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### Community Communique

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#### Welcome to Easter Brunch 2018 »



PHOTO CREDIT: Elizabeth Reece On April 1, 2018 members of the resident Community and friends attended a traditional Easter brunch hosted at the Rectory-Abbey at Bishopstead. The gathering was a happy one and the arrival of Spring added a note of joy [Read More]

A lot of people are not aware of know this, but **every edition of the Community Communique in our possession from 1971 to the present is archived online.** Where? Right here at [communitycommunique.net](http://communitycommunique.net).

If you go into the "From the Archives" category under "SPECIAL REPORTS" and click on the last page in the archives, you will

be taken to the earliest dated post in our online archive: October 1971. There you will find a facsimile copy of the "Cosolargy Report" from that month, which you can read online or download and print. From there, through a series of links, you will be led through every edition of the communiques we have all the way up to 2009.

The "Community Communique" has been published in several different forms over the years. And some years, not at all. Here is a quick rundown:

From 1971 through 1992, you will find PDF facsimiles of all the print editions we have in our archive.



From 1971 to April 1972, the communiques were one-page monthly reports.

## Community Communique

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Dear Associate:

Desert Seminars are being held in Reno during the week of 15, 16, 17 of October and during the weekend of 25, 26, 27 of October. For information telephone Rev. Loren Lewis, 702-786-7827.

Graduates who have completed studies are now eligible for ordination at the Sacred Oversee in Reno. This includes Associates who go back to the Punarian school and all those who have completed at least eighteen months of study. A special letter on this subject is being mailed to those qualified. For further information call the Center.

The Community's Code Book and Manual is currently being prepared for the press. This important volume (Codes III of the Sacred Teachings of Light series) is an integral part of the program and gives greater meaning to the individual's participation in advanced programs.

The Community's Dream and Vision Analysis Handbook has finally been scheduled for publication next March, 1975, following the release of the Code Book mentioned in the above paragraph. Those who have already ordered this volume will be glad to know that the book is to include a large number of archetypal symbols and references.

The economic situation in the United States and other parts of the world dictates that all Associates and Reverends do their very best to tighten budgets and, above all, in find ways of saving money by eliminating unnecessary purchases. Food prices are still below those of other developed countries. By refusing to buy products that are not absolutely needed, by shopping and looking for buys, savings can be made. A good place to begin is with the businessman. Look for bargains, try to lower the price if you make a cash purchase. Eliminate interest rates on credit cards or charge accounts. By going on cash basis you can insist on 2 percent discount; if not given, shop elsewhere. The secret of lower costs lies with the consumer who must go back to the cost-conscious consumer attitude prevalent in the 1920's and 1930's. Cut buying and costs will automatically lower.

THE AUTOMOBILE HAS BECOME A CONSUMER SPONGE due to high cost of purchase price, interest rates, high insurance, taxes and ever-increasing cost of fuel. License and registration fees as well as police vigilance on the municipal and state level with resulting fines for speeding over the very low speed limit of 35mph make driving a responsibility that some are finding unbearable. The automobile is the major polluter of the atmosphere, yet industry continues to make high horsepower engines that consume large amounts of gasoline with low mileage and dangerous exhaust. Automobiles dominate downtown streets and are a nuisance to pedestrians. Fifty thousand men, women and children are killed each year in automobile accidents. Because of these considerations, the consumer should either cut down on the use of the automobile or, when possible, eliminate it entirely and rely on buses, taxis and other public or collective transportation systems.

After that, four-page news reports were published under various names until 1974, when the name "Community Communique" appeared for the first time. This has been the title of our Community newsletter since that time.



# COMMUNITY communique

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643 Raleigh Street, Reno, Nevada

DECEMBER 23, 1981

## Public worship inaugurated in Reno Episcopate Supreme Archdiocese Holy Chapel of Child Christ dedicated in inaugural public service

The new and modern Holy Chapel of the Child Christ, located in the Chancelery Building of the Community, was dedicated in a Consecration Service held last August 23rd. The dedication was followed by Public Worship Services — the first in the history of the Church.

