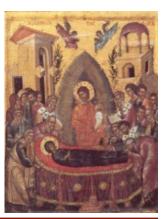


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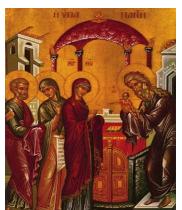
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Ή 'Υπαπαντή τοῦ Κυρίου The Presentation of Our Lord and Savior in the Temple

Τὸ γεγονὸς τῆς Ὑπαπαντῆς, ποὺ ἐξιστορεῖ ὁ Εὐαγγελιστὴς Λουκᾶς στὸ β' κεφάλαιο τὸ Εὐαγγελίου του, συνέβη σαράντα ἡμέρες μετὰ τὴν γέννηση τοῦ Ἰησοῦ. Σύμφωνα μὲ τὸν Μωσαϊκὸ Νόμο, ἂν τὸ πρῶτο παιδὶ τῆς οἰκογένειας ἦταν ἀγόρι, ἀφιερωνόταν στὸν Θεὸ καὶ συγχρόνως προσφερόταν γιὰ θυσία ἕνας ἀμνὸς ἢ ἕνα ζευγάρι τρυγόνια ἢ δυὸ μικρὰ περιστέρια. Τὸ γράμμα τῶν ἐντολῶν αὐτῶν πληροῦντες ὁ Ἰωσὴφ καὶ ἡ Παρθένος Μαρία, ἀνῆλθαν τὴν τεσσαρακοστὴ ἡμέρα ἀπὸ τῆς γεννήσεως τοῦ Χριστοῦ στὸ ναὸ τῶν Ἱεροσολύμων, γιὰ νὰ προσφέρουν τὸν Ἰησοῦ στὸν Θεὸ καὶ νὰ δώσουν τὴν θυσία περὶ καθαρισμοῦ. Τὸ ζευγάρι ὑποδέχθηκε στὸ ναὸ ὁ ὑπερήλικας Προφήτης Συμεών, ὁ ὁποῖος δέχθηκε τὸν Ἰησοῦ στὴν ἀγκαλιά του φωτισμένος ἀπὸ τὸ Ἅγιο Πνεῦμα, ἔχοντας λάβει ἀποκάλυψη ἀπὸ

Αὐτὸ ὅτι δὲν θὰ ἀπέθνησκε πρωτοῦ δεῖ Ἐκεῖνον, τὸν ὁποῖο ὁ Κύριος καὶ Θεὸς ἔχρισε Βασιλέα καὶ Σωτῆρα τοῦ κόσμου. Ἡ ἑορτὴ εἰσήχθηκε πρῶτα στὴν Δύση πρὸς κατάργηση τῶν τελουμένων εἰδωλολατρικῶν ἑορτῶν, κατὰ τὶς ἀρχὲς τοῦ Φεβρουαρίου, πρὸς τιμὴν τοῦ Πανός, ὡς καθαρῶς θεομητορικὴ ἑορτή. Ἀργότερα καθιερώθηκε καὶ στὴν Ἀνατολή. Κατὰ μὲν τὸν Γεώργιο Κεδρηνὸ ἡ ἑορτὴ εἰσήχθηκε ἐπὶ τοῦ αὐτοκράτορα Ἰουστινιανοῦ τοῦ Α' (518 – 527 μ.Χ.), κατὰ δὲ τὸ Νικηφόρο Κάλλιστο ὁ μέγας Ἰουστινιανὸς (525 – 565 μ.Χ.) διέταξε, τὸ 542 μ.Χ., νὰ ἑορτάζεται ἡ Ὑπαπαντὴ τοῦ Σωτῆρος σὲ ὅλη τὴ γῆ. Ἐπειδὴ ὅμως διασώζονται σήμερα λόγοι – ὁμιλίες στὴν ἑορτὴ τῆς Ὑπαπαντῆς, ποὺ χρονολογοῦνται πολὺ πρὶν ἀπὸ τὸν 6° αἰῶνα μ.Χ., εἰκάζεται ὅτι ὁ αὐτοκράτορας Ἰουστίνος εἰσήγαγε τὴν ἑορτὴ στὴν Κωνσταντινούπολη. Ἡ ἑορτὴ τῆς Ὑπαπαντῆς, στὴν Κωνσταντινούπολη, ἐτελεῖτο στὸ ναὸ τῶν Βλαχερνῶν, ὅπου παρευρίσκονταν καὶ οἱ βασιλεῖς.

