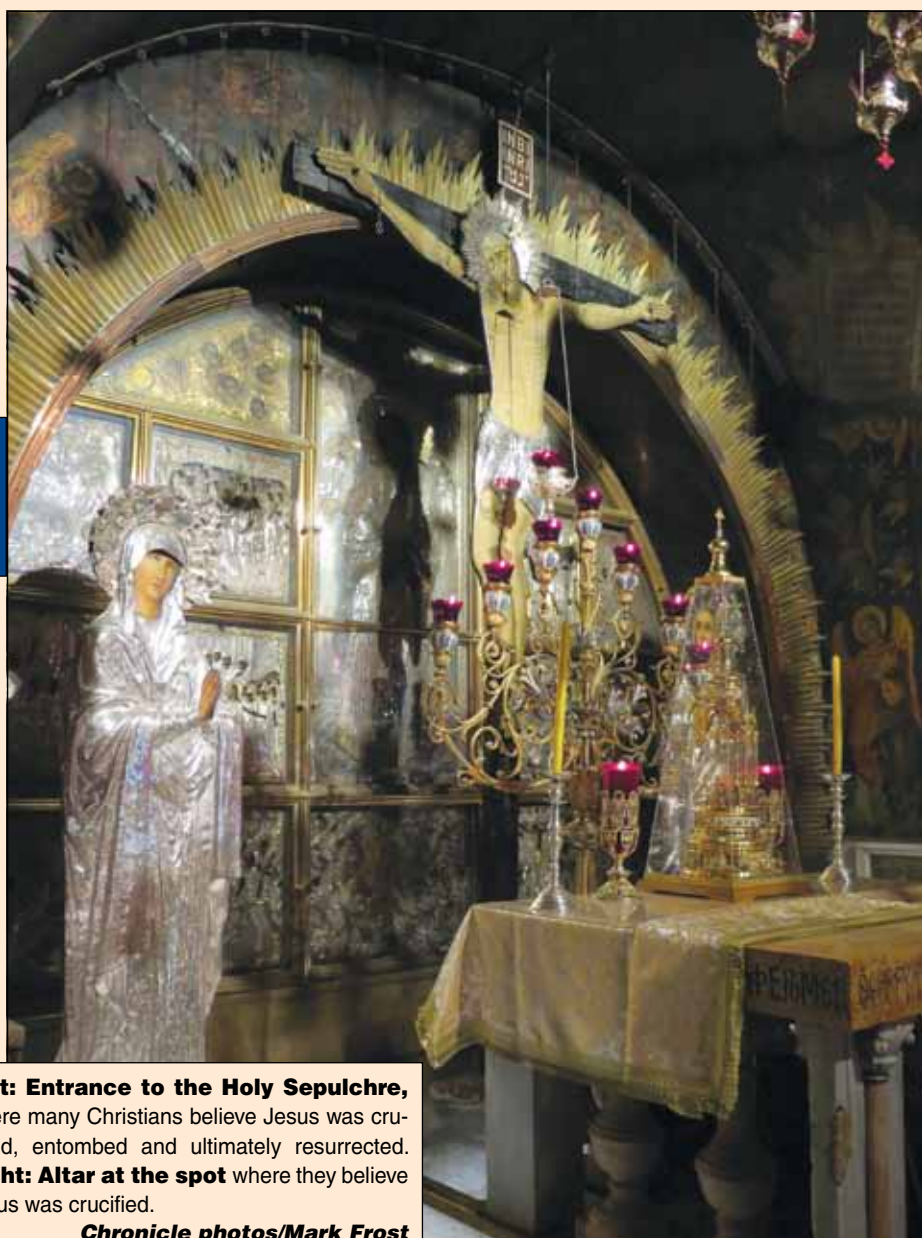


## Christian holy sites, Jerusalem

**Chronicle editor Mark Frost writes:** We've been awaiting the opportunity to bring you more photos from our two-week trip to Israel and Jordan in January. Easter seems the appropriate moment. Please see Mark's note in his "Scoop," page 6. **More pix, p. 18**

**Photos from Frosts' Israel trip in Jan.**

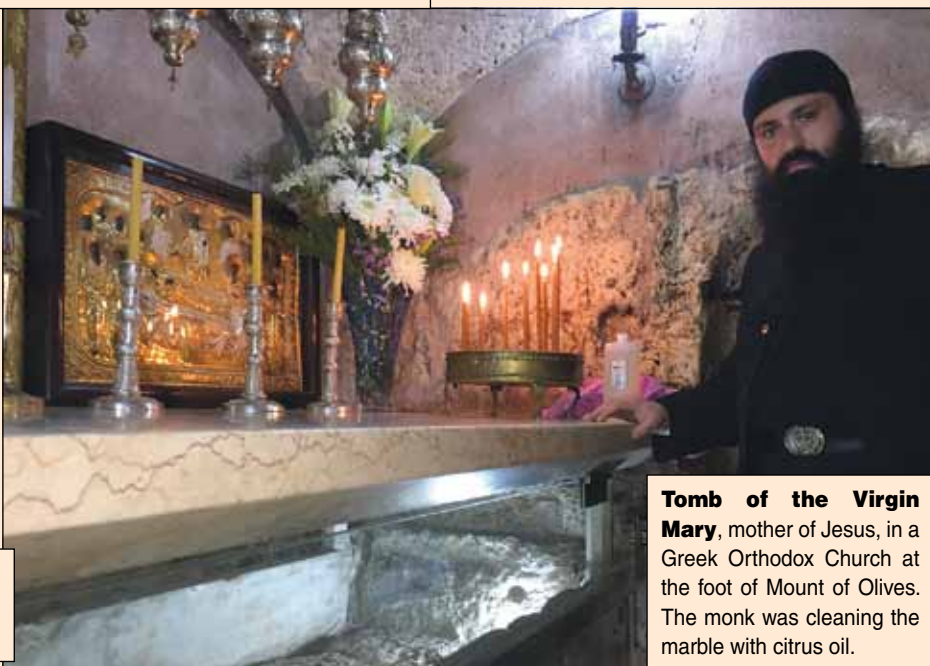


**Left: Entrance to the Holy Sepulchre,** where many Christians believe Jesus was crucified, entombed and ultimately resurrected. **Right: Altar at the spot** where they believe Jesus was crucified.

**Chronicle photos/Mark Frost**



**Stone of Unction** — After the crucifixion, site where Jesus's body was said to have been prepared for burial (not on that actual stone).



**Tomb of the Virgin Mary,** mother of Jesus, in a Greek Orthodox Church at the foot of Mount of Olives. The monk was cleaning the marble with citrus oil.

## The \$15 minimum pay clash

**By Gordon Woodworth**  
Chronicle News Editor

Governor Andrew Cuomo's push for a statewide \$15 minimum wage is the talk of Albany — and the Glens Falls region — as the Legislature scrambles to pass by April 1 an on-time budget that might include the wage hike.

Assemblyman Dan Stec says the constituent feedback is the most he's ever received on an issue in his three-plus years in the Assembly.

He and State Senator Betty Little say they've heard from hundreds of constituents who oppose the wage increase. Both legislators oppose the \$15 minimum wage.

"I'm hearing from a lot of small businesses that they would close if this is implemented," says Sen. Little. "They wouldn't be able to do it."

Governor Cuomo counters that the increased wage would reduce income inequality, restore dignity to workers in service jobs, and increase spending by putting

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