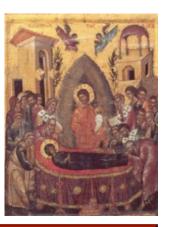


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# Οί Άγιοι Εὐλάμπιος καὶ Εὐλαμπία τὰ ἀδέλφια Saints Eulampios and Eulampia the Siblings

Έζησαν στὰ χρόνια του αὐτοκράτορα Μαξιμιανοῦ (296 μ.Χ.). Ὁ διωγμὸς κατὰ τῶν χριστιανῶν ἦταν σκληρὸς καὶ ἀνελέητος. Γι' αὐτὸ, ὁ Εὐλάμπιος καὶ ἡ ἀδελφή του Εὐλαμπία κρύβονταν μαζὶ μὲ ἄλλους χριστιανοὺς στὸ βουνὸ. Ἐκεῖ, ζοῦσαν καλλιεργώντας τὴν προσευχὴ καὶ τὴ μελέτη τῶν Ἱερῶν Γραφῶν. Κάποια μέρα, ὁ Εὐλάμπιος πῆγε στὴ Νικομήδεια νὰ προμηθευθεῖ τροφές. Άλλὰ οἱ εἰδωλολάτρες τὸν ἀναγνώρισαν καὶ ἀμέσως τὸν συνέλαβαν. Βέβαια, στὴν ἐρώτηση τοῦ βασιλιὰ ἂν πιστεὐει στὸ Χριστὸ, ὁμολόγησε φανερὰ ὅτι εἶναι χριστιανός, ὁπότε τὸν ἔβαλαν μέσα σὲ εἰδωλολατρικὸ ναὸ γιὰ νὰ θυσιάσει μὲ τὴ βία. Ὁ Εὐλάμπιος, ὅμως, διὰ τῆς προσευχῆς συνέτριψε τὸ εἴδωλο τοῦ θεοῦ Ἄρη. Καὶ ἐνῷ ἄρχισαν νὰ τὸν

μαστιγώνουν μὲ τὸν πιὸ ἀπὰνθρωπο τρόπο, ὅρμησε ἡ ἀδελφή του Εὐλαμπία, καὶ ἀφοῦ τὸν ἀγκὰλιασε, παρακάλεσε τὸ Θεὸ νὰ τὴν ἀξιώσει νὰ συμμαρτυρήσει μὲ τὸν ἀδελφό της. Τότε ἔβαλαν καὶ τοὺς δυὸ σὲ ἕνα καζάνι μὲ βραστὸ νερό. Άλλὰ διὰ θαύματος αὐτοὶ δροσίζονταν, καὶ ἔτσι βγῆκαν σῶοι καὶ ἀβλαβεῖς. Αὐτὸ ἔκανε νὰ πιστέψουν στὸ Χριστὸ 200 εἰδωλολάτρες, οἱ ὁποῖοι μαζὶ μὲ τὸν Εὐλάμπιο καὶ τὴν Εὐλαμπία ἀποκεφαλίστηκαν ὑπὲρ τῆς ἀλήθειας τοῦ Κυρίου. Καὶ ὅπως λέει ὁ λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ, «Δόξα καὶ τιμὴ καὶ εἰρήνη παντὶ τῷ ἐργαζομένη τὸ ἀγαθόν». Δηλαδή, δόξα καὶ τιμὴ καὶ εἰρήνη θὰ ἀποδοθεῖ στὸν καθένα ποὺ ἐργάζεται τὸ ἀγαθὸ καὶ πεθαίνει γι' αὐτὸ.

The Holy Martyrs Eulampios and Eulampia, a brother and sister by birth, lived at the beginning of the IV Century in the city of Nikomedia. Having read the decree of the emperor Maximian (284-305) putting every Christian under a sentence of death by execution, Eulampios became upset that the emperor, rather than going off to fight the enemies of his fatherland, instead was taking up arms against his own subjects. They brought the youth to trial and demanded that he renounce the Christian faith. For his refusal they first tore at him with iron hooks, and then they placed him upon a red-hot bed. Of a sudden the sufferer expressed a wish to visit the pagan temple. The judges were delighted, supposing that they had swayed the youth from Christianity. In the pagan temple of Mars the saint cried out: "In the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ I command thee, idol dumb and without soul, fall down upon the ground and be turned to dust!". The idol with a crash smashed down upon the ground. People exclaimed: "The Supreme God is the Christian God, great and mighty!". The saint again was taken off for torture. And this time the sister of the sufferer, Eulampia, appeared before the judges and declared, that she also was a Christian. Eulampios encouraged his sister: "Sister, fear not those killing the body, but unable to kill the soul" (Mt. 10: 28). After tortures they threw the martyrs into a red-hot furnace, but the Lord protected them from the fire. Finally, they beheaded the brother, and the sister died from the tortures.

# Απολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον. <sup>3</sup>Ηχος βαρύς.

Κατέλυσας τῷ Σταυρῷ σου τὸν θάνατον, ἡνέῳξας τῷ Ληστῆ τὸν Παράδεισον, τῶν Μυροφόρων τὸν θρῆνον μετέβαλες, καὶ τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοις κηρύττειν ἐπέταξας· ὅτι ἀνέστης Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### Τῶν Ἁγίων.

### Ήχος δ'. Ταχὺ προκατάλαβε.

Οἱ Μάρτυρές σου Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἀθλήσει αὐτῶν, στεφάνους ἐκομίσαντο τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν· σχόντες γὰρ τὴν ἰσχύν σου, τοὺς τυράννους καθεῖλον, ἔθραυσαν καὶ δαιμόνων, τὰ ἀνίσχυρα θράση. Αὐτῶν ταῖς ἰκεσίαις, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

## Απολυτίκιον ΚΟΙΜΗΣΙΣ ΤΗΣ ΥΠΕΡΑΓΙΑΣ ΘΕΟΤΟΚΟΥ First Tone

Εν τή Γεννήσει τήν παρθενίαν εφύλαξας, έν τή Κοιμήσει τόν κόσμον οὐ κατέλιπες Θεοτόκε, Μετέστης πρός τήν ζωήν, μήτηρ υπάρχουσα τής ζωής, καί ταίς πρεσβείαις ταίς σαίς λυτρουμένη, εκ θανάτου τάς ψυχάς ημών.

# Κοντάκιον. ή Ηχος β'.

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἁμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθή, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἱκεσίαν, ἡ προστατεύουσα ἀεί, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

#### Resurrectional Apolytikion. Grave Mode.

By means of Your Cross, O Lord, You abolished death. To the robber You opened Paradise. The lamentation of the myrrh-bearing women You transformed, and You gave Your Apostles the order to proclaim to all that You had risen, O Christ our God, and granted the world Your great mercy.

# For the Saints. Mode 4. Come quickly.

Your Martyrs, O Lord, were worthily awarded by You \* the crowns of incorruption, in that they contested for You our immortal God. \* Since they possessed Your power, they defeated the tyrants, \* dashing the demons' powerless displays of defiance. \* O Christ God, at their fervent entreaties, save our souls.

#### Apolytikion Dormition of the Theotokos. First Tone

In birth, you preserved your virginity; in death, you did not abandon the world, O Theotokos. As mother of life, you departed to the source of life, delivering our souls from death by your intercessions.

#### Kontakion. Mode 2.

O Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never fails, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and ever those who honor you.

# MNΥMOΣΥNA MEMORIALS

Ευριπίδης Καρβούνης Ετήσιο Αντιγώνη Σουμάκης 3 ετές Euripides Karvounis 1 Year Antigoni Soumakis 3 Years

# ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΙΚΟ ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΜΑ TODAY'S EPISTLE READING

#### Προκείμενον. Ήχος βαρύς. ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 28.11,1

Κύριος ἰσχὺν τῷ λαῷ αὐτοῦ δώσει.

Στίχ. Ένεγκατε τῷ Κυρίῳ υἱοὶ Θεοῦ, ἐνεγκατε τῷ Κυρίῳ δόξαν καὶ τιμήν.

Πρὸς Κορινθίους β' 6:1-10 τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

Αδελφοί, συνεργοῦντες δὲ καὶ παρακαλοῦμεν μὴ εἰς κενὸν τὴν χάριν τοῦ θεοῦ δέξασθαι ὑμᾶς - λέγει γάρ, Καιρῷ δεκτῷ ἐπἡκουσά σου, καὶ ἐν ἡμέρα σωτηρίας ἐβοἡθησά σοι· ἰδού, νῦν καιρὸς εὐπρόσδεκτος, ἰδού, νῦν ἡμέρα σωτηρίας - μηδεμίαν ἐν μηδενὶ διδόντες προσκοπήν, ἵνα μὴ μωμηθῆ ἡ διακονία· ἀλλ' ἐν παντὶ συνιστῶντες ἐαυτοὺς ὡς θεοῦ διάκονοι, ἐν ὑπομονῆ πολλῆ, ἐν θλίψεσιν, ἐν ἀνάγκαις, ἐν στενοχωρίαις, ἐν πληγαῖς, ἐν φυλακαῖς, ἐν ἀκαταστασίαις, ἐν κόποις, ἐν ἀγρυπνίαις, ἐν νηστείαις, ἐν ἀγνότητι, ἐν γνώσει, ἐν μακροθυμία, ἐν χρηστότητι, ἐν πνεύματι ἁγίῳ, ἐν ἀγάπη ἀνυποκρίτῳ, ἐν λόγῳ ἀληθείας, ἐν δυνάμει θεοῦ, διὰ τῶν ὅπλων τῆς δικαιοσύνης τῶν δεξιῶν καὶ ἀριστερῶν, διὰ δόξης καὶ ἀτιμίας, διὰ δυσφημίας καὶ εὐφημίας· ὡς πλάνοι καὶ ἀληθεῖς· ὡς ἀγνοούμενοι, καὶ ἐπιγινωσκόμενοι· ὡς ἀποθνήσκοντες, καὶ ἰδού, ζῶμεν· ὡς παιδευόμενοι, καὶ μὴ θανατούμενοι· ὡς λυπούμενοι, ἀεὶ δὲ χαίροντες· ὡς πτωχοί, πολλοὺς δὲ πλουτίζοντες· ὡς μηδὲν ἔχοντες, καὶ πάντα κατέχοντες.

