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SUNDAY – August 21st, 2016

**EPISTLE: 1 Cor. 3:9-17**

**GOSPEL: Mt. 14: 22-34**

**Saints of the Day:** Apostle Thaddeus of the 70

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS who are visiting and worshipping with us this morning. Your presence has blessed us, and we pray that you also have been blessed by God and will return to visit again. A schedule of our services and special events is posted on our website along with many other interesting items and links. Please visit us there as well ([www.allsaintsolyphant.org](http://www.allsaintsolyphant.org)).

**(Resurrectional Troparion--Tone 8)** Thou didst descend from on high, O Merciful One! Thou didst endure the three-day burial to free us from our sufferings! O Lord, our Life and Resurrection, Glory to Thee!

**(Dormition of the Most-Holy Theotokos Troparion--Tone 1)** In giving birth You preserved Your virginity. In falling asleep You did not forsake the world, O Theotokos. You were translated to life O Mother of Life, and by Your prayers You deliver our souls from death.

**GLORY TO THE FATHER, AND TO THE SON, AND TO THE HOLY SPIRIT: (Resurrectional Kontakion--Tone 8)** By rising from the tomb Thou didst raise the dead and resurrect Adam. Eve exults in Thy Resurrection, and the world celebrates Thy rising from the dead, O greatly Merciful One.

**NOW AN EVER, AND UNTO AGES OF AGES. AMEN. (Dormition of the Most-Holy Theotokos Kontakion--Tone 2)** Neither the tomb, nor death, could hold the Theotokos, who is constant in prayer and our firm hope in her intercessions. For being the Mother of Life, she was translated to life by the One Who dwelt in her virginal womb.

*Schedule for the week:*

**TODAY August 21st: 9:30AM Divine Liturgy. Coffee Hour follows.**

**Saturday, August 27th: 3:30PM Confession. 4PM Vespers.**

*Announcements*

**Today Sunday August 21<sup>st</sup>: Parent/Teacher meeting following coffee hour to discuss Sunday School program and other ideas. All are welcome to attend!**

**Tuesday August 30<sup>th</sup>: Stewardship Meeting at 7 PM Parish Rectory.**

**We pray to the Lord in His great mercy:** to visit and heal our brothers and sisters who are in need: Subdeacon Will. Justin. Liam. Karen, Ceil and Rebecca. Please keep Matushka Patty in your prayers with her employment this year in North Carolina.

**Please bring canned goods and non-perishables.** We are adopting a needy family on a monthly basis and ask for your generosity and help.