



ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

JUNE 20TH, 2021 PENTECOST: FEAST OF THE HOLY TRINITY

Scripture Readings

Epistle: Acts 2:1-11

When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. And there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men, from every nation under heaven. And when this sound occurred, the multitude came together, and were confused, because everyone heard them speak in his own language. Then they were all amazed and marveled, saying to one another, "Look, are not all these who speak Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each in our own language in which we were born? Parthians and Medes and Elamites, those dwelling in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya adjoining Cyrene, visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs - we hear them speaking in our own tongues the wonderful works of God."

Gospel: John 7:37-52, 8:12

At that time, on that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart will flow rivers of living water." But this He spoke concerning the Spirit, whom those believing in Him would receive; for the Holy Spirit was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet glorified. Therefore many from the crowd, when they heard this saying, said, "Truly this is the Prophet." Others said, "This is the Christ." But some said, "Will the Christ come out of Galilee? Has not the Scripture said that the Christ comes from the seed of David and from the town of Bethlehem, where David was?" So there was a division among the people because of Him. Now some of them wanted to take Him, but no one laid hands on Him. Then the officers came to the chief priests and Pharisees, who said to them, "Why have you not brought Him?" The officers answered, "No man ever spoke like this Man!" Then the Pharisees answered them, "Are you also deceived? Have any of the rulers or the Pharisees believed in Him? But this crowd that does not know the law is accursed." Nikodemus (he who came to Jesus by night, being one of them) said to them, "Does our law judge a man before it hears him and knows what he is doing?" They answered and said to him, "Are you also from Galilee? Search and look, for no prophet has arisen out of Galilee." Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying, "I am the light of the world.

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

- 26th - Great Vespers (5:00 PM)
- 27th - Adult Class (9:00 AM) followed by Divine Liturgy (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

Calhan Community Highlights

Congrats Jack Pyatt on winning the 2020 FRC all around champion. His horse, Whiskey was also awarded Top Horse at the WRRR Westcliffe Rodeo (she also has won 9 buckles now). Also, Bodie Glover made All Stars in his respective Baseball League. We are super proud of our star athletes Jack, Bodie, and their families. May God Grant them all Many Years!

Also want to wish a Happy Father's Day to all Hierarchs, Priests, Deacons, Fathers, Stepfathers, Godfathers, Father in Laws, and Father Figures. May God Grant those that are living Many Years and to those who have departed in the hope of the Resurrection, a Memory Eternal!!!

Directory Updates

We are going to be providing a sheet or sticker to put into your directories with corrected information. There is a sheet in the Narthex for putting any corrections that may have been missed in the initial printing. Please provide before July 4th as Fr. Stephen will be printing and providing the updated sheet by the 11th.

County Fairs Mobile Chapel Event & Signup

We are going to be participating in the El Paso and Elbert Fairs this summer. Fr. Anthony and the community of Holy Theophany have graciously loaned us their mobile chapel to help us share our community and faith to others in the area. We will be in need of quite a few volunteers for the first fair, El Paso on July 10th-17th. Fr. Stephen will be picking up the Chapel on the 9th and dropping it off at the fair. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex. Please consider signing up, even if for only a couple hours. Everyone should do everything in their power to participate in this event. It is an important part of our identity to go out and share the Gospel to others. You will not be required to answer a lot of questions as there will be a nifty book printed on our faith for any inquirer. It will be a lot of fun!

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, Vismin, Camille

Departed:

Bob, Martin, Glen, Jerry, Ken, child Abby

Youth

Ice Skating (June 27th):

We will leave next Sunday after Liturgy, pick up pizza near the arena, go down to the park by Sertich Arena off of Union and Pikes Peak Ave and then to the arena for some ice skating, which starts at 3. The entire event 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>