When the most pure Mother and Ever-Virgin Mary's forty days of purification had been fulfilled, she took her first-born Son to Jerusalem on this, the fortieth day after His birth, that she might present Him in the temple according to the Law of Moses, which teaches that every first-born male child be dedicated to God, and also that she might offer the sacrifice of a pair of turtle-doves or two young pigeons, as required by the Law (Luke 2:22-24; Exod. 13:2; Lev. 12:6-8). On this same day, a just and devout man, the greatly aged Symeon, was also present in the temple, being guided by the Holy Spirit. For a long time, this man had been awaiting the salvation of God, and he had been informed by divine revelation that he would not die until he beheld the Lord's Christ. Thus, when he beheld Him at that time and took Him up into his aged arms, he gave glory to God, singing: "Now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace, O Master..." And he confessed that he would close his eyes joyfully, since he had seen the Light of revelation for the nations and the Glory of Israel (Luke 2:25-32). From ancient times, the Holy Church has retained this tradition of the churching of the mother and new-born child on the fortieth day and of the reading of prayers of purification. The Apodosis of the Feast of the Meeting in the Temple is usually on the 9th of February. This, however, may vary if the Feast falls within the period of the Triodion. Should this occur, the Typicon should be consulted for specific information concerning the Apodosis of the Feast.

Απολυτίκιον Αναστάσιμον. Ήχος πλ. δ'.

Έξ ὕψους κατῆλθες ὁ εὔσπλαγχνος, ταφὴν κατεδέξω τριήμερον, ἵνα ἡμᾶς ἐλευθερώσης τῶν παθῶν. Ἡ ζωὴ καὶ ἡ Ἀνάστασις ἡμῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Απολυτίκιον τῆς Έορτῆς. Ήχος α'.

Χαῖρε κεχαριτωμένη Θεοτόκε Παρθένε· ἐκ σοῦ γὰρ ἀνέτειλεν ὁ Ἡλιος τῆς δικαιοσύνης, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, φωτίζων τοὺς ἐν σκότει. Εὐφραίνου καὶ σὺ Πρεσβύτα δίκαιε, δεξάμενος ἐν ἀγκάλαις τὸν ἐλευθερωτὴν τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, χαριζόμενον ἡμῖν καὶ τὴν Ἁνάστασιν.

Τοῦ Άγίου. Ήχος δ'.

Ώς τῶν Ἀποστόλων ὁμότροπος, καὶ τῆς Οἰκουμένης διδάσκαλος, τῷ Δεσπότη τῶν ὅλων ἱκέτευε Φώτιε, εἰρήνην τῆ Οἰκουμένη δωρήσασθαι, καὶ ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Άπολυτίκιον ΚΟΙΜΗΣΙΣ ΤΗΣ ΥΠΕΡΑΓΙΑΣ ΘΕΟΤΟΚΟΥ First Tone

Εν τή Γεννήσει τήν παρθενίαν εφύλαξας, έν τή Κοιμήσει τόν κόσμον ού κατέλιπες Θεοτόκε, Μετέστης πρός τήν ζωήν, μήτηρ υπάρχουσα τής ζωής, καί ταίς πρεσβείαις ταίς σαίς λυτρουμένη, εκ θανάτου τάς ψυχάς ημών.

Κοντάκιον. ³Ηχος α'.

Ο μήτραν παρθενικὴν ἁγιάσας τῷ τόκῳ σου, καὶ χεῖρας τοῦ Συμεὼν εὐλογήσας ὡς ἔπρεπε, προφθάσας καὶ νῦν ἔσωσας ἡμᾶς Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός. ἀλλ' εἰρήνευσον ἐν πολέμοις τὸ πολίτευμα, καὶ κραταίωσον Βασιλεῖς οῦς ἠγάπησας, ὁ μόνος φιλάνθρωπος.

