



*Anglican Orthodox Church*



**A Time of Love and Miracles**

It is he that buildeth his stories in the heaven, and hath founded his troop in the earth; he that calleth for the waters of the sea, and poureth them out upon the face of the earth: The LORD is his name. (Amos 9:6)

Greetings to our Beloved scattered near and abroad in the Blessed Name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

On the 17th through the 19th of October, the Anglican Orthodox Communion conducted its General Convention at our national headquarters at St. Peters in Statesville, North Carolina. This was one of our most blessed and most productive meetings in many years. The Tender Shoot of the Olive Tree is putting forth and the Lord is beginning to move with power and might among His people.

We ordained four men to Holy Orders from New York, Kansas, South Carolina and North Carolina. We ordained an additional young man to the Office of Deacon at St. Andrews Anglican Orthodox Church in Alabama the following week. God is bringing young and old together in a common cause – to spread the Holy Gospel and to build up a people who will honor His Sovereign Name and obey His Holy Will. The Reformation Fires are fervently burning!

Funds were raised to complete building on one of our orphanages in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. What work is more directly in the Will of our Lord than to care for the helpless orphans that He has deigned to place in our tender care?

Our delegates took on the appearance of an Army, in my mind's eye, that was preparing to leave Winter Quarters. We have been refreshed and strengthened by the Holy Spirit, we have been richly provisioned by the bountiful supply of Heaven, we have been armed with the Armor of Truth and Righteousness, and now is our moment to field an Army whose ranks are unbroken – whose gleaming accoutrements are pure and untarnished, whose Battle Streamers are arrayed in splendor, and whose Ensign is Alpha and Omega, Christ. He it is who is our Ensign, our Plumblin, to whom our ranks must rally. Our Chart and our Compass is the Word of God. Our God is the God of Battles, and He shall favor our arms in battle so long as we look to Him as the source of our salvation and strength. We shall now move from our comfortable quarters and advance upon the hostile lines of our Ancient Foe. We shall permit him neither quarter nor footing, for he has fraudulently usurped the Holy Place and disgraced the Altar.

As I observed the countenance of our dear people at Convention (and remembered those valiant Souls who were unable to attend), I saw many battle scarred and weary faces. These were the loyal veterans of the Great War, veterans who will never lay down their Arms this side of the Grand Banks of Jordan Waters. I also observed many fresh and youthful warriors who will now close ranks with us and replenish our vacant ranks left open by fallen heroes of the Faith.

Listen and Remember! Hear the clear notes of the Trumpet piercing the Morning Air! Rise and to Arms! Abandon the foul trenches and advance under the heralding Angels of God who are arrayed before us. Our Redemption is at Hand!

God bless and prosper the people of His choosing.

In Christ,

+Jerry L. Ogles

P. O. Box 128  
Statesville, N.C. 28687

Phone: 704-873-8365  
E-mail: [aocusa@unitedenergy.net](mailto:aocusa@unitedenergy.net)  
Church: [standrews@alaweb.com](http://standrews@alaweb.com)