

ST. ZOSSIMA

ST. MARY of  
EGYPT



# ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

APRIL 18TH, 2021  
5TH SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT  
SAINT MARY OF EGYPT

## Scripture Readings

**Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14**

Brethren, Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation. Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?

**Gospel: Mark 10:32-45**

At that time as they were on the road, going up to Jerusalem, Jesus went before them; and they were amazed. And as they followed they were afraid. Then He took the twelve aside again and began to tell them the things that would happen to Him: "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be betrayed to the chief priests and to the scribes; and they will condemn Him to death and deliver Him to the Gentiles; and they will mock Him, and scourge Him, and spit on Him, and kill Him. And the third day He will rise again." Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to Him, saying, "Teacher, we want You to do for us whatever we ask." And He said to them, "What do you want Me to do for you?" They said to Him, "Grant us that we may sit, one on Your right hand and the other on Your left, in Your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you ask. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They said to Him, "We are able." So Jesus said to them, "You will indeed drink the cup that I drink, and with the baptism I am baptized with you will be baptized; but to sit on My right hand and on My left is not Mine to give, but it is for those for whom it is prepared." And when the ten heard it, they began to be greatly displeased with James and John. But Jesus called them to Himself and said to them, "You know that those who are considered rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them. Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant. And whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all. For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

## APR Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 3rd - Zoe Osburn
- 5th - Anastasia Rozdilski
- 7th - Ryleigh Tunink
- 8th - April Schulte
- 8th - Matt Dawson
- 16th - Johnny Tart
- 18th - Jack Pyatt
- 18th - Makiya Schulte
- 22nd - Millie Manyik
- 22nd - Jennifer Billmire
- 22nd - Myree Hickman
- 23rd - Sarah Dumler
- 23rd - Logan Jackson
- 25th - Stone Stevens
- 26th - Kale Molner
- 29th - Mason Hendrix
- 29th - Malachi Hendrix

## SERVICES

- PRESANCTIFIED LITURGY - 6:00 PM (21ST)
- LAZARUS SAT. LITURGY - 9:00 AM (24TH)
- GREAT VESPERS - 5:00 PM (24TH)
- ADULT EDUCATION - 9:00 AM (25TH)
- PALM SUNDAY LITURGY - 9:30 AM (25TH)

## WISDOM

*"Pay attention carefully. After the sin comes the shame; courage follows repentance. Did you pay attention to what I said? Satan upsets the order; he gives the courage to sin and the shame to repentance."*

- St. John Chrysostom

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

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Calhan Community Highlights

It is with sadness, but also much joy to announce that at the end of June our own son of the parish, Dale Drew will be leaving to join the Air Force. Like others in our parish, we are so proud of him to see him go off and defend our freedoms and proclaim Christ to the world with his sacrifice. May God Grant Dale and his family Many Blessed Years!

In other news, His Eminence recently made a special announcement to the diocese that he has been diagnosed with the initial stages of Parkinson's Disease. He is not stepping down but is asking for prayers during this time. Please keep him in your prayers. If anyone has a suggestion for sending him something to lift his spirits, please see Fr. Stephen with your ideas.

## Special Collection for Rest of March and April

Fr. Joseph Sharman has been diagnosed with Large B-Cell Lymphoma. We have done a great job collecting over the last 2 months but our special collection for this is coming at an end. Next Sunday is the last day to donate for this initial collection. Please be generous, above and beyond your normal tithing. Fr. Stephen will be delivering a check during Holy Week.

## Coffee Hour Sign Up Sheet

There is a sign-up sheet in the Hall, hung on the board with sign ups for Coffee Hour (it really is there this time). Please consider sponsoring a Sunday. Community potluck as is our custom will happen on Parish Council Sundays.

## Photo Directory: It is here!!

If you have not received your directory, they will be handed out at the end of Liturgy today. We want to make sure every family gets a copy before we give out extras, which will have a suggested donation of \$10.00 each. The directory is also up on our website. In order to access it, you will need to use the password that has been posted on the wall in the Narthex above the commemorative loaves: <https://holydormition.net/dir/dormition-dir-2021-web-version.pdf>

## Church School Schedule / Holy Saturday Readings:

Church School schedule is: 4/18 (Today), 5/16, 5/23. (Please Note: On these days, go ahead and pray over the food in the hall without Fr. Stephen). Also, Fr. Stephen has given out all the readings to the kids for Holy Saturday Liturgy (morning of May 1st) and wanted to reiterate a few things: Every kid who is reading does not have to chant their reading. Its encouraged, not required. Parents can and should help them on the day along with at home at least 15 minutes a night. Lastly, have fun with it. It is a blessing to read and show God how much you love Him. Do your best. No one is a bad reader. It will be wonderful!

## Kielbasa for Pascha:

Mike Hlatki is picking up Kielbasa for anyone who is looking for some for their Paschal baskets. If you would like some (and you should, they are excellent), please see Debby or Mike ASAP to place your order.

## Parish & Hall Cleanup/Lazarus Saturday (24th):

Next Saturday we will have our custom of serving and teaching the Proskedia service for the parish to see. That will begin at 9:00 AM on Saturday the 24th followed by Liturgy. Fr. Stephen will also do his entrance prayers with a short explanation at 8:45 AM so please get here early. Afterwards, we will have a light Lenten meal, then a parish and hall cleanup that we are asking as many to make every effort to join us for. Please help us clean up our beautiful church and hall.

## Thomas Sunday/Mother's Day (May 9th):

We will be having a potluck to honor our mothers while also keeping our normal Easter Egg and parish BBQ tradition. We will grill hamburgers and hot dogs for everyone and the men will be called to serve all the ladies in our parish. No women are allowed to work, except for a couple of the teenage girls in aiding with the Easter Egg hunt. Also, in keeping with our "Let Us Attend" theme, we are encouraging everyone to invite their mothers outside of our parish to attend services with us that Sunday.

## Holy Week Schedule:

Apr. 25th - Divine Liturgy - Palm Sunday (9:30 AM)  
Apr. 26th - Bridegroom Matins (6:00 PM)  
Apr. 27th - Bridegroom Matins (6:00 PM)  
Apr. 28th - Holy Unction (6:00 PM)  
Apr. 29th - Vespers Divine Liturgy (8:00 AM)  
Apr. 29th - Matins w/ Passion Gospels (6:00 PM)

Apr. 30th - Vespers of Holy Friday (4:00 PM)  
Apr. 30th - Matins of Holy Saturday (6:00 PM)  
May 1st - Holy Saturday Liturgy (9:30 AM)  
May 1st - Paschal Matins, Nocturne, Liturgy (10:30 PM)  
May 2nd - Agape Vespers (11:30 AM)  
May 3rd - Bright Monday Divine Liturgy (8:00 AM)

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