

August 11th, 2019 **Afterfeast - Transfiguration** 8th Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture Readings

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Brethren, I plead with you, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment. For it has been declared to me concerning you, my brethren, by those of Chloe's household, that there are contentions among you. Now I say this, that each of you says, "I am of Paul," or "I am of Apollos," or "I am of Cephas," or "I am of Christ." Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, lest anyone should say that I had baptized in my own name. Yes, I also baptized the household of Stephanas. Besides, I do not know whether I baptized any other. For Christ did not send me to baptize, but to preach the gospel, not with wisdom of words, lest the cross of Christ should be made of no effect. For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the

Gospel: Matthew 14:14-22

At that time, when Jesus went out He saw a great multitude; and He was moved with compassion for them, and healed their sick. When it was evening, His disciples came to Him, saying, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is already late. Send the multitudes away, that they may go into the villages and buy themselves food." But Jesus said to them, "They do not need to go away. You give them something to eat." And they said to Him, "We have here only five loaves and two fish." He said, "Bring them here to Me." Then He commanded the multitudes to sit down on the grass. And He took the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, He blessed and broke and gave the loaves to the disciples; and the disciples gave to the multitudes. So they all ate and were filled, and they took up twelve baskets full of the fragments that remained. Now those who had eaten were about five thousand men, besides women and children. Immediately Jesus made His disciples get into the boat and go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away.

AUG Birthdays & Anniversaries

Aug 4 - Taytam Robinson Aug 5 - Kelly Glover

Aug 6 - Katie Tressler

Aug 7 - Gary and Georgianna Glover

Aug 7 - Emmy Britton

Aug 7 - Mat. Lindsey Osburn

Aug 9 - Joe Eurich

Aug 10 - Ken Stephens Aug 10 - Robert and Tetiana Boyd Aug 11 - Sheila Mikita

Aug 13 - Denise Mikita

Aug 14 - Darlene Mikita

Aug 15 - Debbie Molner

Aug 16 - Kade Pyatt

Aug 17 - Daniel Tipton

Aug 17 - Scott Mikita
Aug 17 - Ken and Lore Denson
Aug 18 - Juston Scott
Aug 19 - Nikola Tressler

Aug 23 - Gary Hlatki

Aug 23 - Joey Gdovin Aug 28 - Ernie Mikita

Aug 31 - Dave and Carrie Guy

Aug 31 - Rodney and Kelly Glover

Great Vespers w/Litiya - 6:00 PM (14th) Divine Liturgy w/Abp Benjamin - 9:00 AM (15th) Great Vespers - 5:30 PM (17th) Divine Liturgy - 9:30 AM (18th)

"If her Fruit, Whom none may comprehend, on Whose account she was called a heaven, submitted of His own will to burial as a mortal, how should she, who gave Him birth without knowing a man, refuse it?

- St. John of Damascus

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Calhan Community Highlights

Youth Activities

August

25th - Sunday after Church School Super Smash Brothers Tournament

"A New Challenger Approaches!" To kick off our Church School year, we will have another Super Smash Brothers Tournament after classes as a fun welcome back.

September

14th - Saturday after Divine Liturgy Movie "Day" - The Greatest Showman

Lights! Camera! Action! On the second Saturday of September, we will be having a movie day for all the youth and anyone who would like to come in the community to see watch The Greatest Showman. We will have popcorn and drinks for the kids and if any parents would like to volunteer to bring a lunch for all to share, that would be great, even the "Greatest Showing". Please see Fr. Stephen to let him know if you can help with this. Mark your calendars, "this is the moment we've all been waiting for."

Congrats to the newly baptized Brilee and her family on this joyous day. In the Gospels, Jesus said to Philip, "Follow me." Then Philip said to Nathaniel, "Come and see." As we live the Christian life which we began at baptism, we have the opportunity to reveal God to those around us, and invite them into the relationship. Our lives will say, as Philip said, "Come and see." We spend the rest of our lives growing into that truth, and growing in our understanding of it. So may little Brilee grow in her relationship with Christ and May God Grant her and her family Many Blessed Years as we all journey together in Christ and to salvation!

Parish Council Today

Parish Council members, we will be having our monthly Parish Council meeting after coffee hour.

Pierogies for Sale

With Slavic Fest in just a few short months, this is an excellent time to get some of the leftovers from last year so we don't have to throw them out. See Butch to buy some.

No Adult Faith Forum (14th)

There will be no Adult Faith Forum this week due to Abp. Benjamin's Archpastoral visit. Class will return on 21st.

Abp. Benjamin's Visit (13th-15th)

His Eminence will be joining us next week for our parish feast day. While it is during the week, please make every effort to come to the services. His Eminence says St. Mary's is his favorite place, so let's give him an awesome welcoming and show him why!

Church School (Tentatively Starting 25th)

Our new Church School year is quickly approaching. If you are not signed up for classes or are unsure, please see Carrie to make sure your kids are enrolled. This is a vital part of our formation in the Church so please make every effort to encourage your children to attend Church

UPCOMING SERVICES

Aug. 24th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM) Aug. 25th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Aug. 31st - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)

Sept. 1st - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Sept. 7th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)

Sept. 8th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Sept. 13th - Great Vespers w/Litya (6:00 PM)

Sept. 14th - Divine Liturgy (9:00 AM)

Sept. 14th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)

Sept. 15th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Sept. 21st - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)

Sept. 22nd - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

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