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ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

APRIL 10TH, 2022
ST. MARY OF EGYPT
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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, and Jesus was going 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 - Anastajia Rozdilski
7th - Ryleigh Tunink
8th - April Schulte
8th - Matt Dawson
10th - Merrick 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 - Kail Molner
29th - Mason Hendrix
29th - Malachi Hendrix

SCHEDULE

10th/11th - Fr. Paul Funeral Services on back
13th - Presanctified Liturgy (6:00 PM)
16th - Lazarus Saturday Liturgy (9:00 AM)
Great Vespers (5:00 PM)
17th - Palm Sunday Liturgy (9:30 AM)

WISDOM

"I never learned from books. I have never even heard anyone who sang and read from them. But the word of God which is alive and active, by itself teaches a man knowledge."

- St. Mary of Egypt

WEEKLY JOKE

"A pirate walks into a bar with a paper towel on his head. The bartender asks, 'Hey, what's with the paper towel?' The pirate says, 'Argh, I've got a Bounty on me head!'"

WELCOME! LORD IT IS GOOD TO BE HERE!

The Come and See 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?
When was the last time you went to Confession?

Memory Eternal Fr. Paul Fedec

We are sad to announce that this past week longtime rector and pastor of our humble community, Archpriest Paul Fedec fell asleep in the Lord. He will be deeply missed by so many in our parish and we will pray the Panakhida service today at the end of Liturgy for him. Please keep his family in your prayers.

Funeral Services for Fr. Paul:
Tonight 4/10 Trisagion service @ 7:30pm at St. Catherine's Greek Orthodox Church
5555 S Yosemite St, Greenwood Village, CO 80111.
Tomorrow 4/11 Presanctified Liturgy @ 9:00am, funeral @ 11:00am at St. Catherine's Greek Orthodox Church followed by a Mercy Meal.

The graveside service at St. Tikhon's Monastery in May. Memory eternal to Archpriest Paul Fedec!

Confessions during Lent

If you want to make your priest really happy, you should come to confession. Better yet, you should go on Wednesday before Presanctified Liturgy. Fr. Stephen will be available at from 5 until 6 every Wednesday evening as well as after every Vespers or by appointment.

Holy Saturday Readings

Youth: Don't forget to practice your reading. If you need a new copy, ask Fr. Stephen. Parents: Make sure they work on being loud. Slow is okay. They don't need to chant their reading. They just need to be as loud so everyone can hear them. They will do wonderful, as they always do. God will love it.

Lazarus Saturday Proskomedie Lesson (Next Saturday 9 AM)

Next Saturday we will have our annual Proskomedie lesson before Liturgy. This is a great opportunity to see what we do prior to every Divine Liturgy. This is not just a lesson for the Youth but for all in our parish. Please try and be here by 9 AM, when Fr. Stephen does his entrance prayers. Liturgy will start roughly around 9:50 AM.

Kielbasa Ordering

It's very short notice but Mike Hlatki is placing an order for kielbasa next week and needs to know by today if you'd like to order. Please let him know. There is an order form sheet in the Narthex too.

Parish Council Meeting Today

Rockies Vs. Royals (May 15th - Game is at 1:10 PM)

Batter up! On May 15th, the Colorado Rockies are playing (and beating) the KC Royals. We are looking to get a group rate of \$16 per ticket but need at least 20 to commit to go. If you are interested, please let Fr. Stephen know (the sooner, the better) so he can make the arrangements. As a heads up for those planning, the game is on a Sunday and to make sure we make it to the game in time, Liturgy will be at 9 AM. We will need to leave the church no later than 10:30 AM.

2022 Holy Week Schedule:

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| Apr. 17th - Liturgy - Palm Sunday (9:30 AM) | Apr. 22nd - Vespers of Holy Friday (4:00 PM) |
| Apr. 18th - Bridegroom Matins (6:00 PM) | Matins of Holy Saturday (6:00 PM) |
| Apr. 19th - Bridegroom Matins (6:00 PM) | Apr. 23rd - Holy Saturday Liturgy (9:30 AM) |
| Apr. 20th - Holy Unction (6:00 PM) | Pascha Services (11:00 PM) |
| Apr. 21st - Vespural Liturgy (8:00 AM) | Apr. 24th - Agape Vespers (11:30 AM) |
| Matins w/ Passion Gospels (6:00 PM) | Apr. 25th - Bright Monday Liturgy (8:00 AM) |

Prayer List

Living:

Abp. Benjamin, Abp. Paul, Fr. Anthony, Fr. Joseph, Fr. Michael, Fr. Dennis, Fr. David, Mat. Priscilla, Anna, Muriel, Alisha, Meryl, sHarold, Sheila, Kelly, Tammy, Daron (Basil), Steve, George, Litsa, April with child, Lisa, Scott, Brinley, Karen, Jill, Leilani, the newborn Lilliana, Lacie, Dillon, Chelsi, Steven, Roberta, Emmy, Katy, Robert, Wilma, Lynda, Carl, Christina, Craig, Joel, Brittany with child, Leonard, Melvin, Anita, Caeser, Jeb, Baxter, Jon, Lindy, Marlene, Stacey, Jess, Charles, Pina, Donna Lou, Gordon, Matthew, Jack, John, Carol

Departed:

Fr. Paul, Hieromonk Andrew, Sdn. David, Mark, Catherine, Lindsey, Kasha, James, Dena, John, Eugene, Dwayne

Youth:

Lenten Challenge: (Due Apr. 17th)

Youth, don't forget to gather your clothes and toys (not broken ones) to be donated to a child in need. We will collect them, next Sunday **April 17th (Palm Sunday)**.

Youth Camp 2022 (Jn. 29-Jul. 2nd)

Rocky Mountain Orthodox Youth Camp 2022 will be held on June 29-July 2. It will be hosted by Ponderosa Camp which is located just outside of Larkspur, CO. It has moved closer to us and is not around fair season, so hopefully more can go. The cost is \$210 and scholarships are available. Registration paperwork is with Fr. Stephen if you would like to go. The deadline is June 1st, but please let Fr. Stephen know by May 15th. Do not let the cost hinder your kid from going. Everyone should go.

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