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[Hebrews 7:26-28;8:1-2](#) (Saint)

**Readings:**

**II Corinthians 6:16-7:1** (17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost)

[John 10:9-16](#) (Saint)

**Luke 7:11-16** (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Luke)

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**Brethren**, what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For we are the temple of the living God; as God said, “I will live in them and move among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. Therefore come out from them, and be separate from them, says the Lord, and touch nothing unclean; then I will welcome you, and I will be a father to you, and you shall be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty.” Working together with him, then, we entreat you not to accept the grace of God in vain.

**At that time**, Jesus went to a city called Nain, and his disciples and a great crowd went with him. As he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and a large crowd from the city was with her. And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her and said to her, “Do not weep.” And he came and touched the bier, and the bearers stood still. And he said, “Young man, I say to you, arise.” And the dead man sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother. Fear seized them all; and they glorified God, saying, “A great prophet has arisen among us!” and “God has visited his people!”

**Sunday Services:**

<b>Hours - 9:40 AM</b> <b>General Confession – 9:45 AM</b> on the first Sunday of each month <b>Private Confession -</b> by appointment, contact Fr Matthew <b>Pannikhidas –</b> after Divine Liturgy 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month	<b>Divine Liturgy – 10:00 AM</b>
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Mask wearing in church is now optional. Please be respectful of 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 has resumed as of September 18<sup>th</sup>**

Classes are meeting immediately after Communion every week.+

**Announcements:**

- **Bishop Michael** will visit our parish on **Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>**. The Sisterhood will host a luncheon following Divine Liturgy that day. Tickets will be required for those age 12 and up attending the luncheon. Tickets will cost \$5 per person. See Tammy Zimmerman for information on tickets.
- **Please remember the citizens of Ukraine in your prayers.**
- Donations are being accepted for an outdoor chairlift to be used on our steps.
- **Next meeting of the Parish Council** will be Sunday, October 30, 2022 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](mailto: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.

**Glorification of Saint Tikhon, Apostle to America:**

*A gentle manner adorned You  
you showed kindness and compassion to those who repented  
you were firm and unbending in confessing the Orthodox Faith  
and zealous in loving the Lord  
O Holy Hierarchy of Christ and Confessor Tikhon  
pray for us that we may not be separated from the love of God  
which is of Christ Jesus, our King and Lord.*

Kontakion – Tone 2

**Note:** Due to the coincidence of the **Feast of St. Tikhon** falling on this Sunday, in keeping with OCA practice, the Commemoration of the **Holy Fathers of the 7<sup>th</sup> Ecumenical Council** is transferred to next Sunday, October 16.

To read more about the saints remembered today, see:

<https://www.oca.org/saints/lives/2022/10/09>

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Glory to  
Jesus Christ

Glory  
forever

Glorification of Saint Tikhon,  
Apostle to America

*Chosen by God in a turbulent time, you glorified God in complete holiness;  
and attained greatness through humility  
you showed forth the power of God through simplicity and piety;  
you laid down your life for the Church and her people,  
O Holy Confessor and Patriarch, Father Tikhon,  
pray to Christ God to Whom you were also crucified  
that He may save our souls.*

Troparion – Tone 1

**October 9, 2022**

**Today the Church remembers:**

**Glorification of St. Tikhon, Patriarch of Moscow and All Russia, Enlightener of North America (1989—Sept 26<sup>th</sup> O.S.)** • Holy Apostle James (Jacob), Son of Alphaeus (1<sup>st</sup> c.) • Fathers of the 7<sup>th</sup> Ecumenical Council • Ven. Andronicus, and his wife Athanasia, of Egypt (5<sup>th</sup> c.) • Righteous forefather Abraham, and his nephew, Lot (ca. 2000 B.C.) • Martyrs Juventius and Maximus at Antioch (363) • St. Publia the Confessor, Deaconess, of Antioch (4<sup>th</sup> c.) • Ven. Peter of Galatia (9<sup>th</sup> c.) • Hieromartyr Dionysius (Denis, Denys) of Paris, Bishop (ca. 258) • The “CHERSON” and “ASSUAGE MY SORROW” Icons of the Mother of God

17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost.

Tone 8 of the Octoechos.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Luke