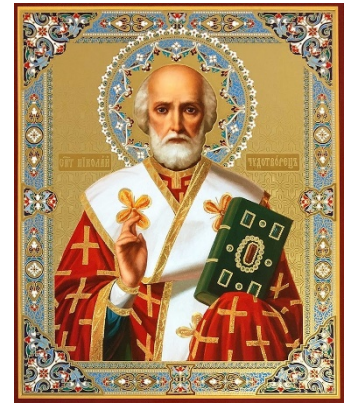


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Sunday of the Samaritan Woman

Tone 4 Tropar (Resurrection)

When the women disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the joyous message of Your Resurrection, they cast away the ancestral curse and elatedly told the apostles: “Death is overthrown! Christ God is risen, granting the world great mercy!”

Tone 8 Tropar (Midfeast)

In the middle of the feast, O Savior, fill my thirsting soul with the waters of piety, as You cried to all: “If anyone thirst, let him come to Me and drink!” O Christ God, Fountain of our life, glory to You!

Tone 8 Kondak (Pentecostarion)

The Samaritan Woman came to the well in faith; she saw You, the Water of wisdom and drank abundantly. She inherited the Kingdom on high, and is ever glorified!

Tone 4 Kondak (Midfeast)

Christ God, the Creator and Master of all, cried to all in the midst of the feast of the Law: “Come and draw the water of immortality!” We fall before You and faithfully cry: Grant us Your mercies, for You are the Fountain of our life!”

Alleluia Verses

- v. Go forth, prosper and reign, for the sake of meekness, righteousness and truth! (*Ps. 44:3b*)
- v. For You love righteousness, and hate iniquity. (*Ps. 44:6*)

Epistle - Acts 11:19-26, 29-30, **Gospel** - John 4:5-42

Instead of It is Truly Meet

The Angel cried to the Lady, full of grace: “Rejoice, O pure Virgin! Again, I say: Rejoice, your Son is risen from His three days in the tomb! With Himself He has raised all the dead.” Rejoice, O 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!

Announcements

- **Quarterly Meetings - June 18, 2023, 12 - 1pm; September 17, 2023, 12-1pm; December 17, 2023 (Annual Meeting)**
- **Church Slava Celebration - May 21** - As you know, our parish slava and banquet is approaching. It will be celebrated on May 21st. If you are planning to attend our slava banquet, please RSVP (no later than May 17th) by emailing or calling Sondra Deaunovich: sondra7890@comcast.net, 412-760-5796
- **SAVE THE DATE - Church Picnic - August 13th** - Save the date now for our annual, St. Nick's Church Picnic! More details to come. If you would like to volunteer to help plan the picnic please contact Dan Markoff at 724.493.9084
- **Sunday School** - May 28th will be the last day of Sunday School for the 2022-2023 school year!
- **Parking Update** - In response to our parking discussion at the Quarterly Meeting, Pam Matejevich volunteered to assist any Parishioner who needs help with parking. Please note that parking is still not permitted in the top circle. If any parishioner is having difficulty walking from the main parking lot, please contact Pam at 724.454.4451 and she will assist.