

## Venerable Arsenius, Abbot of Konevits (June 12)

Saint Arsenius of Konevits was a native of Novgorod, a coppersmith by trade. The saint accepted tonsure at the Lisich monastery near Novgorod, where he spent eleven years. He went to Mount Athos in 1373, and there he spent three years, dwelling in prayer and making copper vessels for the brethren.

In the year 1393, Saint Arsenius returned to Russia and brought with him an icon of the Mother of God, which was later called the Konevits Icon. Saint Arsenius went with this icon to the island of Konevets on Lake Ladoga, where he spent five years in solitude.

In 1398, with the blessing of Archbishop John of Novgorod, Saint Arsenius laid the foundations of a cenobitic monastery dedicated to the Nativity of the Most Holy Theotokos. He visited Athos a second time, and asked the holy Fathers for their prayers and a blessing for his monastery.

In 1421 the lake flooded, destroying the monastery structures. This forced Saint Arsenius to relocate the monastery to a new site on the island. Saint Arsenius died in 1447, and was buried in the monastery church. His Life was written in the sixteenth century by Igumen Barlaam of Konevits. The Life of Saint Arsenius was published in 1850, together with the Service and Akathist in his honor.

*(Text and image from <https://www.oca.org/saints/lives/2022/06/12/101700-venerable-arsenius-abbot-of-konevits>)*



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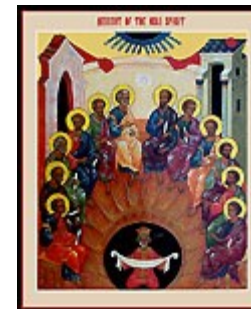


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## June 12, 2022 HOLY PENTECOST



**Old Testament Readings:**

Num. 11: 16-17, 24-29

Joel 2: 23-32

Ezek. 36: 24-28

**Matins Gospel - St. John 20:19-23**

**Epistle: Acts 2:1-11**

**Gospel: St. John 7:32-52, 8:12**

**PENTECOST TROPARION** - Tone 8 - Most blessed art thou, O Christ our God, who when thou hadst made the fishermen most wise, did send down upon them the Holy Spirit, and by them didst draw the world into thy net! O Lord of mercy, glory to thee!

**PENTECOST KONTAKION** - Tone 8 - When coming down He brought confusion on mortal tongues, God Most High brought disunion to nations, and again when He apportioned the tongues of fire, He summoned all mankind to unite once more; and with one accord we glorify the All-Holy Spirit.

**TODAY:** *Liturgy at Fort Washington Mission 9 a.m.*  
Orthros 8:45 a.m. & Divine Liturgy 10 a.m.  
Pentecost Kneeling Prayers at end of Liturgy  
Coffee Hour  
St. Justin Academy Play 1 p.m.

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**Office Hours:** Monday through Thursday 10:00 - 3:00

Fr Noah & Fr James are available for hospital visits. If you or anyone you know is in the hospital or homebound and would like a visit, please call the church office.

## Weekly Ministries & Stewards:

	This Week:	Next Week (June 19):
PROSPHORA BREAD:	Gabi & Catalin; Rachel C.	Sdn Justin Gohl
ALTAR CANDLES:	----	----
USHERS:	Sdn John & Rdr Nick Muz.	Dan M. & Todd M.
ALTAR BOYS:	“Archangel Michael”	“Archangel Gabriel”
CLEANING TEAM:	Nathan, Rebecca & Teens	George & Lily; Zaria
COFFEE HOUR TEAM:	Chris H; Mariya S; Abraham	Calvin; Angie; Dale

\* IT IS TIME TO RETURN OUR FOOD FOR HUNGRY PEOPLE OFFERINGS. Thank you for remembering the needs of others.

### Mark Your Calendar:

#### Parish Life Conference 2022

*June 29-July 3*

Event Registration Link: <https://antiochianevents.com/ny>

Housing Registration Link: <https://registration.antiochianvillage.org/ParishLife2022>

#### Special Sunday School Program

Sundays during July  
9-9:45am during Orthros  
Age 4 thru Grade 8

#### Dormition Fast - August 1-14

Daily Paraklesis

#### Transfiguration

*August 5-6*

#### Vacation Church School

“Treasures in Earthen Vessels”  
*August 8-12*

#### International Food Festival

*September 16-17*

### Pray For:

Living	Departed
Newly-Illumined Makrina	+Hieromonk Nikodemos
Metr. Onuphry and faithful of Ukraine	+Tilomachos
Eugene & Family	(June Parish Diptychs)
Nicole Raymond	+Nicholas
Sze-Tatiana	+Maria
Patrick Doris	+Marion Betty
John John	+Victoria
James James	+Anna
Lasha B	+Gail
Otari B	+Sophia
Helen	+Mat. Linda
Wadieh	<u>Catechumens</u>
Anna	Christian,
Anesia	Taylor,
Mary	Christina,
Mary	Peter, Sarah, Alina,
Claudia	William, & Elsa
Gregory	Kate,
Alexei	Tyson,
●Priest Thomas, Jesse, Nathan and their families & all Missionaries	Joseph & Alana, Ryan,
●New & Expectant Mothers & their children	Zachary, Brandy, Nora, Gavinn, Lorelei, & Otto, Michael, Tina
●For the people of our land, our world, and their repentance, healing & unity	

**OFFERINGS:** Candles, \$261. Collections, \$112. Youth, \$1. Bookshelf Ministry, \$15. Building fund, \$250. Camping, \$250. Mission Chapel, \$100. Stewardship, \$6,765. Total received: \$7,754.

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

## This Week:

### NO FASTING OR ABSTINENCE THIS WEEK (WEEK OF PENTECOST)

Mon, June 13:	<b>HOLY SPIRIT MONDAY</b> Office open
Tues, June 14:	Office open
Wed, June 15:	Office open Little Compline 6:30 p.m. Patristic Reading 7 p.m.
Thurs, June 16:	Office open
Friday, June 17:	Paraklesis, 6:30 p.m.
Sat, June 18:	VESPERS 6:30 p.m. Confession 7:30 p.m. Men’s Bonfire 8 p.m.
Sun, June 19:	SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS ORTHROS 8:30 a.m. Divine LITURGY 9:45 a.m. <i>AV Camp Departure</i> Coffee Hour Parish Council

**OUTREACH COLLECTION:**  
Bath & Shower Products

**CHALLENGE FOR 2022:**  
“You are the Light of the World”

**TIMELY REMINDER** -- All services are OPEN to non-Orthodox visitors and friends! However, the regulations of the Orthodox Church restrict HOLY COMMUNION, HOLY UNCTION, as well as the other Sacraments (Holy Mysteries) to Orthodox Christians who are sacramentally active and/or qualified. Married Orthodox people are qualified only if their marriage has been blessed in the Orthodox Church.

To be prepared for Holy Communion, an Orthodox Christian must be fasting from all food and drink (including water), and have received Confession/Absolution. If you visit another Orthodox parish, you must make it known to the priest, in advance, that you are prepared. (Don't just step into the Communion line without letting the priest know who you are and where you are from.)

The disciples were first called Christians in Antioch (Acts 11:26)