Birthdays this MONTH ... 
Cindy Anne Lane (April 1) 
Daniel Chadwick (April 5) 
Terry Guszcz (April 9) 
Stephanie Keller (April 12) 
Willa Irene Gregor (April 12) 
Lydia Haylaab (April 16) 
Noah Heise (April 20) 
Andrea Fedoruk (April 23) 
Caterina Gionis (April 26) 
Michael Christian Lane (April 27)

*God grant you many years!*

Hymns from Great Vespers

Thomas, called the Twin, was not with the Disciples, O Christ, when You came to them through closed doors. Therefore, he doubted their word. You did not reject him for his faithlessness. When he saw Your side and the wounds in Your hands and feet, his faith was made certain. Having touched and seen, he confessed You to be truly God, not only man, crying: *“My Lord and my God, glory to You!”*

The Disciples were assembled on the eighth day, and the Savior appeared to them. He gave them peace and said to Thomas: “Come, Apostle! Feel my hands, which were pierced by the nails!” Most wonderful doubt of Thomas! It brought the hearts of the faithful to knowledge. And with fear he cried: *“My Lord and my God, glory to You!”*
PARISH LIFE CONTINUES

Our sad situation of separation from our church services and fellowship continues as we adhere to prudently enforced restrictions to avert the spread and afflictions of the corona-virus. Our personal faith, devotions, and prayers are critical during this time. We hope you have received via email the “Worship & Intercession” videos sent out recently ... and perhaps have made use of the on-line “live” services available from Saint Tikhon’s Monastery or elsewhere on the internet. In some ways, we have been given a uniquely special opportunity for reflections and spiritual renewal/growth in this situation. I recently saw a cartoon that said: “I didn’t expect to give up THIS MUCH for Lent!” Now is a good time to count our past blessings and make blessings to become obvious now, and look to the blessings yet to come our way. When we thankfully and safely return to our beautiful church home, our worship will no doubt be powerfully filled with the joy of PASCHA – Resurrection and new life!

Don’t forget to ...  
Be Safe  
Be Prayerful  
Be Loving

A specially produced “Worship & Intercession” video has been prepared with scenes taken in our church on this Wednesday, April 22nd in honor of Saint Thomas Sunday. It includes the reading of the Paschal Sermon of Saint John Chrysostom, a classic in our celebration of PASCHA ... the Resurrection of our Lord, God, and Savior JESUS CHRIST! Perhaps, God willing, we can gather digitally this Sunday morning through this humble video presentation. Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is Risen!

Thanks to God ... for your support and faithfulness even in these challenging times! As many of you have used our on-line donations to continue your regular or special financial gifts to our parish, we are joyfully grateful. We hope you find this manner of stewardship to be both convenient and easy for you to use. And, for us, it is a great and essential blessing! Find it and try it here:

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