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MARCH 24th – Snnday Of Orthodoxy – 1st Sunday Of Lent
(Today we remember St. Sophronius, Patriarch of Jerusalem)

Today's Epistle Reading:

Today's Gospel Readings:

EPISTLE: Hebrews 11: 24-36, 32-4 **MATINS:** Jn. 20: 19-318/LITURGY: Jn 1: 43-51

Resurrection Troparion: (Tone 1)

"When the stone had been sealed by the Jews; while the soldiers were guarding Your most-Pure Body; You did rise on the third day, O Savior, granting life to the world. The powers of heaven therefore cried to You, O Giver of Life: 'Glory to Your Resurrection, O Christ! Glory to Your Kingdom! Glory to Your dispensation, O You Who loves mankind!'"

Resurrection Kontakion - Tone 1:

"As God, You rose from the tomb in glory, raising the world with Yourself; Human nature praises You as God, for death has vanished! Adam exults, O Master! Eve rejoices for she is freed from bondage and cries to You: 'You are the Giver of Resurrection to all, O Christ!'"

Festal Kontakion - Tone 8:

"No one could describe the Word of the Father; but when He took flesh from You, O Theotokos, He accepted to be described, and restored the fallen image to its former state by uniting it to divine beauty. We confess and proclaim our salvation in word and images!"

Deanery Vespers: Sundays at 5 PM – Check our schedule in the Church!
(We will be hosting the Vespers on **Sunday, April 14th at 5 PM – Be Here!**)

Today's Special Announcements and Events In Our Parish:

- (1) **THIS MORNING:** we welcome our Parents and children to participate in the wonderful Triumph of Orthodoxy with our Icon Procession!
- (2) **TONIGHT:** Pan-Orthodox Vespers at the HT Greek Church in McCandless – at 4:30PM! His Grace, Bs. IRINEJ, will be there!
- (3) Please pray for the health & well-being of our loved ones:
Milan Drobac-NH Michael Repasky Petar Vukelic-H
Xenia Vranesevich Helen Magdic Melva Lugares Helen Trkula
Melva Buzzelli-NH Dorothy Medic-NH Nancy Belich
Helen Mochan Presv. Linda Cervo Prot. Mira Filipovic
AP Joseph Abud Fr. Chris Bender Demetrius Yandrich
- (4) Also pray for those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:
+Stevan "Rick" Zivic (Kum to Fr. Stevo) +Margaret (Tootsie) Ivkovich
+Boyd Anastas +Gary Trbovich +Milan Ikach +Sara Greyno
+Eva Orr +Betsy Cannon +Danijela Belo +Arc. Polycarp Ramaeus
+AP Angelo Artemas +AP Paul Lazor +AP Adam Yonitch
+Eli Vojnovich +Eugene Gould+Amelia Opacic +Marsha Cugalj
+Olga Yandrich +Vlade Baskot +Joseph Stercula
+Victims of the Middle East Conflict! +Gloria DeMedio
- (5) **REMINDER:** the Calendar of Events for the rest of the Month:
 - **Sunday, April 7th:** Feast of Annunciation of the Virgin Mary!
 - **Saturday, April 27th - Lazarus Saturday** – Confessions at 8:30, Festal Liturgy at 9:30AM with our Procession – bring the children!
 - **Sunday, April 28th: PALM SUNDAY** – Be here!!