

Vespers at St. Gregory's

Welcome to St. Gregory's! We are a Western Rite congregation of the Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese, under the authority of His Eminence, Metropolitan JOSEPH (and hence part of the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Antioch and all the East).

The Order for Vespers begins on p. 16 of "The English Office Noted" (EON). The Hymns are found in "The St. Ambrose Hymnal" (SAH). Please stand for Vespers; you may be seated for the lessons. The Cantor will sing the odd-numbered verses of the Psalms, the congregation will sing the even-numbered verses.

Saturday, May 8

First Vespers of the First Sunday After Easter

Commemoration of St. Gregory Nazianzen

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 121

(After the hymn) R. For it is toward evening and the day is far spent, alleluia.

The service continues with the Magnificat on p. 18 (EON).

Hymn after the collects: 23

Reading from the Martyrology for May 9

R. Thanks be to God.

Marian Anthem: 181

Saturday, May 15

First Vespers of the Second Sunday After Easter

Commemoration of St. Brendan the Navigator

Psalms for the 15th Day at Evening Prayer, p. 122

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 121

(After the hymn) R. For it is toward evening and the day is far spent, alleluia.

The service continues with the Magnificat on p. 18 (EON).

Hymn after the collects: 23

Reading from the Martyrology for May 16

R. Thanks be to God.

Marian Anthem: 181

Saturday, May 22

First Vespers of the Sunday in the Octave of Dedication

Commemoration of the Third Sunday after Easter

Psalms for the 22nd Day at Evening Prayer, p. 165

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 271

(After the hymn) R. Well it is built on a firm foundation, alleluia.

The service continues with the Magnificat on p. 18 (EON).

Hymn after the collects: 23

Reading from the Martyrology for May 23

R. Thanks be to God.

Marian Anthem: 181

Saturday, May 29

First Vespers of the Fourth Sunday After Easter

Psalms for the 29th Day at Evening Prayer, p. 207

(After the 1st lesson) Office Hymn: 121

(After the hymn) R. For it is toward evening and the day is far spent, alleluia.

The service continues with the Magnificat on p. 18 (EON).

Hymn after the collects: 23

Reading from the Martyrology for May 30

R. Thanks be to God.

Marian Anthem: 181