

Tone 4 Troparion (*Resurrection*)

When the women disciples of the Lord
learned from the angel the joyous message of Thy Resurrection,
they cast away the ancestral curse
and elatedly told the apostles:
“Death is overthrown!
Christ God is risen,//
granting the world great mercy!”

Tone 8 Troparion (*Midfeast*)

In the middle of the feast, O Savior,
fill my thirsting soul with the waters of piety, as Thou didst cry to all:
“If anyone thirst, let him come to Me and drink!”//
O Christ God, Fountain of our life, glory to Thee!

Tone 3 Troparion (*St. Matthew*)

From the tax desk you eagerly followed the call of Christ the master,
Who of His goodness, revealed Himself on earth to man.
You appear as a chosen apostle and eloquent proclaimer of the Gospel
to the universe!
Wherefore, we revere your honorable memory, O Divinely speaking
Matthew!!
Pray to the merciful God that He will grant remission of sins to our souls.

Glory... Tone 8 Kontakion (*Pentecostarion*)

The Samaritan Woman came to the well in faith;
she saw Thee, the Water of wisdom and drank abundantly.//
She inherited the Kingdom on high, and is ever glorified!

Now and Ever... Tone 4 Kontakion (*Midfeast*)

Christ God, the Creator and Master of all,
cried to all in the midst of the feast of the Law:
“Come and draw the water of immortality!”
We fall before Thee and faithfully cry://
“Grant us Thy mercies, for Thou art the Fountain of our life!”

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Sunday of the Samaritan Woman

Acts 11:19–6; 29–30 (Epistle)

In those days, those who were scattered after the persecution that arose over Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, preaching the word to no one but the Jews only. But some of them were men from Cyprus and Cyrene, who, when they had come to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists, preaching the Lord Jesus. And the hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number believed and turned to the Lord. Then news of these things came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent out Barnabas to go as far as Antioch. When he came and had seen the grace of God, he was glad, and encouraged them all that with purpose of heart they should continue with the Lord. For he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were added to the Lord. Then Barnabas departed for Tarsus to seek Saul. And when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for a whole year they assembled with the church and taught a great many people. And the disciples were first called Christians in Antioch. Then the disciples, each according to his ability, determined to send relief to the brethren dwelling in Judea. This they also did, and sent it to the elders by the hands of Barnabas and Saul.

John 4:5–42 (Gospel)

At that time, Jesus came to a city of Samaria which is called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob gave to his son Joseph. Now Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied from His journey, sat thus by the well. It was about the sixth hour. A woman of Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, “Give Me a drink.” For His disciples had gone away into the city to buy food. Then the woman of Samaria said to Him, “How is it that You, being a Jew, ask a drink from me, a Samaritan woman?” For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans. →

SMOC News and Events

- Please remember that, after the announcements/blessing following the Divine Liturgy, Post-Communion prayers are being read. Conversations should wait until exiting the Nave. Thank you for doing your part to respect our church, and those praying!
- Sunday School is taking place every week, and will conclude on May 31st.
- Bible Study runs from 10:30–11:45 am every Tuesday. One can attend in person or on Zoom. We have just begun the Book of Acts!
- This Wednesday, May 13th, we are going to gather for Daily Vespers at our section of Holy Trinity Cemetery in New Denmark, instead of at the parish. There will be memorial prayers following Vespers.
- The May Parish Council meeting will occur in-person next Sunday, May 17th. We will meet upstairs at noon. All are welcome to attend!
- Our parish helps provide bagged lunches for St. John's shelters in the summer months. We will gather in Herrick Hall at 9:15am on Friday, May 22nd, to assemble them. Donations to cover costs are also welcome! There is no sign up sheet for this; just come if you are available to help!
- There will be a Women's Group Potluck Lunch and Discussion at the parish on Saturday, May 23rd.
- We will have a planning meeting for the Fall Festival on Sunday, May 24th, at noon.
- Registration for our annual Vacation Church School, taking place June 24–26, is now open! The flyer with the registration information was in yesterday's email and is on the bulletin board.
- Melissa A. will be hosting a class on baking Prosphora (the bread used for the Eucharist) on Wednesday, June 3rd. The class will be at St. Matthew's, from 9:30am–12:30pm. Anyone interested in learning how to bake Prosphora is welcome to attend!

Liturgical Schedule

St. Matthew Orthodox Church, Green Bay

◆ Please see full liturgical schedule online at www.smocgb.com

Wednesday, May 13, 6:00 PM—Daily Vespers & Memorial
[at Holy Trinity Cemetery, New Denmark]

Saturday, May 16, 5:00 PM—Great Vespers

Sunday, May 17, 8:30 AM—Matins; 9:30 AM—Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, May 20, 6:00 PM—Great Vespers

Thursday, May 21, 9:10 AM—Hours; 9:30 AM—Divine Liturgy
(Ascension)

Saturday, May 23, 5:00 PM—Great Vespers

Sunday, May 24, 8:30 AM—Matins, 9:30 AM—Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, May 27, 6:00 PM—Daily Vespers

Saturday, May 30, 5:00 PM—Great Vespers (Pentecost)

Sunday, May 31, 8:30 AM—Matins, 9:30 AM—Divine Liturgy
(Pentecost)

Wednesday, June 3, 6:00 PM—Daily Vespers

Saturday, June 6, 5:00 PM—Great Vespers

Sunday, June 7, 8:45 AM—Reception of Converts; 9:30 AM—
Divine Liturgy (All Saints)

St. Macrina Chapel, Waupaca

(All services in Waupaca)

Saturday, May 16, 9:10 AM—Hours; 9:30 AM—Divine Liturgy

Saturday, May 23, 6:00 PM—Great Vespers

Sunday, May 24, 9:30 AM—Hours; 9:50 AM—Typika

Saturday, June 20, 6:00 PM—Great Vespers

Sunday, June 21, 9:30 AM—Hours; 9:50 AM—Typika

Ministry Team:

In May, give to Missions! Our parish has committed regular support to OCMC, which sends Orthodox missionaries on international missions to spread the Gospel.