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May 2nd – PASCHA – The Glorious Resurrection Of Our Lord!
(We remember St. George the Confessor, Bs. Of Antioch)

Today's Epistle Reading:Today's Gospel Readings:EPISTLE: ACTS 1: 1-8LITURGY: John 1: 1-17

Troparion: "Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death; and upon those in the tombs, bestowing life! ("Hristos Vaskrese, smertiju smert poprav; isuschim vogrob, zhivot darovav!")

Kontakion (Tn. 8): Thou didst descend into the tomb, O Immortal, Thou didst destroy the Power of death! In victory, didst Thou arise, O Christ God, proclaiming 'Rejoice' to the myrrh-bearing women, granting peace to Thy Apostles, and bestowing resurrection on the fallen!"

Hymn to the Theotokos: "The Angel cried to the Lady full of Grace: 'Rejoice, O Pure Virgin! Again I say Rejoice! Your Son has risen from His three days in the tomb! With Himself, He has raised all the dead Rejoice, rejoice all ye people!" "Shine! Shine! O New Jerusalem! The glory of the Lord has shone on you! Exult now and be glad, O Zion! Be radiant, O Pure Theotokos, in the Resurrection of your Son!"

Fr. Stevo continues to live-stream the Designated Liturgies as well as his Weekly Pod-casts – which are held on Thursdays at 11 AM – JOIN him!

PLEASE: Fill out your Stewardship Cards For 2021 – send them back in!

SERVICES THIS HOLY WEEK: Bright Monday and Tuesday – 9:30AM! Bright Thursday – St. George – 9:30AM Liturgy!

Today's Special Announcements and Upcoming Events In Our Parish:

- (1) YOU all are welcome in Church! However, we are still observing Co-vid Protocols: social distancing and the wearing of masks!
- (1-A) PLEASE bring your Paschal Food baskets up to the front of the Church BEFORE Liturgy (give it to one of the Greeters to do so!)

 (Because of Covid PLEASE do NOT share your baskets with others)
- (2) Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved ones:

 Mike Stepanovich Eva Orr Helen Trkula Beverly Stipanovich

 Milan Drobac Melva Buzzelli-NH Lora Washowich Rick Porter William Pakosky

 Melva Dandrea Nancy Belich Danileja Belo Eugene Gould Dorothy Medic

 Margaret Ivkovich Duke V. Xenia Vranesevich Infant Joseph-Paul

 Gregory Heather Bedell AP: George Livanos, Adam Yonitch Igumen Patrick

 Prot. Mirjana Trbuhovich
- (3) Also pray for the souls of those fallen asleep in the Lord:

 +A-Pr. Dragoljub Malich +David Henning +AP Paul Lazor

 +Mihailo Doder, +Dr. Filipovic,, +Rast.Trbuhovich, +Vaso Sokolovic,

 +Patr. IRINEJ +George/Mika +Barbara Tomac +Rade/Violet

 +Diana Drobac +Joseph Stercula +Nick Trbovic +Ann Cervo +Dan Ikach

 +Amy Pacura +Mimi Pavlovich +Nick Pilipovich +Sophie Vranesevic

 +John Ratesic +Dorothy Shumkaroff +Keith Bedell +Arlene Crnkovich

 +Nancy/+Milan W. +Eugenia (Slutyak) Longcrier +Margie Shegan

 +Mildred Chuha
- (4) We Need Your Support even if you cannot come MAIL in your pledge Donations...or go online and make your donations there at our Web-site!
- (5) **SPECIAL NOTE**: We will welcome a new "Warrior in Christ" Valarie Salyers (Fiance of Jordan Medich) into the Holy Faith on May 8th!
- (6) A TASTE OF SERBIA: "Taste of Serbia is scheduled for October 1st and 2nd. An organizational meeting will be scheduled sometime in June. More details to follow. Please see chairperson Jim Brady with any questions."
- (7) CHOIR (Practice) THIS Wednesday evening at 7 PM For Wedding!