



# ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

OCTOBER 24TH, 2021  
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## Scripture Readings

**Epistle: 2 Corinthians 9:6-11**

Brethren I say: "He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully." So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound toward you, that you, always having all sufficiency in all things, may have an abundance for every good work. As it is written: "He has dispersed abroad, He has given to the poor; His righteousness endures forever." Now may He who supplies seed to the sower, and bread for food, supply and multiply the seed you have sown and increase the fruits of your righteousness, while you are enriched in everything for all liberality, which causes thanksgiving through us to God.

**Gospel: Luke 16:19-31**

The Lord said this parable: There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table. Moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. So it was that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented. And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' But he said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.'"

## OCT Birthdays & Anniversaries

2nd - Daryl Mikita  
3rd - Michael Hlatki  
3rd - Mark Manyik  
6th - David Rozdilsky  
8th - Rita Evanoika  
11th - Fr. Stephen Osburn  
12th - Steven & Sarah Dumler  
16th - Kevin & Brandy Buchner  
21st - Dan and Vickie Tipton  
22nd - Luke Fischer  
25th - Brady Billmire  
29th - Steven Dumler

## SCHEDULE

27th - Reader's Prayers for Rain (7:00 AM)  
30th - Great Vespers (5:00 PM)  
31st - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

## WISDOM

*"You cannot turn me from my holy Faith by threats, nor with promises of riches and pleasures. I will obey your orders willingly, if you will leave me free to follow my religion. I would rather surrender my head to you than to change my faith. I was born a Christian, and I shall die a Christian."*

- St. John the Russian

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

# WELCOME! LORD IT IS GOOD TO BE HERE!

## Father and Family Return Next Weekend

Huge thank you to Fr. James for subbing for Fr. Stephen and to all who has made his visit memorable and enjoyable. Fr. Stephen will be back next weekend. May God Grant Fr. James and everyone in our humble parish Many Blessed Years!!

## Prayers for Rain has Returned

We will be doing Prayers for Rain again every Wednesday at 7 AM, unless otherwise noted. Join us!

## Coffee Hour Sign-Up

What do you call a Swedish telemarketer? A Scandinavian. Now that we have your attention, there are plenty of spots still available for the coming weeks and months for Coffee Hour. Please consider signing up. Sign-up sheet is in the Hall.

## Trunk or Treat/Chili Cook Off (October 31st)

Next Sunday is the annual Trunk or Treat along with our Chili Cook Off Contest! There will be great prizes again for both the best chilis and car trunks. If you have not yet let Mat. Lindsey know you are going to compete, please do so. You can call or text her (702-521-6917). It's going to be a ton of fun! We can't wait.

## Prayer List

This list is distributed to the members & friends of St. Mary's Orthodox Church for 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. Anthony, Fr. Joseph, Fr. Michael, Beverly, Mark, Nicholas, Melvin, Anna, Muriel, Alisha, Meryl, Mark, Harold, Sheila, Daron (Basil), Kelly, Tammy, Anita, Steve, George, April, Hannah, Keith, Lisa, Dixon, Hailey with child, John, Scott, Brinley, Mark, Georgiana, Vismin, Karen, John, Jill, Caryn, Paul, Jessica with child, Mark, Carly, Rita, Devon, Leilani, Dani with child, DaeLynne with child, Libbie with child, Stephanie with child, Lacie with child, Dillon, Chelsi, Steven, Dan, Roberta, Emmy, Katy, Jason

## Departed:

Fr. Anastasy, Pres. Lidia, Mat. Tresja, Mat. Bonnie, Mat. Anisia, Linda, Dennis, Wyatt, Floyd, Larry, Judy, Natalie

## Youth

### Air Force Academy Vs. CSU (Saturday Nov. 13 at 5 PM):

Fr. Stephen has written and printed this weeks in advance so if you have ordered tickets you can pay Lori via cash or check. If the event was canceled due to not enough going, then disregard.

### Youth Dance @ Holy Theophany (Nov. 5th):

There will be a dance for all the deanery youth at Holy Theophany on November 5th. More details coming soon.