

**UPCOMING SERVICES,
SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT & EVENTS**

† **Vespers on** Wednesday nights of July are canceled and will resume in August.

† **Great Vespers**, Saturdays, 6:00 pm

**See calendars both in this bulletin and online
for additional information about services & events.**

<http://standrewpns.org/calendar/>

THANK YOU

To all of you who called, sent cards and emails of sympathy, please know how very much it was appreciated. To those of you who were able to attend the services, I thank you with my whole heart. You all brought me much comfort and your prayers strengthened my faith and gave me a sense of closure. Feeling so blessed to have such a large and caring Orthodox family. Your thoughtfulness at this time of loss to us will never be forgotten. My sincerest thank you to all of you, my brothers and sisters in Christ. May his Memory Be Eternal!

With our love, Mandy Miller, Samantha and Jackson Barrineau



Prayers are requested for St. Andrew parishioners as they participate in the life of Camp St. Thekla in South Carolina. This is the summer camp for the Diocese of Miami and the Southeast. .

Session II, July 1 - July 7

Camp Staff: Ted Werthmuller, Jr. - Assistant Camp Director for both Sessions

Campers: Cecilia Bleam, Gabi Bleam, Max Bleam, Eleni Sfanos, Sonthe Sfanos, Katie Whitson, Mason Tampary, Marina Tampary,

If you would like to learn more about Camp St. Thekla, visit the website: <http://www.campstthekla.org>.

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Week of

July 1, 2018

**Unmercenaries Cosmas and Damian,
Martyrs in Rome
& Fifth Sunday of Matthew**

Thursday	July 5	Choir Rehearsal	5:45 pm
Saturday	July 7	Vespers	6:00 pm
Sunday	July 8	Orthros Divine Liturgy Coffee Fellowship	8:50 am 10:00 am 11:30 am

Hierarchs:

His Eminence Metropolitan JOSEPH,
Archbishop of New York & Metropolitan of all North America

His Grace Bishop NICHOLAS,
Auxiliary Bishop of Diocese of Miami & the Southeast

Pastor:

Very Rev. Fr. David Bleam

DATA SUMMARY

June 24, 2018

Saturday Vespers 6/23 10
Sunday Divine Liturgy 6/24 65

Thank you for your continued financial support. Please remember to earmark your checks (annual pledge, capital campaign, Pascha, outreach, memorial, etc.).

For information on how to make an Annual Pledge for 2018 or a pledge to the Capital Campaign, please see Michael Papadelias or Pamela Kelley.

Prayers Requested for Month of July

Your prayers are requested for the health and return of Archbishops Paul and John of Aleppo, Syria, who were abducted on Monday, May 22, 2013.

Please pray for peace for the people of Syria.

Syria is the home of our Patriarchate which is located on Straight Street in Damascus where St. Paul was taken to regain the sight he lost when encountering Jesus Christ (Acts 9) and has maintained continuous succession in the Apostolic Faith.

PLEASE NOTE: The names on the St. Andrew Prayer List will be listed through the month of July. If you have names of family or friends you would like to have listed, please write the name and your name on paper to give Dorothy or send it to her by email (dtampary@me.com)

Kleoniki	Donna	Cole	Dan & Joyce
Yves & Linda	Ruth	Petrula	Kim & Shawn
Lucille	Louann	John	Wesley
Phyllis	Ted	John & Glennis	Alla
Chris	Blaine	Debbie	Vince
James	Katrina	Bill	Jesse
Cathy	Anastasia	Robby	Sarah
Merrill	Niki	Jim	Mary
Christine	Jeremy	Larry	Margie
Carol & David	Laura Bess & Roger		Angela
John	Katie	Stacie	Roseann
George & Aspasia			

Thank you for your intercessions.

SIGN UP TO HOST A COFFEE FELLOWSHIP! YES... YOU CAN DO IT!!

You may want to join another family or two and host Coffee Fellowship. A birthday coming up? An anniversary? Honor or remember a loved one? Bring simple refreshments! Coffee & lemonade are furnished. Please check with Janean with any questions.

*You are requested to please handle the setup and clean up.

*The sign-up sheet is in the Great Room on the bulletin board.



Coffee Fellowship

July 8 - Volunteer(s) needed

July 15 -

July 22 -

July 29 - Sisters of St. Photini

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR JULY



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY FOR JULY

If a birthday or anniversary has been mistakenly omitted or listed incorrectly, or if you are new to the parish, please place correction and additions in the Sisters of St. Photini mail drawer in Treasurer's office or give to Dorothy.

*St. Andrew the Apostle Antiochian Orthodox Church
Services & Events Calendar*

July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Holy Bread - Olga Orthros 8:50am Divine Liturgy 10:00am	2	3	4 Independence Day	5 Choir Rehearsal 5:45pm - 6:45pm	6	7 Vespers 6:00pm
8 Holy Bread Laura Orthros 8:50am Divine Liturgy 10:00am	9 Parish Council Meeting 6:00pm	10	11	12 Choir Rehearsal 5:45pm - 6:45pm	13	14 Vespers 6:00pm
16 Holy Bread Sue Ann Orthros 8:50am Divine Liturgy 10:00am	17	18	19 Choir Rehearsal 5:45pm - 6:45pm	20	21 Vespers 6:00pm	
22 Holy Bread - Dorothy Orthros 8:50am Divine Liturgy 10:00am	23	24	25	26 Choir Rehearsal 5:45pm - 6:45pm	27	28 Vespers 5:00pm
29 Holy Bread - Stacy Orthros 8:50am Divine Liturgy 10:00am	30	31				

The Holy Martyrs and Unmercenary Healers, Cosmas and Damian of Rome

Cosmas and Damian were unmercenary physicians and miracle-workers. These two saints were brothers, were born in Rome and as children were baptized and brought up in the Christian spirit. They possessed abundant grace from God to heal men and livestock from every disease and suffering, usually by the laying on of hands. They sought no reward for their efforts. They only required of the infirm to believe in Christ the Lord. Inheriting a large estate, they charitably distributed it to the needy and to those in want. At that time, Emperor Galerius reigned in Rome. As a persecutor of Christianity, he summoned these two holy brothers before him shackled in chains. After a prolonged interrogation the emperor ordered them to deny Christ and to offer sacrifices to the idols. Cosmas and Damian not only did not heed the emperor but also counseled him to abandon the dead idols and to recognize the One True God. "Our God is not created but He is the Creator of all, but your gods are the imaginations of man and the work of the hands of artists. If you did not have artists to make your gods, you would have no one to worship." After working a miracle upon the emperor himself-for they miraculously cured him from a grave infirmity - the emperor proclaimed his faith in Christ and released the holy brothers in peace. Cosmas and Damian continued to glorify God and to heal the sick and were themselves, glorified by the people on all sides. Envious of their glory, a certain doctor who, at one time was their teacher, and with the pretext to gather healing herbs, led them into the mountain and stoned them to death. They suffered honorably for the Faith of Christ in the year 284 A.D. Their memory remains eternal in the Church on earth and their souls took up habitation in the Kingdom of the Lord to live eternally in glory and in joy.

From the *Desert Fathers*

Never look down on anyone. You do not know whether the Spirit of God prefers to dwell in you or in them.