

St. Nicholas Antiochian Orthodox Church

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SUNDAY AFTER THE THEOPHANY OF CHRIST THEODOSIOS THE GREAT, HEAD OF MONASTERIES (CENOBIARCH)

Today's Reader: Shaina Matthew

Next Sunday– January 11, 2026

Reader: Matushka Loretta

Commemorations/Bread Offering for the Holy Oblation: Ramey & Jean Herrmann Family

Coffee Hour Luncheon next will be prepared by: the Lowen & Tomaino Families

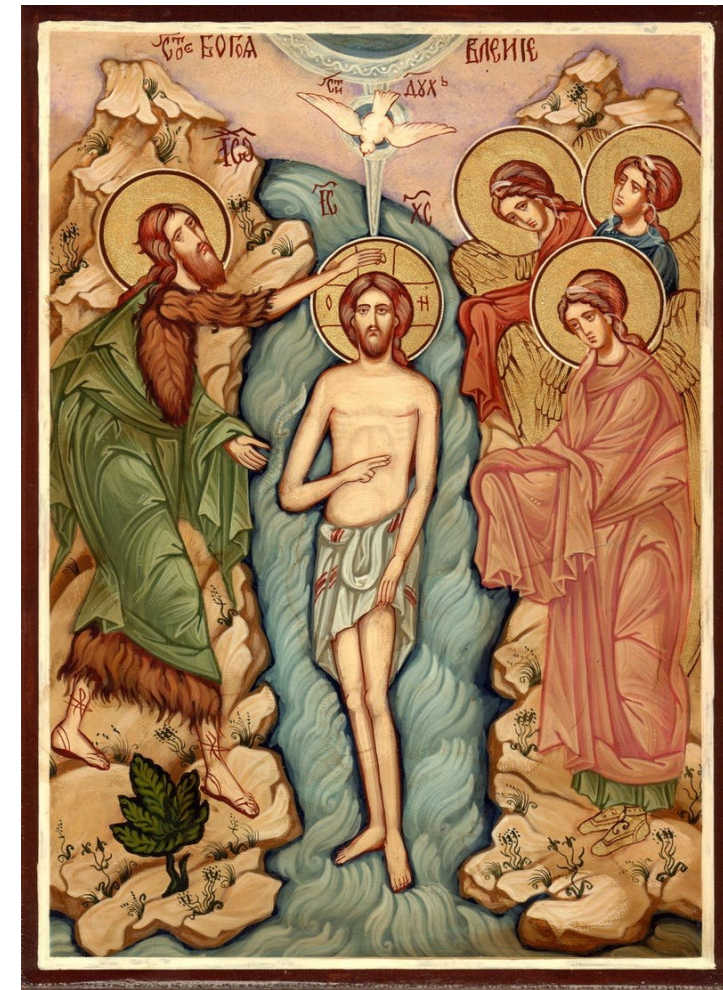
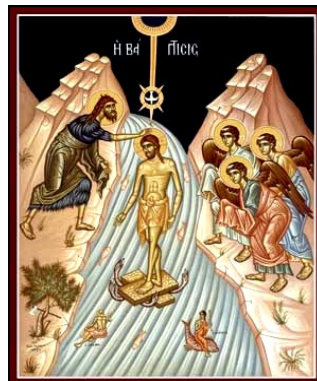
Bread for the Holy Oblation is Offered for the health & salvation of the Ordinand Matthew, Shaina, Isaiah, and the members of the Benefield and Durbin families.

It is also offered in loving memory of the departed members of the Benefield and Durbin families

"the Disciples were first called Christians in Antioch" (Acts 11:26)

Please note that **Holy Communion is reserved for members of the Holy Orthodox Church** who have prepared themselves through prayer, fasting and confession. However, all are welcome to partake of the blessed bread at the dismissal.

Please join us during our fellowship at the Coffee Hour immediately after the Divine Liturgy.



"Blessings Box" Collection Update



Beloved in Christ,

This year, we are collecting non-perishable food for our new **BLESSING BOX!** PLEASE KEEP BRINGING FOOD so that we may continue to stock our shelves and have food to stock adequately. We need to continue our efforts in providing food for those who are truly Hungry. God bless everyone for your holy efforts!

SUNDAY AFTER THE THEOPHANY OF CHRIST
THEODOSIOS THE GREAT, HEAD OF MONASTERIES (CENOBIARCH)

Troparion of the Resurrection, in the Sixth Tone

When Mary stood at Thy grave, looking for Thy sacred body, angelic powers shone above Thy revered tomb; and the soldiers who were to keep guard became as dead men. Thou led Hades captive and wast not tempted thereby. Thou didst meet the Virgin and didst give life to the world, O Thou, Who art risen from the dead, O Lord, glory to Thee.