The service of consecration and the inaugural public worship service were officiated by The Right Reverend Gene Sorey, Head Bishop of the Second Order and Episcopate Archdiocese of Nevada. The Right Reverend Philip W. Snyder acted as Assistant Pastor.

The service, which lasted one and a half hours, commenced at eleven o'clock Sunday morning and consisted of an exhortation, presentation, liturgical readings and hymns, a communion of fellowship, and a final blessing.

Rev. Snyder initiated the services with a reading of *The Decree of Establishment of the Holy Chapel of the Child Christ of the Community of Christ Church of the Second Advent of God and Christ of Truth*, which established the use and purpose of the Chapel: "That a Public and Orderly be provided for the giving of the Sacraments and Scriptures entrusted into the care of the Church," and "that it serve as a house of public worship of God at His Second Coming."

The names of Major Deacons, Endowers, Minor Deacons and Guild Deacons were also announced. These names will be engraved on a plaque which will be prominently placed in the Chapel.

Following acceptance and signing of the document, and the affixing of the Great Seal of Christ and the seals of the Church, the Rev. Sorey dedicated the Chapel with a Hymn of Thanks, Invocation, and a chanted Psalm after which followed a Benediction and a Blessing to the congregation.

The Public Worship Services comprised scriptural readings, sermon, a choral of the creed of the ordinance followed by a psalm and prayer.

In his sermon, *The Dawn of the Second Coming and the New Advent Church*, Rev. Sorey stressed the manifestation of God's Image and Word in the Spiritual Son of Righteousness and God's Second Coming in Messiah, as was prophesied by Moses and the Prophets, and by Jesus.

The service reaffirmed that the spiritual Light sent from God as a gift to the human family has shined in the Second Advent and fulfilled the Church of the First Dispensation as was declared by the righteous Child of Light. It also underlined the concept and belief held by the Church that God shall manifest to mankind as a sole savior for the last and final time at His Second Coming. The sermon further emphasized the importance of the Ministry of the Second Advent which has in its sacred mission the preaching and dissemination of the Teachings of Light to Christendom and the world at large.

Prior to the final blessing Rev. Sorey called upon the congregation — the ordained, and guests (regardless of their

religious beliefs) — to participate in a consecrated meal of fellowship as a symbol of our common humanity and dependence on the One True God. All partook of the sacramental elements of bread and water over which a prayer was said calling upon God to infuse them with His blessing for the greater health of the congregation, and the unity of His ministry to the world over.

Throughout the services, which began with selected Christian hymns, bells, and the proclamation of *Long Welcome Words*, and concluded with the recited *Prayer to God's Son of Righteousness*, the Chapel was filled with the melodious sounds of organ music originally composed and arranged by Rev. Gary Robert Buchanan, organist and musical director of the Church. Of particular beauty were the background selections accompanying the cantatas of the liturgy.

It was fitting that the public announcement of God's Second Coming into the world as the savior to Christ occurred at the Consecration Service of the lovely Chapel dedicated to the Holy Child who brought "Good Tidings" of this spiritual event, and who laid the foundation for the Church of the Second Advent before returning to the Father whence He came.

The service represented a milestone in the public life of the Church for with it was launched a new era of evangelical and charitable works for the uplifting of humankind which will go hand in hand with the Church's world mission to begin in 1982. ♦

But the form of the Community Communique has changed over the years. The newsletter was first published as a four-page newsletter from 1974 through Spring 1982.



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FALL  
1993

## Bishopstead project nears completion

### *Parsonage extension is solar heated*

The expansion of the Bishopstead on La Piedad Drive in Rome is drawing to completion. The "new wing," an addition of a 10,800 square-foot structure to the existing Rectory-Abbey, will serve as parsonage for The Reverends Tyrone and Arlene Pease, Architect of the Church. It will also house the local Bishop's Study and Private Library.

The building features two solariums which collect solar heat that is circulated throughout hollow walls by blowers. Exterior walls are heavily insulated for heat retention, affording a near-100 percent efficiency of solar energy conservation. A backup electrical heating system takes over during cloudy days. On hot summer months, night air is drawn into the solariums to cool the structure, maintaining a constant comfortable temperature inside the dwelling.

