



**March 1st, 2020**  
**Cheesefare Sunday**  
**Expulsion of Adam & Eve**

# ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

## Scripture Readings

**Epistle: Romans 13:11-14:4**

Brethren, And do this, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep; for now our salvation is nearer than when we first believed. The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light. Let us walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy. But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill its lusts. Receive one who is weak in the faith, but not to disputes over doubtful things. For one believes he may eat all things, but he who is weak eats only vegetables. Let not him who eats despise him who does not eat, and let not him who does not eat judge him who eats; for God has received him. Who are you to judge another's servant? To his own master he stands or falls. Indeed, he will be made to stand, for God is able to make him stand.

**Gospel: Matthew 6:14-21**

The Lord said: "For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses. Moreover, when you fast, do not be like the hypocrites, with a sad countenance. For they disfigure their faces that they may appear to men to be fasting. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. But you, when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face, so that you do not appear to men to be fasting, but to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly. Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."

## MAR Birthdays & Anniversaries

3rd - Madalyn Schulte  
5th - Nicole Fischer  
6th - Larry Don Meier  
6th - Fr. Stephen - Priest Ordination Anniversary  
8th - Jedidiah Leithead  
9th - Chris Dumler  
9th - Harold & Dee Eurich  
11th - Polly Mikita  
12th - Butch Sakala  
13th - Robin Mikita  
15th - Fr. Stephen - Deacon Ordination Anniversary  
17th - LeAnn Perry  
23rd - Daelynn Roswold  
25th - Lacie Leithead  
28th - Ken and Shelly Stevens  
31st - Alexander Baril

## SERVICES

Kanon of St. Andrew - 6:00 PM (1st)  
Kanon of St. Andrew - 6:00 PM (2nd)  
Presanctified Liturgy - 6:00 PM (6th)  
Great Vespers - 5:00 PM (7th)  
Divine Liturgy - 9:30 AM (8th)  
Mission Vespers @ Holy Theophany - 6:00 PM (8th)

## WISDOM

"The sign of sincere love is to forgive wrongs done to us. It was with such love that the Lord loved the world."

- St. Mark the Ascetic

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

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## GoFundMe for Steve Wilson

Please consider giving to Steve Wilson, a student at Simla who is fighting a flesh-eating disease's GoFundMe. He is a player on Dave Guy's basketball team, an upstanding young man of the community, and his family would greatly benefit from any donation we can provide. Please be generous in helping Steve fight this terrible disease:

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/give-for-stevenhealing-from-flesh-eating-bacteria>

## Presanctified Liturgy Meals

After each presanctified this Lent, we will be having a light dinner with fellowship to break the fast. This will be a potluck style meal so please bring something for all to share.

## Parish Council Next Sunday

We will be having our monthly parish council meeting next Sunday after Liturgy. Coffee Hour will be our normal potluck.

## Adult Faith Forum Returns Next Sunday

Reminder that next Sunday before Liturgy at 8:45 AM we will be resuming our Adult Class. These will be in the Church and short lessons going no longer than a half an hour. We are going to talk about Fr. Tom Hopko's 55 Maxims. Join us!

## Choir Rehearsal Today

We will have choir rehearsals every week after Liturgy until Holy Week. Choir members, please make every effort to attend these rehearsals.

## Mission Vespers Schedule

Please note we will be having our annual Mission Vespers services during Great Lent. We will again be hosting the final Sunday of Lent on April 5th. A flyer has been posted in the Hall and in the Narthax. Here is the schedule for this year:

**March 8th:** Holy Theophany (2770 N Chestnut St, Colorado Springs, CO 80907)

**March 15th:** St. Michael (801 W Summit Ave, Pueblo, CO 81004)

**March 22nd:** Archangel Michael (2215 Paseo Rd, Colorado Springs, CO 80907)

**March 8th:** St. John the Baptist (1010 Spruce St, Pueblo, CO 81004)

**April 5th:** St. Mary's Holy Dormition

## Calhan Community Highlights

This past week we learned that Lexi Guy is Simla Elementary Student of the Month for April. We are so proud of her and all her hard work. May God Grant Lexi Many Years!

## Youth Activities

### March

15th - During Coffee Hour

Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament

Challengers Approaching! A new foe has appeared! On Sunday the 15th, we will be having a Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament on the TV in the Hall. There will be some fun prizes, including a top secret, limited edition Nintendo prize. All youth (and young at heart) are invited to participate. There will also be special exhibition matches for some unique prizes. Join us!

29th - During Coffee Hour

Homeless Kits

When you see a person who is homeless holding a sign on a street corner, especially in Colorado Springs and Denver, are you unsure how to respond? Well we have an answer! At the end of March, we will assemble homeless kits to have on hand to give those in need. After we assemble them during coffee hour, we will gather them and put them into the Narthax of the Church where you can take one and keep it in your car whenever you encounter someone in need. Everyone is invited to join us, not just our youth, so please help and stay to build these kits and keep our theme of Service going.

### April

**\*New Date\*** 5th - After Coffee Hour  
Monastery Fence

Our monastery property is in need of a fence for the grave of Oscar Stanko. After Coffee Hour on April 5th, we will gather our older youth to go to the property and build a fence. Butch has also offered to give a little history lesson of the area. All are invited to join but we'd really like to get the teens involved in this effort.

# UPCOMING SERVICES

Mar. 25th - Annunciation (Fr. Stephen Out of Town)

Apr. 11th - Lazarus Saturday Liturgy (9:00 AM)

Apr. 12th - Palm Sunday Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Apr. 13th-18th - Holy Week

Apr. 18th - Holy Saturday Liturgy (9:00 AM)

Apr. 18th - PASCHA Services (10:30 PM)

Apr. 19th - Agape Vespers (11:00 AM)

May 28th - Ascension Liturgy (8:00 AM)

Jun. 7th - Pentecost Liturgy (9:30 AM)

Jun. 29th - St. Peter & Paul Liturgy (8:00 AM)

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