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CHRIST IS RISEN! The Repose in the Lord of Metropolitan Hilarion



Memory Eternal!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Today at about 2:00 PM Eastern time, His Eminence Metropolitan Hilarion, First Hierarchy of the Russian Church Outside Russia, fell asleep in the Lord. We have no details at present of the cause of his passing, but I will update you as we receive more information. You may link to the official announcement on the homepage of ROCOR by clicking [here](#).

Though we are saddened by the loss of our kind and gentle First Hierarchy, we trust in his blessed rest in Christ, being reminded especially in these bright Paschal days that the Lord Jesus has overcome death by death, so that we all may see Him in the joy of our new and unending life in Him.

May God grant memory eternal and a blessed repose to His servant Hilarion!

*Yours in Christ,
Fr. Christopher*

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