

# KANONA ΠΙΣΤΕΩΣ - MODEL OF FAITH

## GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE OF AUSTRALIA PARISH OF SAINT NICHOLAS MARRICKVILLE

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Κυριακή Θ' Λουκά  
Μνήμη του Ἁγίου Γρηγορίου  
Νεοκαισαρείας

### Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον Ἦχος δ'

Τὸ φαιδρὸν τῆς Ἀναστάσεως κήρυγμα, ἐκ τοῦ Ἀγγέλου μαθοῦσαι αἱ τοῦ Κυρίου Μαθήτριαι, καὶ τὴν προγονικὴν ἀπόφασιν ἀπορρίψασαι, τοῖς Ἀποστόλοις καυχώμεναι ἔλεγον· Ἐσκύλευται ὁ θάνατος, ἠγέρθη Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

### Ἀπολυτίκιον

Ἐν προσευχαῖς γρηγορῶν, ταῖς τῶν θαυμάτων ἐργασίαις ἐγκαρτερῶν, ἐπνυμίαν ἐκτήσω τὰ κατορθώματα· ἀλλὰ πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, Πάτερ Γρηγόριε, φωτίσαι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν, μὴ ποτε ὑπνώσωμεν, ἐν ἁμαρτίαις εἰς θάνατον.

### Ἀπολυτίκιον Τοῦ Ἁγίου Νικολάου.

Κανόνα πίστεως καὶ εἰκόνα πραότητος, ἐγκρατείας διδάσκαλον, ἀνέδειξέ σε τῇ ποιμνῇ σου, ἢ τῶν πραγμάτων ἀλήθεια· διὰ τοῦτο ἐκτήσω τῇ ταπεινώσει τὰ ὑψηλά, τῇ πτωχείᾳ τὰ πλούσια, Πάτερ ἱεράρχα **Νικόλαε**· πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

### Ἀπολυτίκιον. Κοσμά και Δαμιανού

Ἅγιοι Ανάργυροι καὶ θαυματουργοί, επισκέψασθε τὰς ασθενείας ἡμῶν, δωρεάν ἐλάβετε, δωρεάν δότε ἡμῖν.

Sunday 17 November 2024  
9<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Luke  
Memory of St. Gregory Bishop of  
Neocaesarea

### Resurrectional Apolytikion

The joyful message of the resurrection the women Disciples learnt from the Angel, and casting off the ancestral sentence, to the Apostles they announced in exultation: Death has been despoiled and Christ our God has risen, granting to the world his great mercy.

### Apolytikion

By your accomplishments, you earned the name that you bore, for you were vigilant in prayer and diligent in working miracles. Therefore, holy father Gregory, intercede with Christ our God, that He illumine our souls, lest we fall asleep in sin unto death.

### St Nicholas Hymn

A model of faith and the image of gentleness, the example of your life has shown you forth to your sheep-fold to be a master of temperance. You obtained thus through being lowly, gifts from on high, and riches through poverty, **Nicholas**, our father and priest of priests, intercede with Christ our God that He may save our soul.

### Sts Cosmas & Damianos

Sainted Unmercenaries and Wonder Workers, regard our infirmities; freely you have received, freely share with us.

**Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ἁγίου Παΐσιου  
τὸν συνάναρχον λόγον**

Αὐστραλίας προστάτην, φρουρὸν τε ἄγρυπνον, καὶ τοῦ Ἄθωνος ὄρους στυλὸν αἰείφωτον, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοί, θεῖον **Παΐσιον**, ἐξαιτούμενοι αὐτοῦ τὰς πρεσβείας πρὸς Θεόν, κραυγάζοντες ὁμοφρόνως· ῥύου ᾧ πάτερ παντοίων, τῶν τοξευμάτων τοῦ ἀλάστορος.

**Κοντάκιον.**

Ὁ καθαρῶτατος ναὸς τοῦ Σωτῆρος, ἡ πολυτίμητος παστὰς καὶ Παρθένος, τὸ ἱερὸν θησαύρισμα τῆς δόξης τοῦ Θεοῦ, σήμερον εἰσάγεται, ἐν τῷ οἴκῳ Κυρίου, τὴν χάριν συνεισάγουσα, τὴν ἐν Πνεύματι Θείῳ· ἦν ἀνυμνοῦσιν Ἄγγελοι Θεοῦ· Αὕτη ὑπάρχει σκηνὴ ἐπουράνιος.

**ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ**

**Πρὸς Γαλάτας Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου  
(β', 16-20)**

Ἀδελφοί, εἰδότες ὅτι οὐ δικαιοῦται ἄνθρωπος ἐξ ἔργων νόμου ἐὰν μὴ διὰ πίστεως Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ, καὶ ἡμεῖς εἰς Χριστὸν Ἰησοῦν ἐπίστευσάμεν, ἵνα δικαιωθῶμεν ἐκ πίστεως Χριστοῦ καὶ οὐκ ἐξ ἔργων νόμου, διότι οὐ δικαιωθήσεται ἐξ ἔργων νόμου πᾶσα σὰρξ. εἰ δὲ ζητοῦντες δικαιωθῆναι ἐν Χριστῷ εὐρέθημεν καὶ αὐτοὶ ἁμαρτωλοί, ἄρα Χριστὸς ἁμαρτίας διάκονος; μὴ γένοιτο. εἰ γὰρ ἂ κατέλυσα ταῦτα πάλιν οἰκοδομῶ, παραβάτην ἑμαυτὸν συνίστημι. ἐγὼ γὰρ διὰ νόμου νόμῳ ἀπέθανον, ἵνα Θεῷ ζήσω. Χριστῷ συνεσταύρωμαι· ζῶ δὲ οὐκέτι ἐγώ, ζῆ δὲ ἐν ἐμοὶ Χριστός· ὁ δὲ νῦν ζῶ ἐν σαρκί, ἐν πίστει ζῶ τῆ τοῦ υἱοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ τοῦ ἀγαπήσαντός με καὶ παραδότος ἑαυτὸν ὑπὲρ ἐμοῦ.