#### Prokeimenon. Grave Mode. Psalm 28.11,1

The Lord will give strength to his people.

Verse: Bring to the Lord, O sons of God, bring to the Lord honor and glory.

The reading is from St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 6:1-10

Brethren, working together with him, we entreat you not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says, "At the acceptable time I have listened to you, and helped you on the day of salvation." Behold, now is the acceptable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. We put no obstacle in any one's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, tumults, labors, watching, hunger; by purity, knowledge, forbearance, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold we live; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΜΑ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

#### TODAY'S GOSPEL READING

#### Έκ τοῦ Κατὰ Λουκᾶν 7:11-16 Εὐαγγελίου τὸ Άνάγνωσμα

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐπορεύετο είς πόλιν καλουμένην Ναΐν· καὶ συνεπορεύοντο αὐτῷ οὶ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ ἰκανοὶ καὶ ὅχλος πολύς. ὡς δὲ ἤγγισε τῇ πύλῃ τῆς πόλεως, καὶ ίδοὺ έξεκομίζετο τεθνηκὼς υὶὸς μονογενὴς τῇ μητρὶ αὐτοῦ, καὶ αὕτη ἦν χήρα, καὶ ὅχλος τῆς πόλεως ἰκανὸς ἦν σὺν αὐτῇ. καὶ ίδὼν αὐτὴν ὁ Κύριος ἐσπλαγχνίσθη ἐπ΄ αὐτῇ καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῇ· μὴ κλαῖε· καὶ προσελθὼν ἤψατο τῆς σοροῦ, οὶ δὲ βαστάζοντες ἔστησαν, καὶ εἶπε· νεανίσκε, σοὶ λέγω, έγέρθητι. καὶ ἀνεκάθισεν ὁ νεκρὸς καὶ ἤρξατο λαλεῖν, καὶ ἔδωκεν αὐτὸν τῇ μητρὶ αὐτοῦ. ἔλαβε δὲ φόβος πάντας καὶ ἐδόξαζον τὸν Θεόν, λέγοντες ὅτι προφήτης μέγας ἐγήγερται ἐν ἡμῖν, καὶ ὅτι ἐπεσκέψατο ὁ Θεὸς τὸν λαὸν αὐτοῦ.

#### The Gospel According to Luke 7:11-16

At that time, Jesus went to a city called Nain, and his disciples and a great crowd went with him. As he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and a large crowd from the city was with her. And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her and said to her, "Do not weep." And he came and touched the bier, and the bearers stood still. And he said, "Young man, I say to you, arise." And the dead man sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother. Fear seized them all; and they glorified God, saying, "A great prophet has arisen among us!" and "God has visited his people!"

ΓAMOI WEDDINGS

#### ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ, 16 ΟΚΤΩΒΡΙΟΥ

Αγγελική Καλλιαγκά με τον Raymond Ebro.

#### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16th**

Angelica Kalliangas to Raymond Ebro.

ΒΑΠΤΙΣΕΙΣ ΒΑΡΤΙSMS

#### ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ, 16 ΟΚΤΩΒΡΙΟΥ

Κόρη του κυρίου και κυρίας Νικόλαου Lechich. Κουμπάρα: Στεφανία Lechich.

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16th

Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas Lechich. Godmother: Stephanie Lechich.

## ΗΜΕΡΟΜΗΝΙΕΣ ΠΟΥ ΠΡΕΠΕΙ ΝΑ ΕΝΘΥΜΟΥΜΕΘΑ DAYS TO REMEMBER

ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ, 17η ΟΚΤΩΒΡΙΟΥ

ΑΓΙΑΣΜΟΣ ΓΙΑ ΟΛΗ ΤΗΝ ΝΕΟΛΑΙΑ ΜΑΣ.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17th** 

AGIASMOS FOR ALL OUR YOUTH.

