

Announcements

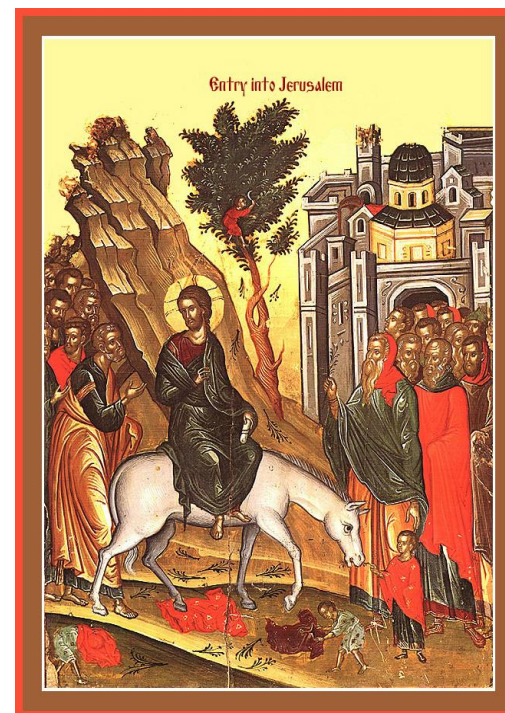
We welcome all of those who are visiting with us this morning at St. Nicholas Orthodox Church. Please join us following the Divine Liturgy for coffee hour. We pray that your experience here this morning was uplifting. We look forward to seeing you again soon.

1. Our Holy Week schedule can be found on the table in the foyer and on our website. It will be a very busy week! Immersing ourselves in these services helps prepare us for the joy of Pascha, so please come to as many of the services as you can.
2. It is traditional to decorate the Lord's tomb with flowers. Easter Lilies, of course, are fine, but we also use whatever flowers are beautiful to you. Potted flowers are fine. After Pascha you may take them home to plant, or give them to others to put in their gardens. We will be decorating the tomb after Royal Hours on Friday morning if you would like to help.
3. We need readers for all or almost all services! Please volunteer to take part in this way by contacting Fr. James. Readers are also needed to read the Resurrection Gospel at Agape Vespers on Sunday afternoon, April 12. We have English, Greek, Spanish and Cherokee covered. Do you know another language? Volunteer to read the Gospel in that language!
4. Many services in the coming week, such as the Burial of our Lord on Friday, as well as Pascha itself, are excellent introductions to our faith. Consider inviting friends and family so that they experience the beauty of Orthodoxy first hand.

SAINT NICHOLAS ORTHODOX CHURCH

April 1, 2018

Entry of our Lord into Jerusalem



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Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

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v. O give thanks unto the Lord for He is good, for His mercy endures forever. (117:1)	
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While Holy Communion is reserved for Orthodox Christians who prepare themselves by prayer and fasting, non-Orthodox visitors are welcome to come forward to venerate the cross and receive the Antidoron (blessed bread) at the conclusion of the service.

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