

Bulletin sponsor this week for the:**Health of:**

Linda & Richard on their Anniversary
Amy Romanofsky Schneider on her birthday, offered by Maribeth and Andrew

Memory of

Our mother, **Anne**, offered by Linda and Richard

Romans 6:18-23 (*4th Sunday after Pentecost*)

[Galatians 5:22-26;6:1-2](#) (*Saint Anthony*)

Readings:

Matthew 8:5-13 (*4th Sunday after Pentecost*)

[Matthew 4:25-5:12](#) (*Saint Anthony*)

Brethren, having been set free from sin, we have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms, because of your natural limitations. For just as you once yielded your members to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now yield your members to righteousness for sanctification. When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. But then what return did you get from the things of which you are now ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the return you get is sanctification and its end, eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

At that time, as Jesus entered Capernaum, a centurion came forward to him, beseeching him and saying, "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, in terrible distress." And he said to him, "I will come and heal him." But the centurion answered him, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof; but only say the word, and my servant will be healed. For I am a man under authority, with soldiers under me; and I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my slave, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard him, he marveled, and said to those who followed him, "Truly, I say to you, not even in Israel have I found such faith. I tell you, many will come from east and west and sit at table with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven, while the sons of the kingdom will be thrown into the outer darkness; there men will weep and gnash their teeth." And to the centurion Jesus said, "Go; be it done for you as you have believed." And the servant was healed at that very moment.

Sunday Services:

Hours - 9:40 AM	Divine Liturgy – 10:00 AM
General Confession – 9:45 AM on the first Sunday of each month	
Private Confession - by appointment, contact Fr Matthew Pannikhidas – after Divine Liturgy 3rd Sunday of each month	

Mask wearing in church is optional for vaccinated persons.
 Those who are unvaccinated should continue to mask up.
 Thank you for caring about your fellow parishioners!

Coffee hour - after Divine Liturgy.

We would like to welcome all parish visitors and invite you to join us after the Liturgy, downstairs, for Coffee hour.

Church School is presently on summer hiatus.**Announcements:**

- **Please remember the citizens of Ukraine in your prayers.**
- Donations are being accepted for an outdoor chairlift to be used on our steps.
- There will be a meeting of the Parish Council on July 31st after coffee hour.

Reminders:

- Please consider mailing your weekly donation to our treasurer:
 Church of the Mother of God, c/o Holly Dawson, treasurer,
 111 Main Ave, Egg Harbor Township, NJ 08234
 Thank you to everyone who has been sending in their donations.
- Announcements or Prayer Requests for the bulletin, should be **submitted by email to: Bulletin@ChurchMotherOfGod.org** (there is no longer a sign up sheet at the candle stand).
- The Living Clean Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets every Friday from 8-9:15 pm downstairs in the community room.
- The Grey Book Step Meeting Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets every Tuesday from 7-8:00 pm downstairs in the community room.

Venerable Anthony of the Kiev Far Caves, Founder of Monasticism in Russia:

*From your youth you gave yourself to God whom you loved above all,
O Venerable One;
and in love you followed after him with your whole soul.
Scorning the passing corruption of the world, you made a cave in the earth;
and in it you struggled nobly facing the snares of the invisible enemy,
while illumining the ends of the earth like a bright, shining sun.
Therefore, with rejoicing you entered into the heavenly chambers.
Standing now before the throne of the Master together with the angels,
remember us who honor your holy memory,
that we may cry out to you: Rejoice, Anthony our Holy Father!*

Kontakion – Tone 8

To read more about the saints remembered today, see:
<https://www.oca.org/saints/lives/2022/07/10>

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**Glory to
Jesus Christ**

**Glory
forever**

Venerable Anthony of the Kiev Far Caves,
Founder of Monasticism in Russia

*Having departed from worldly tumults,
in leaving the world you followed Christ according to the Gospel.
You reached the quiet refuge of the Holy Mount Athos, living there a life equal to the angels.
Therefore, with the blessing of the Fathers, you came to the Kievan hills.
There having fulfilled a life loving of labors, you illumined your homeland.
And having shown a multitude of monastics
the pathway leading to the heavenly kingdom, you led them to Christ.
Beseech him, O Venerable Anthony, that he may save our souls!*

Troparion – Tone 4

July 10, 2022

Today the Church remembers:

Ven. Anthony of the Kiev Caves, Founder of Monasticism in Russia (1073) • Holy 45
Martyrs at Nicopolis in Armenia, including Leontius, Maurice, Daniel, Anthony, Alexander, Sisinius,
Meneus, and Belerad (Verelad—ca. 319) • The Placing of the Honorable Robe of the Lord at
Moscow (1625) • Ven. Silvanus, Schema-monk, of the Kiev Caves (Far Caves—13th-14th c.) •
Martyr Apollonius of Sardis (3rd c.) • Martyrs Bianor and Silvanus of Pisidia (4th c.) • 10,000
Fathers of the deserts and caves of Scete martyred by the impious Patriarch Theophilus of Alexandria
(ca. 398) • Martyr Nikódēmos of Elbassan (Albanian—1722) • Monastic Martyr Nectarius of St.
Anne Skete (Mt. Athos—1820) • The KONEVSKAYA Icon of the Mother of God.

4th Sunday after Pentecost.

Tone 3 of the Octoechos.