Troparion of Theophany, in the First Tone

At Thy baptism in the Jordan, O Lord, the worship of the Trinity was revealed; for the Father's voice bore witness to Thee, calling Thee His beloved Son. And the Spirit in the form of a dove confirmed the truth of His word. O Christ God, Who hath appeared unto us and enlightened the world, glory to Thee.

Troparion of the Saint, in the Eighth Tone

The barren wilderness thou didst make fertile with the streams of thy tears; and by thy deep sighing thou hast given fruit through thy struggles a hundredfold. Accordingly, thou hast become a star for the universe, sparkling with miracles. Therefore, O righteous Father Theodosios, intercede with Christ God to save our souls.

Troparion of St. Nicholas, in the Fourth Tone

Thy righteous acts have manifested thee to thy flock as a model of faith, a reflection of humility, and a teacher of abstinence, O Father Bishop Nicholas. Therefore, through humility thou hast achieved exaltation, and through poverty riches. Intercede thou with Christ to save our souls.

Kontakion of Theophany, in the Fourth Tone

On this day Thou hast appeared * unto the whole world, * and Thy light, O Sovereign Lord, * is signed on us who sing Thy praise * and chant with knowledge: Thou hast now come, * Thou hast appeared, O Thou Light unapproachable.



Epistle

Hebrews 13:7-16

Prokeimenon: Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saint. What shall we render to the Lord for all that He hath rendered unto us?

Brethren, remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the Word of God; consider the outcome of their life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Do not be led away by diverse and strange teachings; for it is well that the heart be strengthened by grace, not by foods, which have not benefited their adherents. We have an altar from which those who serve the tent have no right to eat. For the bodies of those animals whose blood is brought into the sanctuary by the high priest as a sacrifice for sin are burned outside the camp. So Jesus also suffered outside the gate in order to sanctify the people through His own blood. Therefore, let us go forth to Him outside the camp and bear the abuse He endured. For here we have no lasting city, but we seek the city, which is to come. Through Him then let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge His Name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

Gospel

Matthew 4:12-17

At that time, when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew into Galilee; and leaving Nazareth he went and dwelt in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulon and Naphtali, so that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: "The land of Zebulon and the land of Naphtali, toward the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned." From that time Jesus began to preach, saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."





Calendar: January - February 2026

1/10/2026	5:00 pm	Great Vespers with Bishop THOMAS presiding
1/11/2026	9:25 am 10:30 am	Orthros, Bishop THOMAS Presiding Hierarchical Divine Liturgy with Bishop THOMAS presiding and the Ordination of Sdn Matthew to the Holy Diaconate Banquet in Honor of Bishop THOMAS and Dn. Matthew
1/14/2026 (Wed)	6:00 pm	Divine Liturgy
1/18/2026 (Sun)	1:30 pm	Parish Council Meeting
2/2/2026 (Mon)		Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord (Celebration of the Feast will be transferred to Sunday, Feb 1)
2/14/2026 (Sat)	1:00 pm	Wedding of Nathaniel Keith and Grace Sparks Reception to Follow (See invitation in this Bulletin)



Calendar for the Week of January 11, 2026	Saints of the Day
Sunday—January 11, 2026 9:15 am Orthros—Bishop THOMAS Presiding 10:30 am Hierarchical Divine Liturgy & Ordination of Sdn Matthew to the Holy Diaconate Banquet in Honor of Bishop Thomas & Deacon Matthew	Theodosius, Head of Monasteries
Monday—January 12, 2026	Tatiana the Martyr
Tuesday—January 13, 2026	Hermilus & Stratonicus the Martyrs
Wednesday—January 14, 2026 Fast 6:00 pm Divine Liturgy	The Fathers Killed in Sinai and Rhaitho
Thursday—January 15, 2026	Paul of Thebes & John the Hut Dweller
Friday—January 16, 2026 Fast	Adoration of the Precious Chain of St. Peter
Saturday—January 17, 2026 5:00 pm Great Vespers Confessions Afterward	The Righteous Anthony the Great, the God-Mantled
Sunday—January 18, 2026 9:25 am - Orthros 9:30 am - High School 10:00 am – Youth Ministry 10:30 am - Divine Liturgy After Liturgy- Junior & Youngsters Church School 1:30 pm Parish Council Meeting	Athanasius and Cyril, Patriarchs of Alexandria
<p>Please note that Confessions are heard at the time noted above in the coming week's schedule, or by appointment by calling Fr. Samuel at: (304) 541-8550.</p>	

Join us for the
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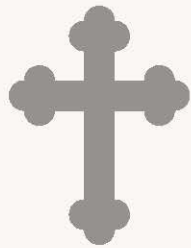
Nathaniel

and

Grace

Saturday, February 14th 2026, at 1pm

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Reception to follow



RSVP

by email or text

your response is requested by January 14th, 2026
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please include your name, and name of guests