Connecting foot-paths, desert gardens, terraces landscaped with numerous pine trees and juniper shrubs, and a continuous concrete-black retaining wall with terraces.



The Reverend Arlene Pease (R) confers with architect Arlene Pease (L) over final plans.

initial iron fence will embellish the grounds.

The Building Guild, under the over-ship of its Director, The Reverend Nelson Dechenness, is responsible for ninety-five

percent of the construction. The project was begun in August of 1982 and is scheduled for completion by the end of this year.



The existing Rectory-Abbey of Bishopstead with "new wing" addition near completion.

## Parochial School begins academic year

### *Emphasis is upon wide-range learning*

The Jersian Parochial School began the 1993-94 academic year on Saturday, September 5 with a 4-day Orientation during which schedules were presented and explained to parents, students, and faculty.

As a co-educational parochial institution, the School primarily provides for the education of children, ages 6 to 13, whose parents or guardians are ministers under vows.

This year's curriculum offers a broad range of academic and pre-ministerial instruction. In Middle School, students will be prepared, at Grade Level, in the following subjects: Spanish, Chinese, Reading, American and World Literature and Composition, Language Arts, Mathematics,

Science, Health and Anatomy, American and Global Studies, Environmental Studies, Etiquette and Decorum, Art, Calligraphy, Practical Arts, Safety and Survival.

The Elementary School offers studies in Spanish, Language Arts, Reading, Spelling, and Handwriting, Mathematics, Science, Health, Social Studies, and Art.

All students participate in the Aquarius Program, as well as in Music, Handbell Choir, Chorus, Religious Studies, and Chapel Services.

Other physical recreation activities are undertaken on a weekly basis, individually; or in group, periodically, under the auspices of the School Administration.

(See SC1001, page 2, col. 1)

Then in Fall 1982, the publication expanded. More pages were added as time went on. Along with that came more pictures and longer, more detailed articles. The print edition went on in this format for ten years, from 1982 through 1992.

## COMMUNITY COMMUNIQUE: WINTER 1993



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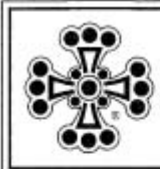
**Next:** < [SPRING 1994](#) >

From Spring 1993 through Winter 1994, the Communique was not printed in any format. We have tried to make up for that in our online edition by providing electronic remakes of articles for those years that never appeared in print. You will find them in the archives marked with a photo of Bishop Gene Savoy Sr in vestments and with this notice:

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In 1995 the print edition of the Communique was again published for about another year, until Summer 1996.



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### CHURCH SELLS DOWNTOWN PROPERTIES TO HOSPITAL

*University, Parochial School, Production Facilities to be Relocated*

The International Community of Christ Church has sold three of its downtown properties to neighboring St. Mary's Regional Medical Center. The buildings on these properties have held The Church's production and printing facilities, Parochial School, Episcopal See, and University facilities for over a decade.

In April 1994, St. Mary's Medical Center first approached The Church about purchasing its four downtown properties—the Chancery, the Annex, the School and the Episcopal See building. The initial price St. Mary's offered was not satisfactory to The Church, neither was The Church willing to sell the Chancery building itself. Further negotiations continued on and off for about a year.

The Church originally purchased the downtown buildings in 1979-80, not only to accommodate the various functions and facilities of The Church but to make an investment. The Church purchased the buildings with the knowledge that these properties could be sold to St. Mary's at some later time, when they would no longer be worthwhile for The Church to maintain.

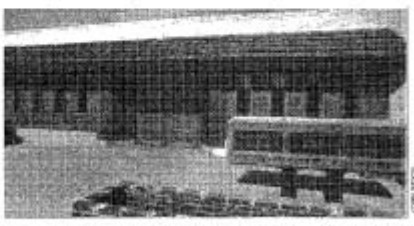
The Reverend Gene Savoy, Jr., The Church's financial officer, said, "We were located in a very good spot because of St. Mary's Regional Medical Center. They owned all of the property on the three or four surrounding blocks, except for ours and one other." The sale agreement was made between the end of March and the beginning of April. "We close the deal on May first," Rev. Savoy said. "We agreed that we would be moved out on the first of May, and that they would legally take possession on that day."

