# **Treasure of Light** Week Three of Three

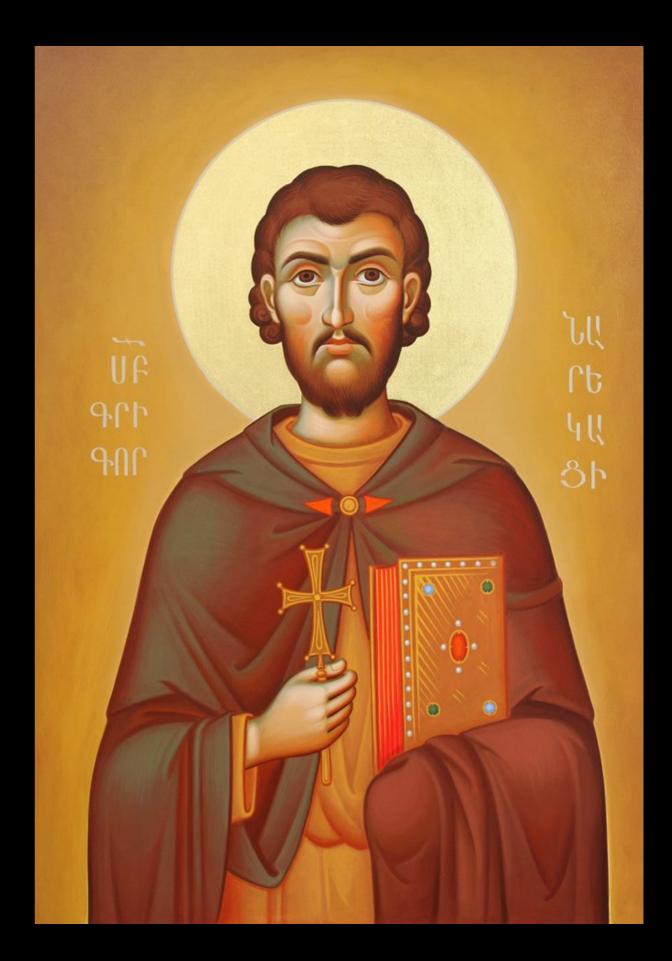
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#### **Review** From The First Two Parts

- Understanding the Holy Spirit is a fundamental aspect of our Christian faith
- The Holy Spirit imbues the faithful with gifts by grace that empower them to contribute to mission of the Church
- Those who embrace the graces they have received exhibit the fruit of the Holy Spirit, many beautiful qualities

#### **St. Gregory** Of Narek

- 950 1003
- Served at the Monastery of Narek near Lake Van
- Author of the Book of Lamentations and many other works
- the "most outstanding theological, mystical and literary figure of the Armenian culture"



All eyes look up you with expectation, O benevolent One, refuge and hope of salvation, guide to life, to the light above; liveliness to the living, rest to the dead, caring, most trustworthy, companion on our way...

St. Gregory of Narek



When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

### Acts 2:1-4



Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your bodies

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

- You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh a ; rather, serve one another humbly in love. For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself." If you bite and devour each other, watch out or you will be destroyed by each other.
- So I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. For the flesh desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the flesh. They are in conflict with each other, so that you are not to do whatever you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

## Galatians 5:13-18

