

Announcements

- **Pascha this year:** We are anticipating with hope and faith a full celebration of the Lord's Pascha — Easter — this coming Sunday, April 16, with the services beginning at 11:30 PM on Holy Saturday night, April 15. With all the details involved, I entreat you to carefully read e-mail announcements and to sign up to help.
- **Safety:** We will have grant-funded security guards on the property (and at St. Brigid's) Holy Friday and Pascha nights.
- **Parking this week:** The Sisters at St. Brigid School have offered their parking for our use during Holy Week. *The lot on Broadway between Van Ness & Franklin will be open for all afternoon and evening services this week and all services on Holy Friday–Saturday–Pascha.* If you'd like to part there on Monday–Thursday morning please be in touch with Kelly or Fr. Kirill.

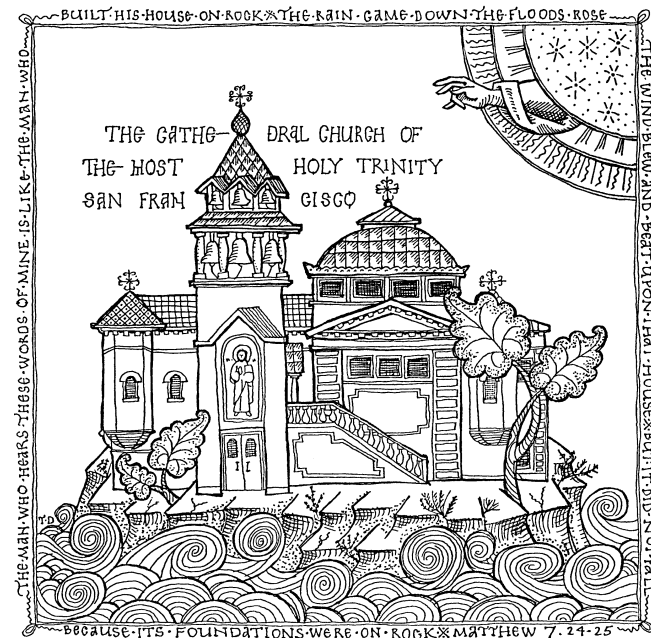
Great and Holy Week 2023 at Holy Trinity

- Sun. April 9:** 6:30 pm Beginning of Holy Week - Bridegroom Matins
- Mon. April 10:** 6:30 pm Bridegroom Matins
- Tue. April 11:** 9:30 am Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
12:00 noon Holy Week Prayers at USF
6:30 pm Bridegroom Matins
- Wed. April 12:** 9:30 am Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
6:30 pm Matins of Great Thursday
- Thu. April 13:** 9:30 am Vespers of the Divine Liturgy of St. Basil
6:30 pm Great Friday Matins: 12 Passion Gospels
- Fri. April 14:** **Great and Holy Friday**
9:30 am Royal Hours
4:00 pm Vespers of the Deposition
6:30 pm Great Saturday Matins (with procession)
- Sat. April 15:** 9:30 am Vespers of the Divine Liturgy of St. Basil
11:30 pm Midnight Office. At midnight,
Paschal Procession and Matins, Divine Liturgy,
blessing of Baskets, festal breakfast potluck
- Sun. April 16:** **CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED, HE IS RISEN!**
1:00 pm Paschal Agape Vespers

Contact Fr. Kirill

Question? Want to talk? Be on our email list?
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Holy Trinity Cathedral



Sunday, April 9, 2023

Most Reverend Benjamin,
Archbishop of San Francisco and the West

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We are delighted to be together with you in worshipping the Holy Trinity.
Welcome!

Today's Epistle
Philippians 4:4-9

Today's Gospel
John 12:1-18

**Entry of Our Lord into
Jerusalem. Palm Sunday.**

Today's Epistle
Philippians 4:4-9

Brethren: Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Let your moderation be known to all men. The Lord is at hand. Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, shall keep your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, do. And the God of peace shall be with you.

Today's Gospel
John 12:1-18

Six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was who had been dead, whom He had raised from the dead. There they made Him a supper; and Martha served, but Lazarus was one of those who sat at the table with Him. Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil.

But one of His disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, who would betray Him, said, "Why was this fragrant oil not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" This he said, not that he cared for the poor, but because he was a thief, and had the money box; and he used to take what was put in it.

But Jesus said, "Let her alone; she has kept this for the day of My burial. For the poor you have with you always, but Me you do not have always."

Now a great many of the Jews knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. But the chief priests plotted to put

Lazarus to death also, because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus.

The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out:

"Hosanna!

"Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!"

The King of Israel!"

Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written:

"Fear not, daughter of Zion;

Behold, your King is coming,

Sitting on a donkey's colt."

His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and that they had done these things to Him.

Therefore the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of his tomb and raised him from the dead, bore witness. For this reason the people also met Him, because they heard that He had done this sign.



Many Years!

Baptism & Chrismation:

Felicia Dunham (April 11)
Hugues Disney (Palm Sunday)

& on Holy Saturday:

John McBride
Johann Morse
Karen Lee McNally
Matushka Sophia Sokolov
Ashley Nina Kolaya

Birthday:

Tamara Sokolov (April 15)

Nameday:

Hugues Disney (Apr 9)

Thank You!

Welcome guests and visitors! Please join us for coffee and lunch after the Divine Liturgy. We look forward to saying hello.

Thanks to Katherine S. and Frank M. for organizing today's fellowship meal. Our appreciation to Matushka Sophia for preparing a festive Lazarus Saturday reception, too!

We give glory to God for the receptions into the Holy Church yesterday of: Kathryn Edwards, taking St. Helen as her patron and Paul, Anne, and Elizabeth Yeager

There's a lot to be done in the coming days — what a blessing — may God strengthen us all!