The medical center insisted on completing the sale quickly. Rev. Savoy explained, "As I understand it, the hospital were through some very serious administrative changes, especially in the area of management personnel. They got a new managing staff, and that may have had something to do with it. Besides, the hospital is always in need of expansion."

been worked on for months, or years, that were suddenly scrapped, and he had a fear that something similar might happen to us, that they might have a change of mind. He did not want us to be caught in that type of a situation."

The Right Reverend Berno Castelli, head of The Church's Department of Ecclesiology and responsible for overseeing the actual move, first learned of the sale and the impending move only two weeks before it was scheduled to occur.

"Because St. Mary's wanted us to move out by the 15th of April, I looked



Exterior view of the building at 626 Robison Street that housed the Episcopal See and University.

"Our real estate broker advised us to close the deal as quickly as possible because things at the hospital were uncertain in regards to the administration. He knew of plans that had

for an extension," Rev. Castelli said. "I knew we did not have enough time to move the See, the School and the Annex in fourteen days, so I asked for a

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The Summer 1996 edition was the last Community Communique published until the Winter 2007 edition. For this reason, you will not find archived copies of the Community Communique from

Fall 1996 through Fall 2007. For these years you will find major events from each season of those years described briefly in a short post.



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The Communique appeared in a print edition again from Winter 2007 to Winter 2008, and this time with color photographs.

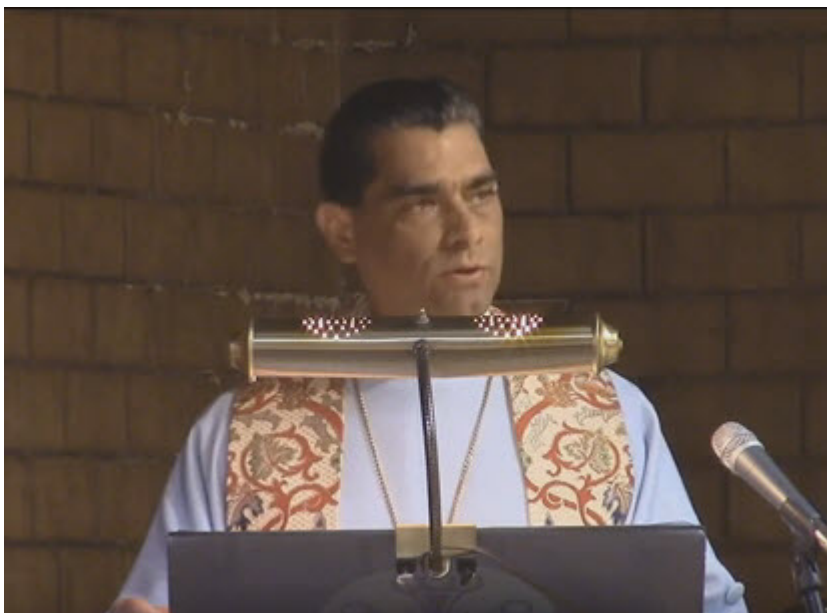
Since 2009 the Community Communique has been published as an online weekly newsletter. In its present form, we publish five or six posts weekly for an annual total of about 200-300 posts per year. To date nearly 2000 articles of various kinds and lengths are posted online. Every one of them is accompanied by photos, and a number of them are photo galleries. We have also published longer articles in serial form from week to week. These you will find in the Insight and Perspective sections.

And we welcome submissions from Community members.

However, we do have one problem with our archive of past editions of the Communique: We do not have every single edition in our possession. This is where some of our long-time Community members, particularly those who have been members since the early 1970s, can help to fill the gaps. Our archive is missing a number of editions from 1971-1975. If you are a long-time Cosolargist, check your collection and if you find an edition we do not have please send us a copy of what we are missing.