**St Paisios Hymn  
The Word Eternal**

O Protector of Australia, vigilant guardian and resplendent pillar of Mount Athos, we the faithful let us praise the holy **Paisios**, and beseeching his intercessions before God, crying out with one voice, deliver us, O father of all, from the arrows of vengeful one

**Kontakion**

The Savior's most pure and immaculate temple, the very precious bridal chamber and Virgin, who is the sacred treasure of the glory of God, on this day is introduced into the House of the Lord, and with herself she brings the grace in the divine Spirit. She is extolled by the Angels of God. A heavenly tabernacle is she.

**EPISTLE**

**Paul's Letter to the Galatians  
(2: 16-20)**

Brethren, you know that a man is not justified by works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ, and not by works of the law, because by works of the law shall no one be justified. But if, in our endeavor to be justified in Christ, we ourselves were found to be sinners, is Christ then an agent of sin? Certainly not! But if I build up again those things which I tore down, then I prove myself a transgressor. For I through the law died to the law, that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me; and the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

**Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου  
(ιβ', 16-21)**

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τὴν παραβολὴν ταύτην·  
Ἀνθρώπου τινὸς πλουσίου εὐφόρησεν  
ἡ χώρα· καὶ διελογίζετο ἐν ἑαυτῷ  
λέγων· τί ποιήσω, ὅτι οὐκ ἔχω ποῦ  
συνάξω τοὺς καρπούς μου; καὶ εἶπε·  
τοῦτο ποιήσω· καθελῶ μου τὰς  
ἀποθήκας καὶ μείζονας οἰκοδομήσω,  
καὶ συνάξω ἐκεῖ πάντα τὰ γενήματά  
μου καὶ τὰ ἀγαθὰ μου, καὶ ἐρῶ τῇ ψυχῇ  
μου· ψυχὴ, ἔχεις πολλὰ ἀγαθὰ κείμενα  
εἰς ἔτη πολλά· ἀναπαύου, φάγε, πίε,  
εὐφραίνου. εἶπε δὲ αὐτῷ ὁ Θεός·  
ἄφρον, ταύτη τῇ νυκτὶ τὴν ψυχὴν σου  
ἀπαιτοῦσιν ἀπὸ σοῦ· ἃ δὲ ἠτοίμασας  
τίνι ἔσται; οὕτως ὁ θησαυρίζων ἑαυτῷ,  
καὶ μὴ εἰς Θεὸν πλουτῶν. Ταῦτα λέγων  
ἐφώνει· Ὁ ἔχων ὅρα ἀκούειν, ἀκουέτω.

**Holy Gospel according to St Luke  
(12:16-21)**

The Lord said this parable: "The land of a rich man brought forth plentifully; and he thought to himself, 'What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?' And he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; take your ease, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God." As he said these things, he cried out: "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

**Συναξάριον  
Τοῦ Μηναίου.**

Τῇ ΙΖ' τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνὸς μνήμη τοῦ ἐν ἁγίοις Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Γρηγορίου, Ἐπισκόπου Νεοκαισαρείας, τοῦ Θαυματουργοῦ.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ μνήμη τοῦ ὁσίου καὶ Ὁμολογητοῦ Λαζάρου, τοῦ Ζωγράφου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ μνήμη τῶν ὁσίων Ζαχαρίου τοῦ Σκυτοτόμου καὶ Ἰωάννου· καὶ διήγησις ὠφέλιμος.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ ὁ ὁσιος Λογγίνος ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ ὁ ἅγιος Γεννάδιος, Πατριάρχης Κωνσταντινουπόλεως, ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ ὁ ἅγιος Μάξιμος, Πατριάρχης Κωνσταντινουπόλεως, ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ ὁ ὁσιος Ἰουστίνος ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Ὁ ὁσιος Γεννάδιος, ὁ ἐν τῇ Μονῇ τοῦ Βατοπεδίου ἀσκήσας, καὶ δοχειάρχης αὐτῆς ὢν, ὁ ἀξιωθεις ἰδεῖν πίθον κενὸν βλύζοντα ἔλαιον, διὰ θαύματος τῆς Θεοτόκου, ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Ταῖς τῶν Ἁγίων σου πρεσβείαις, ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

**Synaxarion  
From the Manaion**

On November 17, we commemorate our father among the saints Gregory the Wonder- worker, Bishop of Neocaesarea.

On this day we also commemorate devout Saint Lazarus the Confessor, the Iconographer.

On this day we also commemorate devout Saints Zacharias the Leather- worker and John. We also relate an edifying story.

On this day devout Saint Longinus died in peace.

On this day Saint Gennadios, Patriarch of Constantinople, died in peace.

On this day Saint Maximos, Patriarch of Constantinople, died in peace.

On this day devout Saint Justin died in peace.

Devout Saint Gennadios, who lived as a monk in the Monastery of Vatopedi and served as its cellarer, and who was counted worthy to see an empty container overflowing with oil by a miracle of the Theotokos, died in peace.

By their holy intercessions, O God, have mercy on us. Amen.