



JULY 12, 2026 | 6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | TONE 5 MARTYRS PROCLUS & HILARY OF ANCYRA

SCRIPTURE READINGS

ROMANS 12:6-14 | EPISTLE (110)

Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness. Let love be without hypocrisy. Abhor what is evil. Cling to what is good. Be kindly affectionate to one another with brotherly love, in honor giving preference to one another; not lagging in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord; rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing steadfastly in prayer; distributing to the needs of the saints, given to hospitality. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse.

MATTHEW 9:1-8 | GOSPEL (29)

So He got into a boat, crossed over, and came to His own city. Then behold, they brought to Him a paralytic lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith, He said to the paralytic, "Son, be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you." And at once some of the scribes said within themselves, "This Man blasphemes!" But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, "Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven you,' or to say, 'Arise and walk'? But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins"—then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house." And he arose and departed to his house. Now when the multitudes saw it, they marveled and glorified God, who had given such power to men.

WISDOM FROM THE FATHERS

"He first loosed the sickness of the soul by forgiving the sins, and then healed the palsy of the body. For sin is the root, and sickness the fruit; He removed the cause, and the effect straightway followed."

ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM ✠ ARCHBISHOP OF CONSTANTINOPLE

"...if thou revilest a man, thou revilest the image of God."

ST. EPHRAIM THE SYRIAN ✠ DEACON AND HYMNOGRAPHER

MANY YEARS!

ANNIVERSARIES

17TH – Harry & Polly Mikita

20TH – Ernie & Jeanie Mikita

22ND – Bill & Rachel Stevens

BIRTHDAYS

1ST – Kylie Jackson

2ND – Lorene Denson

6TH – Rodney Glover

7TH – Jonathan Mikita

7TH – Bron Burnside

8TH – Carrie Ann Guy

8TH – Brianna Pyatt

13TH – Wyatt Mikita

15TH – Linda Hendrix

16TH – LD Meier

17TH – Haylee Schulte

17TH – Bryan Hlatki

17TH – Hannah Schulte

18TH – Brooklyn Billmire

19TH – Grady Leithead

19TH – Evie Stevens

21ST – Whitney Tunink

22ND – Luke Meier

27TH – Brayden Glover

29TH – Jason Mikita

CALENDAR

SAT JUL 11

Great Vespers, 6:30 PM

SUN JUL 12 — 6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Fr. Tikhon Krueger · Coffee Hour follows (Team 3)

Youth Paddleboarding, 1:30 PM — Monument Lake

SAT JUL 18

Great Vespers, 6:30 PM

SUN JUL 19

Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Coffee Hour follows (Team 4)

SAT JUL 25

Great Vespers, 6:30 PM

SUN JUL 26

Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Coffee Hour follows (Team 5)

HOLY DORMITION ON THE PRAIRIE

*Where Colorado's prairies meet the sky,
The faithful keep their hope held high.
From Slavic roots, through toil and prayer,
They planted living faith with care.
Their tables welcome friend and guest,
Their hearts make every stranger blessed.
With bread, kind words, and open door,
They share Christ's love forevermore.
St. Tikhon walked these western lands,
With gentle heart and blessing hands.
His prayers still strengthen all who come
To Holy Dormition's humble home.
May every bell, each hymn, each face,
Bear witness to God's boundless grace,
Until the prairie and the skies
Resound with heaven's joyful cries.*

✠ FR. GEORGE

TROPARIA & KONTAKIA

TROPARION — TONE 5 (RESURRECTION)

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born for our salvation from the Virgin; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection.

TROPARION — TONE 4 (MARTYRS)

Thy holy martyrs Proclus and Hilary, O Lord, through their sufferings have received incorruptible crowns from Thee, our God. For having Thy strength, they laid low their adversaries, and shattered the powerless boldness of demons. Through their intercession, save our souls!

TROPARION — TONE 8 (VEN. MICHAEL)

The image of God was truly preserved in thee, O Father, for thou didst take up the Cross and follow Christ. By so doing, thou taughtest us to disregard the flesh for it passes away; but to care instead for the soul, for it is immortal. Therefore thy spirit, venerable Michael, rejoices with the angels.

KONTAKION — TONE 5 (RESURRECTION)

Thou didst descend into hell, O my Savior, shattering its gates as Almighty, resurrecting the dead as Creator, and destroying the sting of death. Thou hast delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of man, and we cry to Thee: "O Lord, save us!"

KONTAKION — TONE 4 (MARTYRS)

Like the morning star, your glorious sufferings enlighten us with holy miracles. We celebrate your memory, O Proclus and Hilary; pray to Christ our God for us that He will save our souls!

KONTAKION — TONE 2 (VEN. MICHAEL)

By thy deeds thou didst wither the arrogance of the flesh; and through enlightenment thou gavest wings to thine agility of spirit. Thou wast revealed as a dwelling-place of the Trinity, Whom now thou dost clearly behold. O blessed Michael, unceasingly pray for us all!

PRAYER LIST

LIVING:

Met. Tikhon, Abp. Benjamin, Bp. Vasily, Fr. Andreas, Fr. Anthony, Fr. Zechariah, Fr. Dennis, Fr. Silouan, Fr. Ambrose, Fr. George & Family, Mother Cassiana, Mother Magdalena, Dcn. Herman & Family, Muriel, April, Madalyn, Makenzie, MaKiya, Hannah, Haylee, Keith, Victoria, Russ, Kade

DEPARTED:

Michelle, Jake, Russ, Barclay, Joe
Eugene H. Eurich (8 Years) ✠ Memory Eternal!
Nicholas Manyik (11 Years) ✠ Memory Eternal!
Mike Pavlica (92 Years) ✠ Memory Eternal!
Peter Sedlak (60 Years) ✠ Memory Eternal!
Brian Milner (1 Year) ✠ Memory Eternal!

WITH CHILD:

Kelsey, Kelly

CONFINED:

Basil, Hannah, Theodore

INFANTS:

Dominic, AdaLynn, Gus

COMMEMORATIONS

Martyrs Proclus and Hilary of Ancyra, Venerable Michael Maleinos, Martyrs Theodore and his son John of Kiev, Venerable Arsenius of Novgorod the Fool-for-Christ, Venerable Simon of Volomsk, Martyr Golinduc of Persia, Venerable John the Georgian of Mount Athos, Venerable Gabriel the Georgian of Mount Athos, the Icon of the Mother of God "of the Three Hands," Saint Veronica, Saint Serapion the New, Venerable Paisios of the Holy Mountain, and the Prodromitsa Icon of the Mother of God.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Book Signing — "The Divided Soul": Sat, Jul 25, 10 AM at the Haven School, Black Forest. Author Heidi White. RSVP: dividedsouldiscussion.rsvpify.com

Summer Food Program: Free Kids Food & Fun Boxes (ages 18 & under), through July, Monday pickup. Register weekly at KidsEat.org

Youth — Paddleboarding: Today after the meal, ~1:30–4:30 PM at Monument Lake (location changed from Palmer Lake!). Contact Mka. Mary J. for more information.

Youth — Rockies Game: Sun, Aug 23. Liturgy at Transfiguration, meal, then Coors Field. Contact Mka. Mary J.

Greek Festival (Archangel Michael, COS): Aug 21, 5–10 PM; Aug 22, 11 AM–10 PM; Aug 23, 11 AM–3 PM.