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## May 12, 2018: Chapel Readings



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*Fellowship Service held in the Chapel of the Holy Child. This reading follows the Sacred Calendar of the Church; that is, Prophecies and Revelations that have been received by The Church on sacred dates are recalled in a liturgical context during the appropriate season each year. This reading is delivered just before the final blessings. Each service also includes a reading from the ancient scriptures, prayers, or wisdom sayings of various world religions past and present and is usually thematically related to the Second Advent Reading. This reading is delivered by the Reader right after the announcements that begin the service and is thus the first reading of the service. An audio recording of the reading from Second Advent Scripture delivered on the date above is provided here below together with a transcript of the first reading of the service that day.*

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## **ANCIENT SCRIPTURE AND WISDOM SAYINGS**

A Reading from the Prophetic Book of Isaiah:

*11.1 A shoot shall come out from the stump of Jesse, and a branch shall grow out of his roots. 2 The spirit of the Lord shall rest on him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord. 3 His delight shall be in the Lord. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide by what his*

eyes hear; 4 but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall [destroy] the wicked. 5 Righteousness shall be the belt around his waist, and faithfulness the belt around his loins.

6 The wolf shall live with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the lion and the fatling together, and a little child shall lead them. 7 The cow and the bear shall graze, their young shall lie down together; and the lion shall eat straw like the ox. 8 The nursing child shall play over the hole of the asp, and the weaned child shall put its hand on the adder's den. 9 They will not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain; for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the waters cover the sea.

10 On that day the root of Jesse shall stand as a signal to the peoples; the nations shall inquire of him, and his dwelling shall be glorious. 11 On that day the Lord will extend his hand **yet a second time** to recover the remnant that is left of his people...12 He will raise a signal for the nations, and will assemble the outcasts, and gather the dispersed from the four corners of the earth.

12:1 You will say in that day: I will give thanks to you, O Lord, for though you were angry with me, your anger turned away, and you **comforted** me. 2 Surely God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid, for the Lord God is my strength and my might; he has become my salvation. 3 With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation. 4 And you will say in that day: Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known his deeds among the nations; proclaim that his name is exalted. 5 Sing praises to the Lord, for he has done gloriously; let this be known in all the earth. 6 Shout aloud and sing for joy, O (inhabitant of) Zion, for great in your midst is the Holy One.



[Click here to watch this week's readings on YouTube. \(10:25 minutes\)](#)

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## **“The Mystery of Jesus’s Brother Gets Even Weirder”**



Jesus and James. Unknown painter. Possibly 14th century.

“Whether Jesus had any siblings is an old debate within Christianity. A number of passages in the New Testament have been stoking this speculation for almost two thousand years. The Gospel of Mark mentions Jesus having brothers and sisters, while the Gospel of Matthew talks about his “brothers” James, Joseph, Simon and Judas. Are these references more figurative than literal, meaning these are just spiritual brothers? An incredible recent find of an ancient text just put James back in the spotlight of this controversial mystery. ”

[Read the entire article posted online December 25, 2017 by Paul Ratner at bigthink.com.](#)

link submitted by Robert Petrovich

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# “Harmony with Divine Will for Continued Spiritual Growth”



*“That power of making ‘swift and loving ascents’ to the plane of onwise to which man attained t the end of the Interior Life, that conscious harmony with the Divine Will which then became the controlling factor of his active career, cannot be the end of the process of transcendence. The soul now hungers for a more intense Reality, a closer contact with ‘Him who is measureless; a deeper and deeper penetration into the burning heart of the universe. ... Beyond both the conditioned and unconditioned world, beyond the Trinity itself that love discerns its ultimate objective—the very Godhead, the Divine Unity.” ~Evelyn Underhill*

## Plane of Onwise

"I don't know what 'onwise' meant to ancient mystics. The only references I find online are to a modern corporation using that name. I believe that it means those who have raised their frequencies high enough to be in regular contact with the fifth dimension. That is the lowest of the nine dimensions considered to be part of the spiritual realms. It is the place where angels and Being of Light dwell. This is usually the highest level spiritual people become a part of while still living in the third dimension of matter. Quoting and interpreting from the writings of John of Ruysbroeck, Underhill says that this cannot be the end of our spiritual life, or the end of our spiritual growth. She is correct. If the fifth dimension were the highest level we could ever reach, it would be pointless to even bother. Fortunately, it isn't."