Resurrectional Apolytikion. Mode pl. 4.

You descended from on high, O compassionate One, and condescended to be buried for three days, so that from the passions You might set us free. Our life and resurrection, O Lord, glory be to You.

Apolytikion of the Feast. Mode 1.

Lady full of grace, rejoice, O Virgin Theotokos, for Christ our God, the Sun of righteousness has risen from you and He illumined those in darkness. And you, righteous Elder, be glad in heart, receiving in your embraces the One who liberates our souls and bestows on us the Resurrection.

For the Saint. Mode 4.

Resembling the Apostles in way of life, O Photios, the teacher of the universe, intercede with the Master of all, to grant peace to the whole world, and great mercy to our souls.

Apolytikion Dormition of the Theotokos. First Tone

In birth, you preserved your virginity; in death, you did not abandon the world, O Theotokos. As mother of life, you departed to the source of life, delivering our souls from death by your intercessions.

Kontakion. Mode 1.

You sanctified the virginal womb by Your birth, O Lord, and blessed the hands of Symeon fittingly, O Christ God; and even now You came and saved us. Now, give peace to our Nation in time of war, and empower our Leaders, so loved by You, the only one who loves humanity.

ΜΝΥΜΟΣΥΝΑ

MEMORIALS

Αννα Πέτσας Ετήσιο Παναγιώτα Διαμαντάκης 40 ήμερων Νικόλαος Τσιριγότης 3 ετές Πέτρος Χατζιπέτρος 40 ετές Anne Petsas 1 Year Panagiota Diamantakis 40 Days Nicholas Cheregotis 3 Years Peter Hatzipetros 40 Years

ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΙΚΟ ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΜΑ TODAY'S EPISTLE READING

Προκείμενον. Ήχος α'. ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 48.3,1

Τὸ στόμα μου λαλήσει σοφίαν καὶ ἡ μελέτη τῆς καρδίας μου σύνεσιν. Στίχ. Άκούσατε ταῦτα, πάντα τὰ ἔθνη.

Πρὸς Ἑβραίους 7:26-28, 8:1-2 τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

Αδελφοί, τοιοῦτος γὰρ ἡμῖν ἔπρεπεν ἀρχιερεύς, ὅσιος, ἄκακος, ἀμίαντος, κεχωρισμένος ἀπὸ τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν, καὶ ὑψηλότερος τῶν οὐρανῶν γενόμενος· δς οὐκ ἔχει καθ' ἡμέραν ἀνάγκην, ὥσπερ οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς, πρότερον ὑπὲρ τῶν ἰδίων ἁμαρτιῶν θυσίας ἀναφέρειν, ἔπειτα τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ· τοῦτο γὰρ ἐποίησεν ἐφάπαξ, ἑαυτὸν ἀνενέγκας. Ὁ νόμος γὰρ ἀνθρώπους καθίστησιν ἀρχιερεῖς, ἔχοντας ἀσθένειαν· ὁ λόγος δὲ τῆς ὁρκωμοσίας τῆς μετὰ τὸν νόμον, υἱον εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τετελειωμένον. Κεφάλαιον δὲ ἐπὶ τοῖς λεγομένοις· τοιοῦτον ἔχομεν ἀρχιερέα, δς ἐκάθισεν ἐν δεξιᾶ τοῦ θρόνου τῆς μεγαλωσύνης ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, τῶν ἁγίων λειτουργός, καὶ τῆς σκηνῆς τῆς ἀληθινῆς, ἣν ἔπηξεν ὁ κύριος, καὶ οὐκ ἄνθρωπος·

Prokeimenon. Mode 1. Psalm 48.3,1

My mouth shall speak wisdom and the meditation of my heart shall bring forth understanding. Verse: Hear this all you nations.

