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## 2018 Kodiak Island Deanery Report

Archpriest John Dunlop, in addition to his duties as Academic Dean of St. Herman Seminary, maintains regular pastoral visitations to Ouzinkie and Akhiok. In addition to 7 baptisms, the Nativity of our Lord Church in Ouzinkie completed a new roof for the church and fresh paint on the outside. Akhiok: 3 baptisms 1 wedding.

Igumen Ioasaph is currently serving Old Harbor as rector of Three Saints Church. In addition to his pastoral duties Father continues his behavioral health work in the community.

This Fall, Archpriest David Rucker was appointed Administrative Dean of St. Herman Seminary. He continues offering adult instruction at the Cathedral focusing on Catechesis for the men in the parish. He also serves the village of Port Lions monthly.

The village of Larson Bay is currently being served by the Kodiak clergy, depending on need and availability. This year the school is closing.

Archpriest Innocent Dresdow continues as Dean of Holy Resurrection Cathedral and serving the pastoral needs of the faithful in Karluk. In addition to the daily responsibilities of parish life, Father continues assisting pilgrims from around the world, traveling to and from Monks Lagoon. This year Northstar Charters LLC was established to assist and make sure that the church is protected from liability issues related to transporting pilgrims. One boat has been donated and another is being purchased in support of this ministry. The Cathedral and Seminary were blessed again with the Indian Mission Team in June. They painted the interior of the Cathedral and expanded a Catechesis Classroom at the Seminary. 15 Baptisms 2 Chrismations 3 funerals

This past year Priest James Keene served at the Cathedral during his last year at Seminary. We were also grateful to have Hieromonk Ioasaph assisting with Divine Services, visitations and giving tours at the Cathedral during the summer months. In August, Hieromonk Ioasaph began his ministry in Ninilchik.

Deacon Irenaios Anderson continues his teaching at St. Herman Seminary in addition to his service at Holy Resurrection Cathedral. He and Matushka Dionysia were sponsored by the Cathedral this summer to participate in a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd training in Tennessee.

Deacon Innocent Philo is the spiritual director for Providence Kodiak Hospital and coordinates the Clinical Pastoral Education program with the seminary, in addition to his service at the Cathedral.

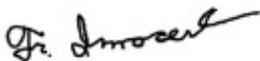
Deacon Herman Madsen serves as resident Deacon. He coordinates the Brotherhood activities, in particular, service projects for those in need throughout our community.

Deacon Stephen Wood continues his studies at the seminary and is also expanding his mission aviation piloting. He recently was certified for IFR (instrument flight rating) which opens even more opportunities.

His Grace Bishop DAVID presided over the annual St. Herman Pilgrimage this past August with local and visiting clergy from throughout the Diocese and around the world. Plans for the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of St. Herman's Canonization in 2020 are underway.

I am personally grateful to my brother clergy for their dedicated and selfless service to serve the communities here on Kodiak Island. Rest assured of our ongoing prayers before the holy relics of St. Herman for the clergy, their families and the faithful of the Diocese of Alaska.

Giving thanks to God-almighty,



Archpriest Innocent Dresdow – Dean