[Read the entire article online at spiritsun.net.](http://spiritsun.net)

Original article posted by HAROLD BOULETTE on JANUARY 23, 2018

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**Baptism of Alyxis Zulena  
Castillo April 21, 2018**



PHOTO CREDIT: Stephan Fuelling

The Rite of Baptism for four-month-old Alyxis Zulena Castillo, daughter of Milton Castillo and Brittany Ann Walters, was held following Communion Service on Saturday, April 21, 2018. The ceremony took place at 11:30 p.m. at the Chapel of The Holy Child, performed by Bishop Gene Savoy Jr. and assisted by Sabrina Savoy. A reception followed.



The newly Christened baby, parents, godparents and officiating minister PHOTO CREDIT: Stephan Fuelling

The entire resident congregation was invited to attend the service and reception as guests of the Castillo family. Also in attendance were the two sets of godparents, Amanda Marie Walters and Gary Huss Jr., and Claudia Grady and Daniel Duarte, all four of whom took part in the service, several friends of the family, and the families of both parents.



PHOTO CREDIT: Stephan Fuelling

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## **Services for the Week of May 12, 2018**



**Saturday, May 12, 2018**

**10:00 AM COMMUNION**

***Chapel of The Holy Child***

RR Gene Savoy Jr.

*Lector:* RM Rebecca Willis

*Cantor:* Rev. Greg klinedinst

*Reader:* Rev. Barbara Whitney

*Organist:* RC Gary Buchanan

**Sunday, May 13, 2018**

**5:38 AM SUNRISE DIVINE SERVICE**

***Church of New Pentecost***

*Leave:* 4:45

*Gate:* 5:15

*Sunrise:* 5:53

RR Gene Savoy Jr.

*Concelebrant:* RC Robert Petrovich

*Assistants:* RC Ted Staver

Rev. Robert Roy

Rev. Barbara Whitney

*Organist:* RC Gary Buchanan

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***Church of the Golden Age of Light***

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RC Robert Petrovich

Rev. Francine

**Wednesday, May 16, 2018**

**12:00 N COMMUNION**

***Chapel of the Holy Child***

Rev. Jim Elliott

**Friday, May 18, 2018**

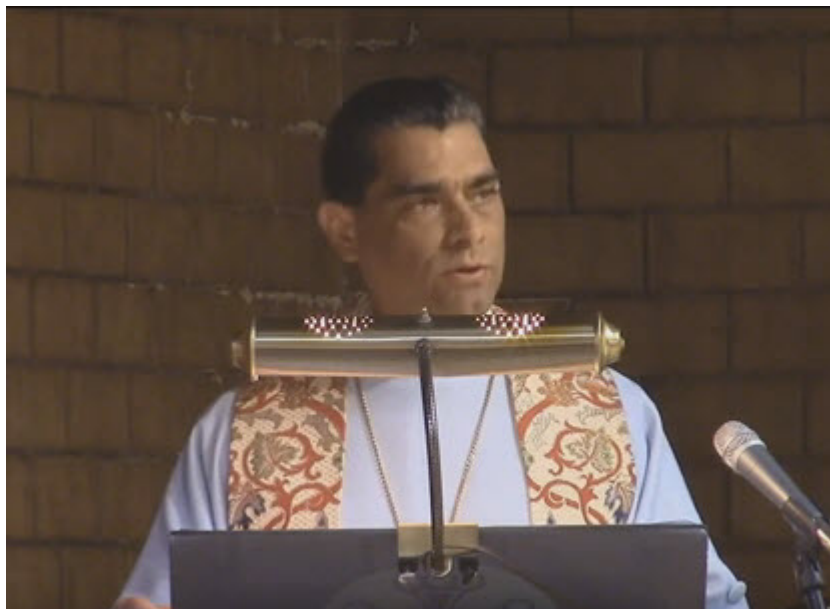
**9:00 AM PRAYER & FELLOWSHIP**

***Chapel of the Roses***

RC Robert Petrovich

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A Reading from the Gospel of John 15:

