

## A Beautiful Tradition

A beautiful tradition as we celebrate the Glorious Resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ is the reading of the Gospel in many different languages during the Service of Agape Vespers which will be celebrated on **Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m.** During this service, the Gospel is read in many different languages by the parishioners symbolizing that the Glorious Resurrection of Christ is proclaimed to all ends of the earth and to all nations!!!

The following is a list of the languages that we currently have the Gospel texts for:

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| * Afrikaans        | * Estonian                | * Nepali     |
| * Albanian         | * Finnish                 | * Norwegian  |
| * Aleutian         | * French                  | * Polish     |
| * Arabic           | * Georgian                | * Portuguese |
| * Armenian         | * German                  | * Romanian   |
| * Bulgarian        | * Greek ( <i>modern</i> ) | * Russian    |
| * Carpatho-Russian | * Hebrew                  | * Serbian    |
| * Cebuno           | * Hungarian               | * Somali     |
| * Cherokee         | * Icelandic               | * Spanish    |
| * Chinese          | * Indonesian              | * Swahili    |
| * Church Slavonic  | * Italian                 | * Swedish    |
| * Coptic           | * Japanese                | * Tagalog    |
| * Creole           | * Korean                  | * Thai       |
| * Czech            | * Latin                   | * Turkish    |
| * Danish           | * Latvian                 | * Ukrainian  |
| * Dutch            | * Lithuanian              | * Vietnamese |

We encourage anyone who knows one of these languages to sign up to read the Gospel during this service. To do this, please e-mail the church office at [messenger@stpaulgoc.org](mailto:messenger@stpaulgoc.org), and indicate what language you will read. The languages will be on a first come, first serve basis.