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SUNDAY BULLETIN**

**Proistamenos
August 5, 2018**

**10th SUNDAY OF MATTHEW
Eusygnius the Martyr of Antioch**



HYMN OF THE DAY TONE: FIRST (1)

When the stone had been sealed by the Jews, and while the soldiers were guarding Your Sacred Body, You, O Saviour, did rise on the third day and gave Life to the World. Wherefore the Powers of the Heavens cried to You, O Giver of Life; Glory to Your Resurrection, O Christ; Glory to Your Kingdom; Glory to Your dispensation, O You Who alone are Merciful.

Ηχος Α

Του λιθου σφραγισθεντος υπο των Ιουδαιων, και στρατιωτων φυλασσοντων το αχραντον σου Σωμα, ανεστης τριημερος, Σωτηρ, δωρουμενος τω κοσμω την ζωην. Δια τουτο αι Δυναμεις των ουρανων εβων σοι, Ζωοδοτα. Δοξα τη Αναστασει σου, Χριστε, δοξα τη βασιλεια σου, δοξα τη οικονομια σου, μονε φιλανθρωπε.

EPISTLE READING: First Letter to the Corinthians 4:9-16

Brethren, God has exhibited us apostles as last of all, like men sentenced to death; because we have become a spectacle to the world, to angels and to men. We are fools for Christ's sake, but you are wise in Christ. We are weak, but you are strong. You are held in honor, but we in disrepute. To the present hour we hunger and thirst, we are ill-clad and buffeted and homeless, and we labor, working with our own hands. When reviled, we bless; when persecuted, we endure; when slandered, we try to conciliate; we have become, and are now, as the refuse of the world, the off-scouring of all things. I do not write this to make you ashamed, but to admonish you as my beloved children. For though you have countless guides in Christ, you do not have many fathers. For I became your father in Christ Jesus through the gospel. I urge you, then, be imitators of me.

GOSPEL LESSON: Matthew 17:14-23

At that time, a man came up to Jesus and kneeling before him said, "Lord, have mercy on my son, for he is an epileptic and he suffers terribly; for often he falls into the fire, and often into the water. And I brought him to your disciples, and they could not heal him." And Jesus answered, "O faithless and perverse generation, how long am I to be with you? How long am I to bear with you? Bring him here to me." And Jesus rebuked him, and the demon came out of him, and the boy was cured instantly. Then the disciples came to Jesus privately and said, "Why could we not cast it out?" He said to them, "Because of your little faith. For truly I say to you, if you have faith as a grain of mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move hence to yonder place,' and it will move; and nothing will be impossible to you. But this kind never comes out except by prayer and fasting." As they were gathering in Galilee, Jesus said to them, "The Son of man is to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him, and he will be raised on the third day."

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

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MEMORIALS TODAY

14 years
24 years
26 years

DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE

Rita (Areti) Kusas
Demetri Karelas
Doris Happel

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CHURCHING

Today the daughter of Alex and Nikki Krokos will receive the 40-day blessing. Her name will be Apostolia. May she have many years!

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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Monday	August 6	Transfiguration of Our Lord	
		Orthros 9:30 a.m. Liturgy 10:00	
a.m.			
Tuesday	August 7	Golden Seniors	11:30
a.m.			
Wednesday	August 8	Paraklisis	9:00
a.m.			
Friday	August 10	Paraklisis	9:00
a.m.			

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RELIEF EFFORTS FOR FIRES IN GREECE

Today our Ladies Philoptochos will be passing a special tray to benefit the Relief Effort for our brothers and sisters in Greece. This is a joint effort of our Parish and our Philoptochos. Please let your heart guide you in your giving. We thank you for your response to this great tragedy.

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CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

The Church Office is now closed every Monday through Labor Day, September 3rd.

Regular Church Office hours will be Tuesdays through Fridays, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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GREEK FESTIVAL NEWS

BAKING AUGUST 24 – 28 9:30 a.m. each morning

Many hands make the work go more quickly!

Ladies and Gentlemen are encouraged to volunteer.