



**June 9th, 2019 - Fathers of  
the 1st Ecumenical Council  
7th Sunday of Pascha**

# ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

## Scripture Readings

**Epistle: Acts 20:16-18, 28-36**

For Paul had decided to sail past Ephesus, so that he would not have to spend time in Asia; for he was hurrying to be at Jerusalem, if possible, on the Day of Pentecost. From Miletus he sent to Ephesus and called for the elders of the church. And when they had come to him, he said to them: "You know, from the first day that I came to Asia, in what manner I always lived among you, Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His own blood. For I know this, that after my departure savage wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock. Also from among yourselves men will rise up, speaking perverse things, to draw away the disciples after themselves. Therefore watch, and remember that for three years I did not cease to warn everyone night and day with tears. So now, brethren, I commend you to God and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up and give you an inheritance among all those who are sanctified. I have coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. Yes, you yourselves know that these hands have provided for my necessities, and for those who were with me. I have shown you in every way, by laboring like this, that you must support the weak. And remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" And when he had said these things, he knelt down and prayed with them all.

**Gospel: John 17:1-13**

Jesus spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said: "Father, the hour has come. Glorify Your Son, that Your Son also may glorify You, as You have given Him authority over all flesh, that He should give eternal life to as many as You have given Him. And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent. I have glorified You on the earth. I have finished the work which You have given Me to do. And now, O Father, glorify Me together with Yourself, with the glory which I had with You before the world was. I have manifested Your name to the men whom You have given Me out of the world. They were Yours, You gave them to Me, and they have kept Your word. Now they have known that all things which You have given Me are from You. For I have given to them the words which You have given Me; and they have received them, and have known surely that I came forth from You; and they have believed that You sent Me. I pray for them. I do not pray for the world but for those whom You have given Me, for they are Yours. And all Mine are Yours, and Yours are Mine, and I am glorified in them. Now I am no longer in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to You. Holy Father, keep through Your name those whom You have given Me, that they may be one as We are. While I was with them in the world, I kept them in Your name. Those whom You gave Me I have kept; and none of them is lost except the son of perdition, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. But now I come to You, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have My joy fulfilled in themselves.

## JUN Birthdays & Anniversaries

1st - Archbishop Benjamin  
3rd - Scott and Robin Mikita  
5th - Jason and Rachel Britton  
6th - Alvin and Muriel Eurich  
8th - Evan Dean John Guy  
8th - LD and Lyndi Meier  
9th - Korbyn Meier  
9th - Helen Sakala  
12th - Garth and LeAnn Perry  
16th - Alvin Eurich  
22nd - Jeb Billmire  
23rd - Leilah Tunink  
23rd - Mat. Elaine Lowell  
23rd - Rainlee Dawson  
24th - Jenny Dumler  
25th - Muriel Eurich  
26th - Michael and Debby Hlatki  
26th - Rachel Britton  
27th - Gary Glover  
28th - Mylee Pyatt  
30th - Chandler Glover

## SERVICES

Reader's Vespers - 5:30 PM (15th)  
Pentecost Divine Liturgy - 9:30 AM (16th)

## WISDOM

Every time we sin, we are born of the devil; but every time we do good, we are born of God.

- St. John Chrysostom

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

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Calhan Community Highlights

As Fr. Stephen stated last week at the end of the announcements, he has officially been at St. Mary's for 1 year. He is again extremely thankful to everyone for all their love and support during this first year of his first "solo" assignment. May he and his family continue to serve this community faithfully with love and vigor for many more! May God Grant the loving parishioners of St. Mary's Holy Dormition Orthodox Church Many Years!

## Pierogies for Sale

There are still Pierogies for sale leftover from Slavic Fest. We have cheese, prune, and potato ones available. See Butch if you'd like to buy some.

## Parish Council (June 9th)

Parish Council Members, we are meeting today after the Coffee Hour Potluck.

## Father's Away (June 10th-15th)

Fr. Stephen and family will be away from Sunday evening until Saturday night on a family vacation to the most expensive place in the world...Oops! Correction: The Most Magical Place in the World - Disney World. 🐻 If there are any emergencies during the week of the 22nd, please contact Father or Rod Glover and they will make the appropriate arrangements.

## No Adult Faith Forum (June 19th, not the 12th)

Due to Fr. Stephen being away on Vacation, we will not have Adult Faith Forum this week and will resume on the 19th at 6:00 PM. Please note that we will be meeting at the rectory and not the church for these classes.

## Youth Activities

### June

28th - Friday @ 6:40 PM  
Colorado Rockies Vs. LA Dodgers

Later this month we will be attending a baseball game up in Denver with our youth and community. The tickets are \$20 each & Fr. Stephen needs a count by **TODAY** so he can order the tickets. Tickets will be ordered Sunday evening (9th). Payment for the tickets are due by the middle of June 23rd. Make all checks out to St. Mary's Orthodox Church.

\*Tentative\* 29th - Saturday After Liturgy  
Panakhida for the Unborn @ Colorado Springs  
Westside Planned Parenthood

Later this month we will be organizing an event with our youth and community to go and pray outside of the Planned Parenthood in Colorado Springs. If anyone wants to talk with us, they can but we will not confront anyone or seek to disrupt anyone from entering. We are coordinating this event with Holy Theophany's Youth Group. If you have any questions, please see Fr. Stephen.

### July

24th - 27th  
Rocky Mountain Orthodox Youth Camp

In July, between the 4H Fairs the annual RMOY Camp will be taking place for all Orthodox Youth in the Rocky Mountain Deanery. If your child/children, grades 1st-12th are interested in attending, let Fr. Stephen know & he will get you the right forms for the camp. The cost is \$185 per child & there are scholarships available. The deadline for applications is July 8th. If you have any other questions see Fr. Stephen or Fr. Benjamin Huggins at 970-689-4777 / FrBenjamin.Huggins@gmail.com

### August

5th @ Time TBD  
End of the Year Church School Event @ Waterworld in Denver

We are celebrating our end of the Church School year by taking the youth to Waterworld up in Denver. The parish is covering admission. More information will be made available soon but we do need volunteers who can bring lunch and also a headcount on who is going. Please see any church school teacher or Fr. Stephen to let them know your kids are going.

# UPCOMING SERVICES

Jun. 22nd - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)  
Jun. 23rd - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)  
Jun. 29th - Divine Liturgy - Ss. Peter & Paul (8:00 AM)  
Jun. 29th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)  
Jun. 30th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Jul. 6th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)  
Jul. 7th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)  
Jul. 13th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)  
Jul. 14th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)  
Jul. 20th - Great Vespers (5:30 PM)

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