



ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

FEBRUARY 6TH, 2022 ZACCHAEUS SUNDAY AFTERFEAST OF THE MEETING

Scripture Readings

Epistle: 1 Timothy 4:9-15

Brethren, this is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance. For to this end we both labor and suffer reproach, because we trust in the living God, who is the Savior of all men, especially of those who believe. These things command and teach. Let no one despise your youth, but be an example to the believers in word, in conduct, in love, in spirit, in faith, in purity. Till I come, give attention to reading, to exhortation, to doctrine. Do not neglect the gift that is in you, which was given to you by prophecy with the laying on of the hands of the eldership. Meditate on these things; give yourself entirely to them, that your progress may be evident to all.

Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

At that time, the Lord Jesus entered and passed through Jericho. Now behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus who was a chief tax collector, and he was rich. And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not because of the crowd, for he was of short stature. So he ran ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see Him, for He was going to pass that way. And when Jesus came to the place, He looked up and saw him, and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and come down, for today I must stay at your house." So he made haste and came down, and received Him joyfully. But when they saw it, they all complained, saying, "He has gone to be a guest with a man who is a sinner." Then Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold." And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he also is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."

FEB Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 1st - Libbie Meier
- 3rd - Alicia Glover
- 3rd - Carly Carneal
- 6th - Robert Hertneky
- 8th - Paul Robinson
- 13th - Daniel Rozdilski
- 20th - Myrle Hlatki
- 20th - Bill Hendrix
- 20th - Ben Hendrix
- 25th - Josh Tunink
- 25th - Richard Molner
- 26th - Harold Eurich
- 29th - Rodger Mikita

SCHEDULE

- 9th - Prayers for Rain (7:00 AM)
- 12th - Great Vespers (5:00 PM)
- 13th - Adult Class (9:00 AM)
Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

WISDOM

"Love of God takes various forms. The man who wrestles with wrong thoughts loves God according to his measure. He who struggles against sin, and asks God to give him strength not to sin, but yet falls into sin again because of his infirmity, and sorrows and repents - he possesses grace in the depths of his soul and mind, but his passions are not yet overcome. But the man who has conquered his passions now knows no conflict: all his concern is to watch himself in all things lest he fall into sin. Grace, great and perceptible, is his. But he who feels grace in both soul and body is a perfect man, and if he preserves this grace, his body is sanctified and his bones will make holy relics."

- St Silouan the Athonite

Confessions Every Saturday After Vespers or By Appointment

LORD IT IS GOOD TO BE HERE!

The Every Parishioner Must Do To Do List Challenge:

As stated in the annual meeting, this challenge will remain on the bulletin for the rest of the year as a reminder to all of us to help in both our journey to Christ and others as well. Please make every attempt to work on completing this very important aspect of our faith:

- Have you brought someone NEW this month?
- Have you gone to Great Vespers at least once this month?
- Have you gone to Confession?

Myrle Hlatki is turning 29!

On February 20th, after Liturgy, we will be celebrating the 29th (80th***) Birthday of Myrle Hlatki. Coffee Hour will be hosted that day by the Hlatki family and everyone is invited to join us in celebrating this momentous occasion.

Special Collection for STS Seminarian

One of our diocesan seminarians named, Seraphim Robertson is looking for support for his family during his time at St. Tikhon's Seminary. Seminary is a very expensive endeavor, especially one like STS, that does not have affordable housing on campus or in the area. Further, finding men interested in the priesthood is becoming harder each year due to these expenses. Fr. Stephen, though able to take advantage of a special plan at St. Vladimir's still left with nearly \$60k. Today and next week we will take a special collection to send to Seraphim and his family and may God look after them as they continue their studies and one day in service to the Orthodox Church.

Coffee Hour Sign-Up

Which is faster, hot or cold? Hot, because you can catch a cold. That said, the 2022 Coffee Hour Sheet is up in the hall. Please consider signing up.

House Blessings

House Blessings are going on. If you'd like to have your house blessed and haven't reached out to Fr. Stephen, please let him know.

Super Bowl at the Osburns (Feb. 13th)

Fr. Stephen and Family are going to have a little Super Bowl Party Next Sunday if you would like to attend. Everyone is invited. We will have pizza, appetizers, and beer but you are welcome to bring anything you'd like. Because Fr. Stephen's dad is a Rams fan, we will be rooting for the refs. Join us!

Parish Council Meeting (Feb. 13th - Next Sunday)

We will be having our first parish council meeting next Sunday after coffee hour. We will also bless the 2022 Council right at the end of Liturgy. Coffee Hour will be a Potluck. Be there or be a Raiders fan!

Pierogi Still for Sale

The noodles have sold out but we still have Prune Pierogi. Please see Butch if interested.

2022 Wall Calendars

The 2022 Orthodox Wall Calendars are in the Narthex. They are free to take but if you'd like to leave a little donation, we won't say no.

Dale Drew's New Address

Our own Dale Drew has been in the country Jordan for the past few weeks and will be there until around June. If you would like to send him a letter or package, his temporary address is:

Dale Drew
332 AEW/332 EMXO (AMMO)
UNIT 61803 APO, AE 09321-61803

Prayer List

Living:

Abp. Benjamin, Fr. Paul, Fr. Anthony, Fr. Joseph, Fr. Michael, Fr. Dennis, Beverly, Mark, Melvin, Anna, Muriel, Alisha, Meryl, Mark, Harold, Dee, Sheila, Kelly, Tammy, Anita, Daron (Basil), Steve, George, April, Hannah, Keith, Lisa, Dixon, John, Scott, Brinley, Georgiana, Karen, Jill, Caryn, Paul, Mark, Rita, Devon, Leilani, DaeLynne and her newborn child Weston, Stephanie with child, Lacie with child, Dillon, Chelsi, Steven, Roberta, Emmy, Katy, Jason, Robert, Wilma, Debbie, Debby, Francis (Susanna), Lynda, Carl, Christina, Craig, Joel, Brittany with child, Leonard, Melvin, Anita, Tatiana, Caesar, Jeb, Baxter, Earnie

Departed:

Hieromonk Andrew, John, Buddy, Daniel, Michael, Delbert, Rod, Charlie

Youth:

Bowling: Feb. 27th

We are going bowling! We have a reservation on the 27th at 2 PM at PinHeadz Bowling Center in Colorado Springs. The reservation is 6 lanes for 2 hours and the cost is \$10 per person (which also includes shoes). Sponsorships available for those who may need them. Please have your money ready by the day of, Fr. Stephen will collect it and give it to Lori. Please let Fr. Stephen know if you're interested so he can have a running headcount. We will leave after coffee hour at 12:45. It should be a lot of fun and we hope everyone can go!

Cemetery Fence Project (TBA):

Calling all Older Youth! The Cemetery Fence has been put off for the last few years and the time has finally come to complete this project. We will be meeting with Scott in early March to make arrangements for the build day. We will work around sports schedules so please make every effort to be available to knock this important service project out.

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