The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews 7:26-28; 8:1-2

Brethren, it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, unstained, separated from sinners, exalted above the heavens. He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did this once for all when he offered up himself. Indeed, the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever. Now the point in what we are saying is this: we have such a high priest, one who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, a minister in the sanctuary and the true tent which is set up not by man but by the Lord.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΜΑ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

TODAY'S GOSPEL READING

Έκ τοῦ Κατὰ Ματθαῖον 15:21-28 Εὐαγγελίου τὸ Ἀνάγνωσμα

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐξελθὼν ἐκεῖθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἀνεχώρησεν εἰς τὰ μέρη Τύρου καὶ Σιδῶνος. καὶ ἰδοὺ γυνὴ Χαναναία ἀπὸ τῶν ὁρίων ἐκείνων ἐξελθοῦσα ἐκραύγαζεν αὐτῷ λέγουσα· ἐλέησόν με, Κύριε, υἱὲ Δαυΐδ· ἡ θυγάτηρ μου κακῶς δαιμονίζεται. ὁ δὲ οὐκ ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῇ λόγον. καὶ προσελθόντες οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ ἠρώτων αὐτὸν λέγοντες· ἀπόλυσον αὐτήν, ὅτι κράζει ὅπισθεν ἡμῶν. ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν· οὐκ ἀπεστάλην εἰ μὴ εἰς τὰ πρόβατα τὰ ἀπολωλότα οἴκου Ἰσραήλ. ἡ δὲ ἐλθοῦσα προσεκύνησεν αὐτῷ λέγουσα· Κύριε, βοήθει μοι. ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν· οὐκ ἔστι καλὸν λαβεῖν τὸν ἄρτον τῶν τέκνων καὶ βαλεῖν τοῖς κυναρίοις. ἡ δὲ εἶπε· ναί, Κύριε· καὶ γὰρ τὰ κυνάρια ἐσθίει ἀπὸ τῶν ψυχίων τῶν πιπτόντων ἀπὸ τῆς τραπέζης τῶν κυρίων αὐτῶν. τότε ἀποκριθεὶς ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν αὐτῇ· ὧ γύναι, μεγάλη σου ἡ πίστις! γενηθήτω σοι ὡς θέλεις. καὶ ἰάθη ἡ θυγάτηρ αὐτῆς ἀπὸ τῆς ὅρας ἐκείνης.

The Gospel According to Matthew 15:21-28

At that time, Jesus went to the district of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman from that region came out and cried, "Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David; my daughter is severely possessed by a demon." But he did not answer her a word. And his disciples came and begged him, saying, "Send her away, for she is crying after us." He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." But she came and knelt before him, saying, "Lord, help me." And he answered, "It is not fair to take the children's bread and throw it to the dogs." She said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their master's table." Then Jesus answered her, "O woman, great is your faith! Be it done for you as you desire." And her daughter was healed instantly.

MEMORIALS

KYPIAKH, 13^η ΦΕΒΡΟΥΑΡΙΟΥ

Μιχάλης Μαμούνας 40 ήμερων Δημήτριος Γαρύφαλλος Ετήσιο

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13th

Michael Mamounas 40 Days Dimitrios Garyfallos 1 Year

ΗΜΕΡΟΜΗΝΙΕΣ ΠΟΥ ΠΡΕΠΕΙ ΝΑ ΕΝΘΥΜΟΥΜΕΘΑ DAYS ΤΟ REMEMBER

ΑΓΙΟΥ ΑΝΘΙΜΟΥ ΧΙΟΥ

Θα εορτάσουμε του Αγίου Ανθίμου την Κυριακή, 13^η Φεβρουαρίου αντί στις 15^η Φεβρουαρίου.

ST. ANTHIMUS OF CHIOS

We will celebrate St. Anthimus on Sunday, February 13th instead of February 15th.

SAVE THE DATE

GODPARENT'S SUNDAY SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2022

Kimisis Theotokou would like to extend this invitation to you and your Godchild/ren to join us in celebrating Divine Liturgy, Holy Communion and our Complimentary Godparent's Day Brunch immediately after Divine Litury in Church Hall.