*I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinegrower.  
He removes every branch in me that bears no fruit. Every  
branch that bears fruit he prunes to make it bear more fruit.  
You have already been cleansed by the word that I have spoken  
to you.*

*Abide in me as I abide in you.*

*I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me  
and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can  
do nothing. . . .*

*My father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit.*

*As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you: abide in my  
love.*

*If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just  
as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his  
love.*

*I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you,  
and that your joy may be complete. This is my commandment,  
that you love one another, as I have loved you.*

*No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for  
his friends.*

*You are my friends if you do what I command you.*

*I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant  
does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you  
friends, because I have made known to you everything that I  
have heard from my Father.*

*You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last. I am giving you these commandments so that you may love one another.*

*If the world hates you, be aware that it hated me before it hated you.*

*If you belonged to the world, the world would love you as its own. Because you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world – therefore the world hates you.*

*Remember the word that I said unto you, ‘Servants are not greater than their master.’ If they persecuted me, they will persecute you . . . .*

*But when the Comforter comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf.*



Noriko Roy

[Click here to watch this week's readings on YouTube. \(11:17 minutes\)](#)

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# “Sixth Epoch of Happiness and Light”



*“It was taught in Manicheism that from our age onwards the souls of men would began to transmute into good and evil which will manifest in full force in the sixth epoch. In other words: human souls must strong enough to bring good out of evil by a process of spiritual alchemy.*

*“When the Earth begins to recapitulate the previous phases of its evolution, there will first be a reunion with the Moon, and then of this Earth-Moon with he Sun. The reunion with the*

*Moon will mark the culminating point of evil on earth; the reunion with the Sun will signify, on the other hand, the advent of happiness, the reign of the 'elect.'*" ~Rudolf Steiner

## **Good and Evil Souls**

"It is unfortunate that the word "soul" is used to mean several things. It can refer to the mundane soul that every animal including man has. Also it can refer to the Divine Soul. Or it can refer simply to the mind of man.

"The Divine Soul can never become evil. If it did, it would cease to be divine and immortal. Do is become dormant, like a person in a coma. That is what happened with the great fall and it still happens every time a person is born on the physical level of reality.

"So it is the mind that is really becoming good or evil, not the soul. Not if by "soul" you mean the Divine Soul from God. The mind, and the Ego in the mind become evil. That mind must be overcome by awakening the soul so that it can take control and make us into the good beings God meant us to be."

[Read the entire article online at spiritsun.net.](http://spiritsun.net)

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# New Views on the Shroud of Turin

[“Unwrapping the Shroud: New Evidence”](#)



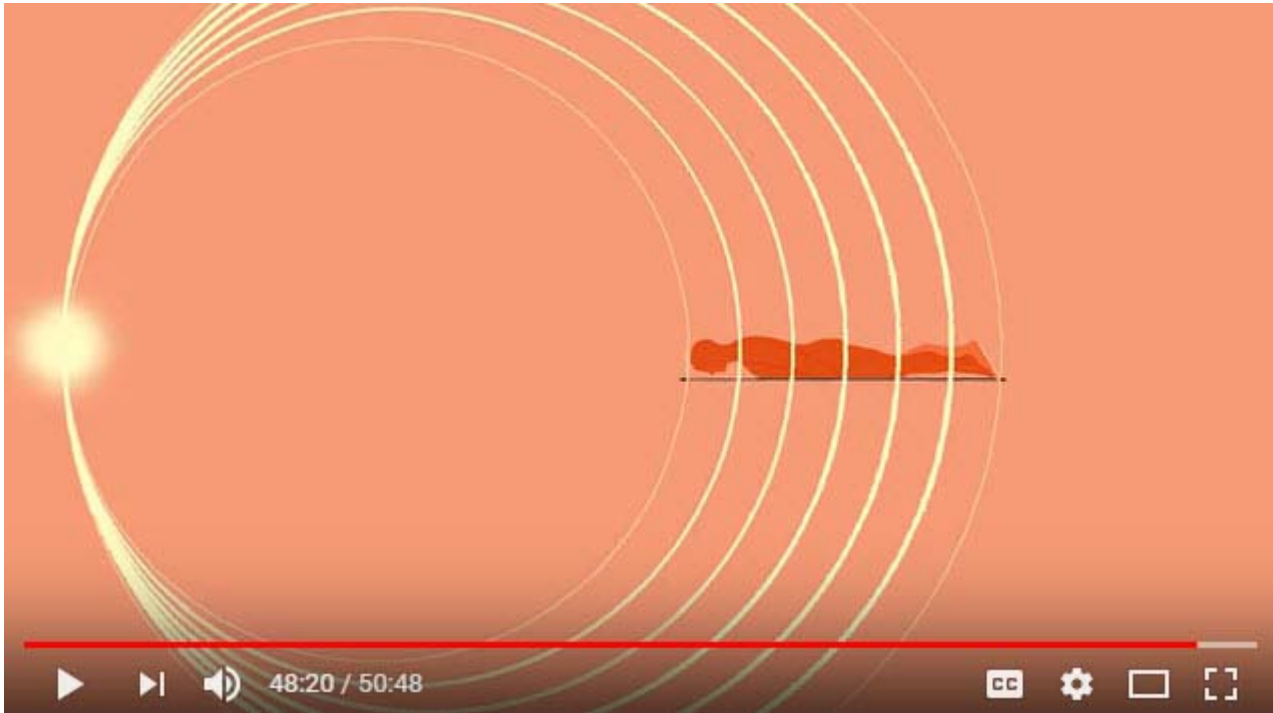
[New evidence on the Shroud of Turin from April 2013.](#)

