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*Weekly Worship, Events & Announcements —
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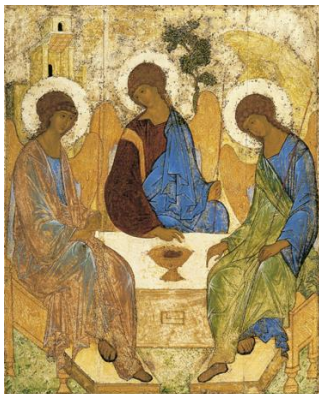
Upcoming Week

- ❖ Please pray for the newly departed Sylvia, Dylan, Demetra and Patrick, and the sick Peter, Philip, Monica and the priest Andreas.
 - ❖ Sunday service at home: [Typika Service](#) (click top left triple-bar menu, choose 'Sacraments & Services,' then 'Liturgy'), used with [Liturgy - Variable Parts](#)
 - ❖ Archdiocesan [Sunday Bulletin](#)
 - ❖ Saints' days in [Greek](#) and [English](#)
 - ❖ Online [9.30 Sunday Matins & Liturgy](#) at Holy Wisdom Cathedral, London
 - ❖ Online [10.30 Sunday Liturgy](#) at St Nicholas Parish, Oxford
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Events & Announcements

Restrictions on the number of people allowed in the Church at one time are still in effect. Please use this [sign-up link](#) for July services. (The upcoming week follows the usual pattern, with fasting on Wednesday & Friday.)

Saints celebrated this Sunday include [St Andrei Rublev the Iconographer](#):



*Shining with the rays of divine light,
O venerable Andrei,
you knew Christ the wisdom and power of God.
By means of the image of the Holy Trinity,
you preached to all the world the Holy Trinity in unity.
And we with amazement and joy, cry out to you:
As you have boldness before the Most Holy Trinity,
pray that the Uncreated Light,
may illumine our souls.*

Summer Arts Festival

In a summer spirit, July's bulletins will feature working artists whose activities are inspired by Orthodox faith and traditions.



Krista West is a vestment maker based in Salem, Oregon USA. She began sewing at the age of four. Her love of handcrafts as a child and her conversion to Orthodox Christianity in 1993 led into an interest in Orthodox ecclesiastical vesture, especially in the Greek style. She has sewn for clergy and churches in 48 of the 50 United States as well as in multiple other countries. As a textile artist she is known for her historical knowledge and advocates the use of traditional materials such as silk fabrics and real-metal brocades.

Krista began to research the history of Orthodox Christian vestments, and in 2004 she travelled to Greece to participate in a museum conservation course hosted by the Greek Ministry of Culture which conserved 95 pieces of the ecclesiastical garment collection of the Gonia Monastery in Kolimbari, Crete. Her research and field work led to her podcast [The Opinionated Tailor](#) which began airing on Ancient Faith Radio in 2008 and now has over 70 episodes. Her book *The Garments of Salvation: Orthodox Christian Liturgical Vesture* was published in 2013 and is the first comprehensive book on the topic in English. She lectures on the topics of beauty and aesthetics, and travels regularly to Greece to meet with suppliers as well as for creative inspiration. [[Source](#)]

Krista recently took part in [Luminous](#), a series of online talks about sacred arts produced by St Vladimir's Seminary in New York. Her discussions of the necessity of beauty in worship and the meditative quality of stitching are especially thoughtful.



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