyone welcome!

**4 pm Mission Bridegroom Matins, Holy Resurrection Cathedral in Wilkes-Barre

Holy Week and Pascha Schedule
(Lenten fast all week)

- Monday, April 6:** Bridegroom Matins, 6:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 7:** Bridegroom Matins, 6:30 p.m.
- Thursday, April 9:** Vesperal Liturgy, 10:00 a.m.
Matins of the 12 Gospels, 6:30 p.m.
- Friday, April 10:** Burial Vespers, 4:00 p.m.
Lamentations, 6:30 p.m.
- Saturday, April 11:** Vesperal Liturgy 10:00 a.m.
Midnight Matins, 11:30 p.m.
- Sunday, April 12:** Paschal Liturgy, 10:00 a.m.
- Monday, April 13:** Divine Liturgy with procession, 10:00 a.m.
Followed by Agape meal

Announcements

Please join with the choir in singing the Creed and the *Our Father* prayer during Liturgy. Please also follow along with the Troparia, Kontakia and Gospel Readings.

Bright Monday Agape Meal: Sign-up sheet for the Bright Monday potluck can be found at the candle desk. Ham will be provided by the Church.

April 19 – Breakfast Fundraiser Sign-ups: The Sunday School is holding a breakfast to raise money to offset costs for children attending St. Tikhon's Summer Camp. A sign-up sheet is on the candle stand, or you can see Ellen Rucks or Tanya Carrelle. Adults \$5; children \$3. Following the breakfast will be our annual Easter Egg Hunt and grave blessings!

Perogies : available for purchase Friday 9-11:30 a.m., Sunday 11-12.