[“The Shroud of Turin Conference 2017 – Role of Radiation in Image Formation”](#)



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["The new astonishing phenomenon detected on the Shroud"](#)



[Published on Mar 11, 2018](#)

“Photogrammetric restitution on the Shroud of Turin has revealed a previously unknown phenomenon that opens up new horizons for science. The strength of this discovery is stressed by the fact that the geometrical data used for restitution can be verified with tools that are accessible to everyone. The discovery was made by the INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OF SPACE REPRESENTATION SCIENCES

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– links submitted by Frieda Nelson

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# WEEKLY MESSAGE: May 2, 2018



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## HEAD OVERSEER'S WEEKLY MESSAGE



**May 2, 2018**

Here are the next eleven of the 33 Fundamentals of Cosolargy:

TWELFTH: Human Savors, Holy Prophets, Sacred Scripture, and World Religions cannot redeem the members of the human family nor restore them to their original nature.

THIRTEENTH: God at His Second Appearance is the living Successor to human Savors, Holy Prophets, Sacred Scripture, and the World's Great Religions.

FOURTEENTH: Being a new condition of cosmic proportions, God's Presence manifest in the Sun of Righteousness represents the beginning of a New Creation.

FIFTEENTH: This New Creation begins with the Thought of God, and those in accord with it become the First Fruits of the New Creation.

SIXTEENTH: Those mortals given new spiritual life by means of God's Word are the first immortals of the New Creation, members of a new species of God.

SEVENTEENTH: Instilled with God's Word, these immortals are moved to collect together for the creation of a New Religion to be blessed of God.

EIGHTEENTH: Because a New Condition exists in the cosmos, the older religions of the former condition, beginning with the Christian religion and including all religions, must needs be instructed in the New Teachings revealed of God.

NINETEENTH: The Revelations from God have been given by a Messenger from Heaven, The Child Jamil, to the Christian religion for the establishment of an Order of ministers ordained in a New Church constituting the Second Advent Church.

TWENTIETH: The New Advent Church is authorized by God to instruct the whole of Christendom, bringing amendments and supplemental teachings for its restoration as a fulfillment of prophecy.

TWENTY-FIRST: The New Advent Church is set apart from the old church, replacing it as the True Church of God.

TWENTY-SECOND: The New Church is the work of God and has its origins in God's Word, being His Thought and Will.

The final eleven Fundamentals will be presented next week.

Once again, please feel free to ask me any questions by calling 775-786-7432 or emailing me at [messages@cosolargy.org](mailto:messages@cosolargy.org). I am always at your service.

In Light+,  
Gene

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