



ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

HOLY FATHERS OF THE FIRST ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

JUNE 13TH, 2021

Scripture Readings

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

At that time, 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

The Lord said 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...

JUNE Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 1st - Archbishop Benjamin (Peterson)
- 3rd - Scott & Robin Mikita
- 5th - Jason & Rachel Britton
- 6th - Dale Drew
- 8th - Evan Dean John Guy
- 8th - LD and Lyndi Meier
- 9th - Korbyn Meier
- 9th - Helen Sakala
- 12th - Garth & LeAnn Perry
- 14th - Nate Rozdilsky
- 15th - Shonda Robinson
- 15th - William Osinski
- 22nd - Jeb Billmire
- 23rd - Leilah Tunink
- 23rd - Mat. Elaine Lowell
- 23rd - Rainlee Dawson
- 24th - Jenny Dumler
- 25th - Muriel Eurich
- 26th - Michael & Debby Hlatki
- 26th - Rachel Britton
- 27th - Gary Glover
- 27th - Moses Sisneros
- 28th - Mylee Pyatt
- 30th - Chandler Glover

SCHEDULE

- 19th - Great Vespers (5:00 PM)
- 20th - Adult Class (9:00 AM) followed by Pentecost Divine Liturgy w/Kneeling Vespers (9:30 AM)

WISDOM

"Love sinners, but hate their deeds, and do not disdain sinners for their failings, so that you yourself do not fall into the temptation in which they abide. Do not be angry at anyone and do not hate anyone, neither for their faith, nor for their shameful deeds. Do not foster hatred for the sinner, for we are all guilty. Hate his sins, and pray for him, so that you may be made like unto Christ, who had no dislike for sinners, but prayed for them."

- St Isaac the Syrian

Confessions Every Saturday After Vespers or By Appointment

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gospel Cont. John 17:1-13

...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.

Calhan Community Highlights

Riggin Fuches and Evan Guy both tried out for their respective age groups' All Star Baseball leagues and both of them made the teams (like there was any doubt because they are awesome). We are super proud of them. May God Grant them both and their families Many Blessed Years!

Parish Council Next Sunday (Today)

Today is our monthly Parish Council meeting and community potluck.

Coffee Hour Sign-Up

There are still plenty of spots available for July 25th and beyond. Sign-up sheet is in the Hall.

4th of July BBQ Competition

With 4th of July being a Sunday this year, we thought it would be fun to make this into a community wide BBQ competition. Rules are simple. Bring your grill, cook up a meat of your choice, have it ready by 11:30 AM, and share with everyone. You are welcome to cook as a team too but emphasis is on the individual. We will allot space in the parking lot for competitors. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Voting will be like our Chili Cook Off with everyone having a chance to vote on their favorite dish. See Mat. Lindsey to sign up. We do ask that some in our parish not competing bring a side for everyone to enjoy. We will also have fireworks for the kids to light off, safely and with adult supervision outside in the parking lot.

Gary Glover 80th Birthday Party (27th)

While the kids are off ice skating, we will have the 80th birthday party for Gary Glover in the Hall. Join us from 1-4 PM on the 27th to celebrate this momentous occasion. May God Grant Gary Many More Blessed Years!!!

Prayer List

This list is distributed to the members & friends of St. Mary's Orthodox Church for inclusion in their personal intercessory prayers as well as for use during services. To include someone on the prayer list, please let Father know and he will gladly add them. Also, unless notified, names will remain on the list for 40 days and then be removed. If you'd like to keep someone on the list, please let Father know. (There may be spelling errors in names, they will be fixed as notified).

Living:

Abp. Benjamin, Fr. Paul, Fr. Joseph, Beverly, Mark, Nicholas, Natalie, Melvin, Anna, Muriel, Amelia, Christina, Alisha, Meryl, Mark, Harold, Paul, Sheila, Audrey, Daron (Basil), Kelly, Tammy, Anita, Clyde, Joyce, Kristina, Steve, George, April, Hannah, Keith, Lisa, Jillian, Dennis, Noah, Tori with child, Taylor with child, Debby, Sarah, Dixon, Hailey with child, John, Scott, Brinley, Mark, Georgiana, Bob, Vismin

Departed:

Martin, Glen, Jerry, Ken, child Abby

Youth

Ice Skating (June 27th):

We will leave after Liturgy that day to go for Pizza in Colorado Springs (suggestions for places are welcomed) and then down to Sertich Arena off of Union and Pikes Peak Ave for some ice skating, which starts at 3. Admission is \$5 and that includes skates. Pizza will be covered by the Youth Fund. Let Fr. Stephen know if you are going. It will be a lot of fun. Everyone is welcome, parents too!

Community

Summer Food Program:

There will be a summer food distribution at the former charter school off of 24 and Calhan Hwy, Wed, July 7th, and Aug 4th from 10 - 11:30 AM. No qualifications or pre-reg, just show up.

Photo Directory:

Extra ones available for suggested donation of \$10.00. Please see Fr. Stephen if interested. Online (Password in Narthex): <https://holydormition.net/dir/dormition-dir-2021-web-version.pdf>