



**August 25th, 2019**  
**Apostle Titus of the Seventy**  
**10th Sunday after Pentecost**

# ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

## Scripture Readings

**Epistle: 1 Corinthians 4:9-16**

Brethren, for I think that God has displayed us, the apostles, last, as men condemned to death; for we have been made a spectacle to the world, both to angels and to men. We are fools for Christ's sake, but you are wise in Christ! We are weak, but you are strong! You are distinguished, but we are dishonored! To the present hour we both hunger and thirst, and we are poorly clothed, and beaten, and homeless. And we labor, working with our own hands. Being reviled, we bless; being persecuted, we endure; being defamed, we entreat. We have been made as the filth of the world, the offscouring of all things until now. I do not write these things to shame you, but as my beloved children I warn you. For though you might have ten thousand instructors in Christ, yet you do not have many fathers; for in Christ Jesus I have begotten you through the gospel. Therefore I urge you, imitate me.

**Gospel: Matthew 17:14-23**

At that time, when they had come to the multitude, a man came to Him, kneeling down to Him and saying, "Lord, have mercy on my son, for he is an epileptic and suffers severely; for he often falls into the fire and often into the water. So I brought him to Your disciples, but they could not cure him." Then Jesus answered and said, "O faithless and perverse generation, how long shall I be with you? How long shall I bear with you? Bring him here to Me." And Jesus rebuked the demon, and it came out of him; and the child was cured from that very hour. Then the disciples came to Jesus privately and said, "Why could we not cast it out?" So Jesus said to them, "Because of your unbelief; for assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you. However, this kind does not go out except by prayer and fasting." Now while they were staying in Galilee, Jesus said to them, "The Son of Man is about to be betrayed into the hands of men, and they will kill Him, and the third day He will be raised up." And they were exceedingly sorrowful.

## 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

## SERVICES

- Adult Faith Forum - 6:00 PM (28th)
- Great Vespers - 5:30 PM (31st)
- Divine Liturgy - 9:30 AM (Sept 1st)

## WISDOM

"He who busies himself with the sins of others, or judges his brother on suspicion, has not yet even begun to repent or to examine himself so as to discover his own sins..."

- St. Maximos the Confessor

**Confessions Every Saturday After Vespers or By Appointment**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Calhan Community Highlights

To our many family and friends who start the new school and church school year in teaching our youth in the St. Mary's community, let us all wish everyone a peaceful year filled with many blessings and thanks for all your hard work. We all appreciate the many thankless and unpaid hours you all give each day. You not only prepare and teach but now you must protect, may God be with you all. Have a great year and may He Grant You All Many Years!!!

## 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.

## Church School Begins!

Welcome back students! We have a variety of activities planned and learning opportunities for our youth. We welcome all ages to participate and be part of our Sunday school. If anyone would like to volunteer to help in a classroom, please see Fr. Stephen or any of the teachers. The teachers will also be giving your children a letter to take home with all the tentative activities and schedule for the year. May God Grant them all a wonderful and prosperous year!

## Slavic Fest Prep Days (Sept. 8th)

Starting the second Sunday of September (8th), we will begin our annual Pierogi making days after Coffee Hour Fellowship. Please note this in your calendar to try and be here to help. Also, Carrie has printed a food prep schedule for each Sunday as well as one for the week of Slavic Fest. They are in the Narthax. Please grab one.

## Youth Activities

### August

25th - Sunday after Church School  
Super Smash Brothers Tournament

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

### September

28th - Saturday after Vespers  
Movie Night- The Greatest Showman

Due to Calhan Homecoming, we've moved Movie Day to Movie Night. On the **fourth** Saturday of September after Great Vespers, we will be having a movie night for all the youth and for anyone who would like to come in the community to see watch The Greatest Showman. We will have popcorn, a light dinner, and drinks for the kids. If any parents would like to volunteer to bring something 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."

### December

1st - Sunday 2:25 PM  
Broncos Vs. Chargers

Looking ahead into November, we will be trying to attend a regular season game for the Broncos. Ticket and transportation information will be made available in a couple of weeks but keep an eye on this. Regular season games cost more (alot more at around ~\$90 per ticket) but Fr. Stephen is going to try and get a group rate like he did for the last few sports events. If we are able to make this game happen, money for tickets will need to be collected as soon as possible. Please also note that if we are able to go to this game and due to the time of the game, Divine Liturgy that day will be at 9:00 AM to give everyone a chance to get to the game before Kickoff. Stay tuned for more info in the coming weeks.

**P.S.**  
*Fr. Stephen is willing to root for the Broncos for just this one game and will be in need of jersey to wear. If you'd like to let him borrow one, let him know ;-)*

# UPCOMING SERVICES

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)  
Sept. 28th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)  
Sept. 29th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)  
Oct. 5th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)  
Oct. 6th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

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