

Confessions:

Fr. Stephen is available for confessions on Saturday evenings after Vespers or by appointment. Please make an effort to go at least once every 3-6 months.

Upcoming Events:

Parish Council and Potluck Date: December 9th after Liturgy

Quotes from the Fathers:

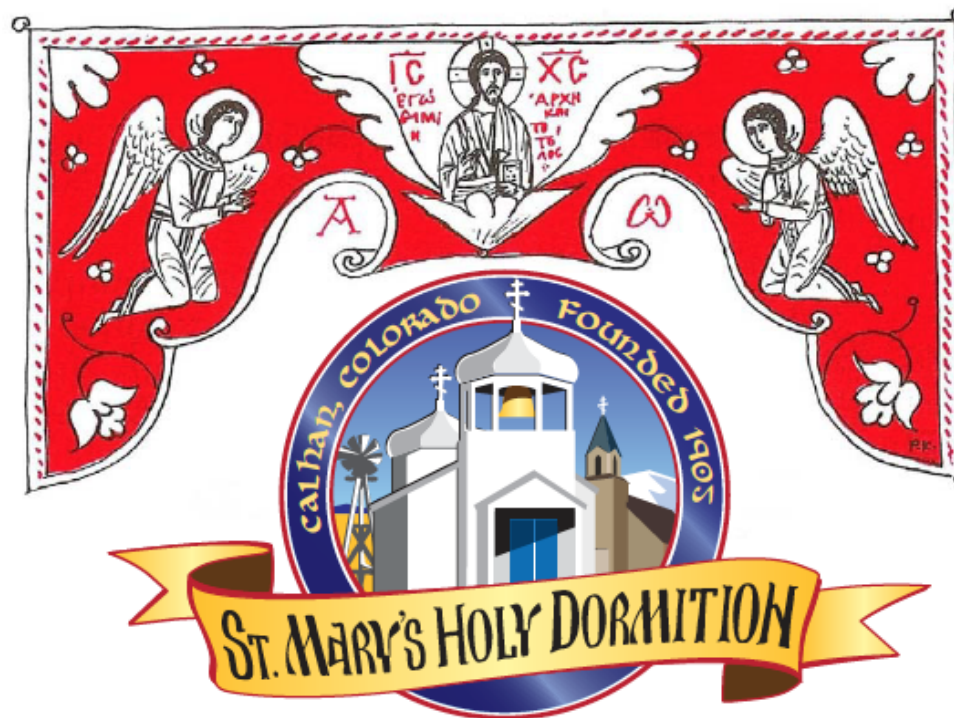
“Every family should have a room where Christ is welcome in the person of the hungry and thirsty stranger.”

- St. John Chrysostom

SUNDAY BULLETIN

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23rd Sunday After Pentecost



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Scripture Readings:

Ephesians 2:4-10 (Epistle)

But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

Luke 8:41-56 (Gospel)

And behold, there came a man named Jairus, and he was a ruler of the synagogue. And he fell down at Jesus' feet and begged Him to come to his house, for he had an only daughter about twelve years of age, and she was dying. But as He went, the multitudes thronged Him. Now a woman, having a flow of blood for twelve years, who had spent all her livelihood on physicians and could not be healed by any, came from behind and touched the border of His garment. And immediately her flow of blood stopped. And Jesus said, "Who touched Me?" When all denied it, Peter and those with him said, "Master, the multitudes throng and press You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?'" But Jesus said, "Somebody touched Me, for I perceived power going out from Me." Now when the woman saw that she was not hidden, she came trembling; and falling down before Him, she declared to Him in the presence of all the people the reason she had touched Him and how she was healed immediately. And He said to her, "Daughter, be of good cheer; your faith has made you well. Go in peace." While He was still speaking, someone came from the ruler of the synagogue's house, saying to him, "Your daughter is dead. Do not trouble the Teacher." But when Jesus heard it, He answered him, saying, "Do not be afraid; only believe, and she will be made well." When He came into the house, He permitted no one to go in except Peter, James, and John, and the father and mother of the girl. Now all wept and mourned for her; but He said, "Do not weep; she is not dead, but sleeping." And they ridiculed Him, knowing that she was dead. But He put them all outside, took her by the hand and called, saying, "Little girl, arise." Then her spirit returned, and she arose immediately. And He commanded that she be given something to eat. And her parents were astonished, but He charged them to tell no one what had happened.

Birthdays/Anniversaries - November

Nov 5 - Georgianna Glover	Nov 21 - Camden Robinson
Nov 7 - Becky Fischer	Nov 22 - Vera Kopsho
Nov 9 - Jason Britton	Nov 22 - Morgan Britton
Nov 15 - Terri Volosin	Nov 23 - Garth Perry
Nov 15 - Abigail Rose Leithead	Nov 28 - Josh Leithead
Nov 20 - Richard and Debbie Molner	Nov 29 - Lori Meier
Nov 20 - Debbie Hlatki	

This Week at St. Mary's

Great Vespers (Saturday 5:30 PM November 10th)

Divine Liturgy (Sunday 9:30 AM November 11th)

Announcements:

Youth Nativity Play

On December 23rd after Liturgy, our youth will be performing a play based on the Nativity story. Please see Carrie and/or Vicki for more information.

Benches for Hall:

We still are looking for donations to help cover the extra burden of the new benches. If you would please consider donating to this above and beyond your normal tithe. See Fr. Stephen or drop off a check at the office if you'd like to help with this expense.

Youth Game Night

Tentatively on November 17th after Vespers, we invite all our youth and young people to attend a board game night in the Hall. There will be games for all ages (including those who feel young at heart) so if you would like to come, please do so. There will also be snacks, so if you would like to sign up to help provide them, see Fr. Stephen.

Thanksgiving Baskets:

We are taking a special collection today and over the next couple weeks for our annual Thanksgiving charity baskets. Please consider giving generously to this cause.

Parish Council Meeting (November 11th):

Parish Council Members, it has been a while since our last meeting. Don't forget that next weekend after Liturgy, we get back into the swing of things with our monthly Parish Council meeting.