

St. Nicholas Serbian Orthodox Church Monroeville
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Sunday of the Myrrhbearing Women

Tone 2 Troparion

When You descended to death, O Life Immortal, You slew hell with the splendor of Your Godhead. And when from the depths You raised the dead, all the powers of heaven cried out: “O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You!”

Tone 2 Troparion

The noble Joseph, when he had taken down Your most pure Body from the Tree, wrapped it in fine linen and anointed it with spices, and placed it in a new tomb. But You rose on the third day, O Lord, granting the world great mercy.

Tone 2 Troparion

The Angel came to the myrrhbearing women at the tomb and said: “Myrrh is fitting for the dead; but Christ has shown Himself a stranger to corruption! So proclaim: ‘The Lord is risen, granting the world great mercy.’”

Tone 2 Kontakion

You commanded the Myrrbearers to rejoice, O Christ God. By Your Resurrection, You stopped the lamentation of Eve, the first mother. You commanded them to preach to Your Apostles: “The Savior is risen from the tomb!”

Tone 8 Kontakion

You descended into the tomb, O Immortal, You destroyed the power of death. In victory You arose, O Christ God, proclaiming: “Rejoice!” to the Myrrhbearing Women, granting peace to Your Apostles, and bestowing Resurrection on the fallen.

Epistle - Acts 6:1-7, **Gospel** - Mark 15:43-16:8

Alleluia Verses

v. O Lord, You have been gracious to Your land; You have turned back the captivity of Jacob. (*Ps. 84:1*)

v. Mercy and truth are met together, righteousness and peace have kissed each other. (*Ps. 84:10*)

Instead of It is Truly Meet - Tone 5

The Angel cried aloud to the Lady full of grace: Rejoice, O pure Virgin; and again I say Rejoice. Your Son has truly risen from the grave on the third day.

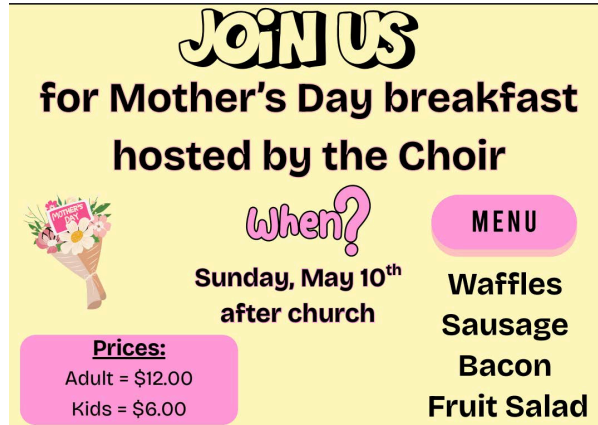
Arise, shine! Arise, shine, O new Jerusalem! Shine! For the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. Zion, exult and be glad now. O pure Mother of God, rejoice, celebrating the resurrection of Christ your Son!

Instead of We Have Seen the True Light - Christ is Risen

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!
Hristos Voskrese! Voistinu Voskrese!
Христос васкрсе! Ваистину васкрсе!

Announcements

- **Upcoming Schedule** - Link here <https://www.stnicholasmonroeville.org/service-schedule/>
- **Mother's Day Breakfast - Sunday, May 10th** - Back by popular demand... WAFFLES are on the menu! Please join the choir on this special day!



JOIN US
for Mother's Day breakfast
hosted by the Choir

when?
Sunday, May 10th
after church

Prices:
Adult = \$12.00
Kids = \$6.00

MENU
Waffles
Sausage
Bacon
Fruit Salad

- **Save the Date - Annual Church Summer Picnic - Sunday August 9th** - Details and Volunteer information to follow over the next few weeks.
- **Grandview Cemetery Grave Lot Sale April 1, 2026-June 1, 2026** - If you purchase a grave lot you will receive 10% off and if you add your pre need opening/closing, you will receive an additional 5% off the original price.
 - The 5% discount on opening and closing does not apply to a previously purchased grave lot.
 - For this sale, no payment plans are available. Purchases must be paid in full.
 - For more information, please call Grandview Cemetery at telephone number 412-823-7070. Monday | Tuesday | Thursday 10 am. – 3 pm. Wednesday | Friday 9 am – 2 pm.
- **IRC - Family First Essentials closet collection** - See attached flyer.
- **Saint Nicholas Sunday School Children - Donations for our Church** - We will be setting up a plastic container upstairs in the Narthex (near the donation basket), for our church children to donate money. The purpose of this collection container is to teach our Sunday School Children the importance of donating to the church. If they have some extra change, or a dollar, please donate it. At the end of the school year, the money will be presented to St. Nicholas Orthodox Church as a donation from our wonderful children.



Family First Essentials Donation Drive

What is it?

IRMC's Family Medicine Residency is starting a Family First Essentials closet for parents in need to get items they may not be able to afford but are needed to care for their new baby/toddler.

Where is it?

The clinic is located at the Mahoning Medical Center in Marion Center, PA.

What items are needed?

Baby blankets	Infants Tylenol
Books	Infants Zyrtec
Baby wash	Baby lotion/Vaseline
Bibs	Milk storage bags
Bottles	Nipple cream
Breast feeding covers	Nystatin
Infant First aid kit	Onesies (up to 2T)
Breast pads	Pacifier
Hand breast pump	Footie pajamas (up to 2T)
Diaper bag	Socks
Baby hats	Swaddles
Thermometer	Wash cloths
Baby wipes	



Who can you contact?

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