

Aleutian Deanery Report 2016

Your Grace, Archpriest, Priests, Deacons, and Laymen,

Master Bless:

This year the Aleutian Deanery was very blessed. In the Parish of St. Nicholas in Atka, Archpriest Michael Oleksa and his Matushka visited for Holy Week and Pascha in the most remote parish in the Diocese, being 1 ½ hour plane ride from Unalaska.

The parish of St. Peter and Paul was blessed to have the ordination of John Kudrin to the Holy Priesthood on the parish's feast day by His Grace, Bishop David. Fr. John is currently serving both Ss. Peter and Paul on St. Paul and St. George on St. George Island.

The parish of The Holy Ascension of Our Lord Cathedral here in Unalaska was also blessed. His Grace, Bishop David visited for the parish's feast day again this year, and for the completion of the priest's house. His Grace came down and blessed the house. The construction of the house was done by the Aleutian Housing Authority. Following the blessing, His Grace blessed the food at the banquet and spoke of the significance of the project for the Parish and the Diocese. Also, Dan Duame, head of the Aleutian Housing Authority spoke on behalf of the AHA. Also blessed the Deadliest Catch fishing fleet for this year's crab season.

Holy Ascension, Unalaska- 6 funerals, 2 baptisms, 0 weddings

St. Nicholas, Atka- 1 baptism, 0 funerals, 0 weddings

St. Nicholas, Nikolski- 0 baptisms, 0 funerals, 0 weddings

St. Alexander Nevsky, Akutan- 0 baptisms, 0 funerals, 0 weddings

Ss. Peter and Paul, St. Paul Is. – 1 baptism, 4 funerals, 1 wedding

St George, St. George Is. – 1 baptism, 2 funerals, 1 wedding

Your unworthy priest Evon Bereskin (Dean of the Aleutian)