

## June 14th, 2020

# June 14th, 2020 All Saints 1st SUNDAY OF PENTECOST HOLY DORMITION

## **Scripture Readings**

Epistle: Hebrews 11:33-12:2

Brethren, those who through faith subdued kingdoms, worked righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens. Women received their dead raised to life again. Others were tortured, not accepting deliverance, that they might obtain a better resurrection. Still others had trial of mockings and scourgings, yes, and of chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, were tempted, were slain with the sword. They wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins, being destitute, afflicted, tormented – of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, having obtained a good testimony through faith, did not receive the promise, God having provided something better for us, that they should not be made perfect apart from us. Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

## Gospel: Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30

The Lord said, whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven. He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. Then Peter answered and said to Him, "See, we have left all and followed You. Therefore what shall we have?" So Jesus said to them, "Assuredly I say to you, that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man sits on the throne of His glory, you who have followed Me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My name's sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

1st - Archbishop Benjamin (Peterson)

3rd - Scott and Robin Mikita

5th - Jason and Rachel Britton

8th - Evan Dean John Guy

8th - LD and Lyndi Meier

9th - Korbyn Meier

9th - Helen Sakala

12th - Garth and LeAnn Perry

14th - Nate Rozdilsky

15th - Shonda Robinson

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

## RVICES

Prayers for Rain (No Attendance) - 7:00 AM (17th) Great Vespers - 5:00 PM (20th) Divine Liturgy - 9:30 AM (21st)

"It is a fact, brothers and sisters, that the path of the saints in this life is one full of troubles.

- St Athanasius

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **Calhan Community Highlights**

We do have some really good news to announce. Maddie Schulte received All Academic Achievements for her class as well as the 7th grade scholarship that will go into her college fund. Her sisters Makenzie and Mayika also had 4.0 GPAs. We are so proud of all of them. Good job girls! May God Grant them all Many Years!!!

#### **Restrictions on Services**

Until further notice, we are limiting services back to 20 inside of the church, that includes Fr. Stephen and the choir. If we go over 20, they will be asked to watch the service in the hall. **ALL RULES MUST BE OBSERVED & FOLLOWED. NO EXCEPTIONS. NONE.** That includes wearing masks, proper distancing, washing hands, taking tempatures, and everything that has been outlined in the guidelines. If you are over the age of 65, you are asked to stay home and watch online.

## Prayers for Rain Semi-Cancelled but not really...

Due to some unfortunate news on the restrictions on our parish, we will not be having attendance for this service. Fr. Stephen will still be livestreaming the service every Wednesday at 7 AM.

#### **Parish Council On Hold**

Parish Council will be meeting soon but we have to do it via phone call / Zoom. Will have more information shortly.

### **Surgery Updates**

Mat. Lindsey's surgery went well and she is recovering at home. Greg's surgery went well too. He's already up and walking! Thank you to everyone for their prayers for both of them. May they both have speedy and healthy recoveries.

## Prayers for Sheila's Surgery (June 22nd)

Please offer up prayers for Sheila who will be undergoing a hysterectomy on the 22nd of June. We offer her our prayers and thoughts for a good and healthy outcome. Our thoughts and prayers are with Sheila and her family. We look forward to hearing good news that everything went well and she is doing better. May God look after the handmaiden of God, Marie and give her strength and calmness in her upcoming surgery.