

PARISH ACTIVITIES

(last month)

BAPTISED:

- *Elizabeth Jakovljevic*

DECEASED - MEMORY ETERNAL!

- *Danica Malobabic*

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

For May 2017.

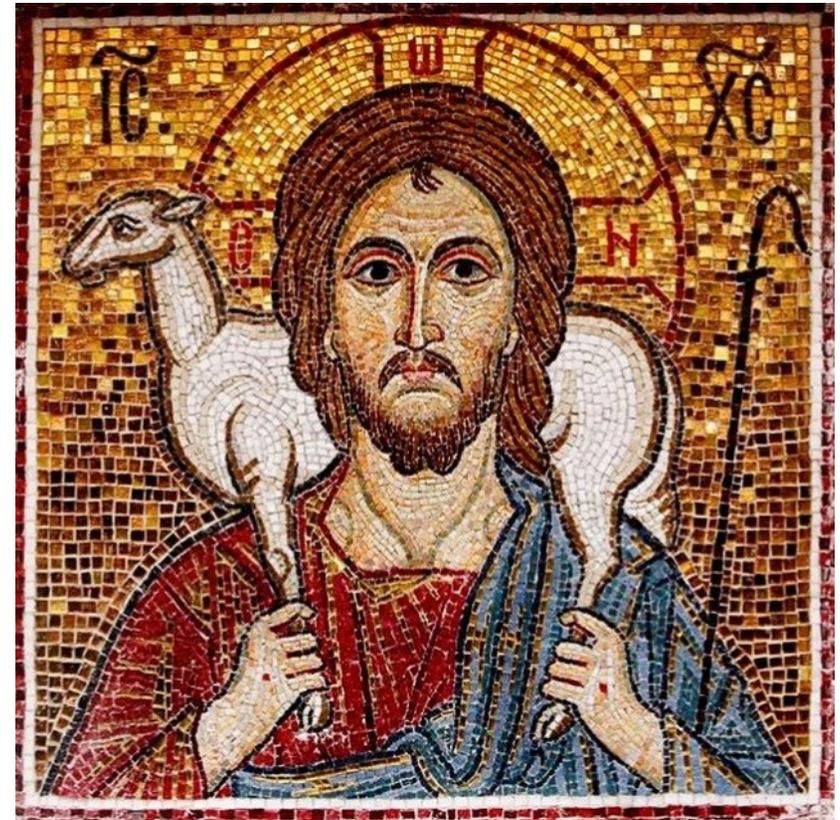
- 06.05. - **ST. GREAT-MARTYR GEORGE** (Saturday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 07.05. - (Sunday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 12.05. - **ST. BASIL OF OSTROG** (Friday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 14.05. - (Sunday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 21.05. - (Sunday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 24.05. - **STs CYRIL & METHODIUS** (Wednesday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 25.05. - **THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD** (Thursday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM
- 28.05. - (Sunday) - Divine Liturgy @ 10:00 AM



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ST. NIKOLAY OF ZICHA & OHRID



Saint Nicholas of Zhicha, “the Serbian Chrysostom,” was born in Lelich in western Serbia on January 4, 1881 (December 23, 1880 O.S.). His parents were Dragomir and Katherine Velimirovich, who lived on a farm where they raised a large family. His pious mother was a major influence on his spiritual development, teaching him by word and especially by example. As a small

child, Nicholas often walked three miles to the Chelije Monastery with his mother to attend services there. He was a man of compunctionate prayer, and possessed the gift of tears which purify the soul (St John Climacus, LADDER, Step 7). He was a true pastor to his flock protecting them from spiritual wolves, and guiding them on the path to salvation. He has left behind many soul-profitting writings which proclaim the truth of Christ to modern man. In them he exhorts people to love God, and to live a life of virtue and holiness. May we also be found worthy of the Kingdom of Heaven through the prayers of St Nicholas, and by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, to Whom be glory forever. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE TO ST. GEORGE THE GREAT-MARTYR

Saint George on a tall horse

Saved the maiden from the dragon,

On his lance, the sign of the Cross,

Holy weapon, invincible,

With that weapon, the dragon he slayed,

The spared maiden, to the father he returned,

With his goodness, he indebted God Himself

With a wreath of glory, God repaid him.

Saint George with a hero's heart,

All wealth, he distributed to the poor,

Rejected the honor and glory of the world

For the sake of the Name of Christ, the Victor,

Sufferings he embraced; sufferings willingly,

His body crushed for the salvation of the soul,

With his goodness, he indebted God Himself,

With a wreath of glory, God repaid him.

George, the Saint and Victor-bearer

Even now walks with the cross on his lance,

Justice he defends, injustice he punishes,

Whoever prays to him with a repenting soul,

George, the Saint flies to his aid.