



# ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

# JULY 3RD, 2022 MARTYR HYACINTH OF CAESAREA IN CAPPADOCIA

## Scripture Readings

**Epistle: Romans 5:1-10**

Brethren, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God. And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope. Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us. For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him. For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

**Gospel: Matthew 6:22-33**

The Lord said: The lamp of the body is the eye. If therefore your eye is good, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in you is darkness, how great is that darkness! No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be loyal to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. Therefore I say to you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink; nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air, for they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? Which of you by worrying can add one cubit to his stature? So why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin; and yet I say to you that even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

## JULY Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 2nd - Lorene Denson
- 6th - Rodney Glover
- 7th - Jonathan Mikita
- 8th - Brianna Pyatt
- 8th - Carrie Ann Guy
- 15th - Linda Hendrix
- 16th - LD Meier
- 17th - Harry & Polly Mikita
- 17th - Bryan Hlatki
- 17th - Haylee Schulte
- 17th - Hannah Schulte
- 18th - Brooklyn Billmire
- 19th - Grady Leithead
- 19th - Evie Stevens
- 20th - Ernie & Jeanie Mikita
- 21st - Whitney Tunink
- 22nd - Luke Meier
- 22nd - Bill & Rachel Stevens
- 23rd - Marcellus Rozdiilski
- 27rd - Brayden Glover

## SCHEDULE

- July 6th - Prayers for Rain (7:00 AM)
- July 9th - Great Vespers (5:00 PM)
- July 10th - Divine Liturgy (9:30 AM)

## WISDOM

*"However many and however great and burdensome your sins may be, with God there is greater mercy."*

- St. Tikhon, Patriarch of Moscow

*"The only hope of salvation from the delusions and the heresies, the innovations and the traps of wicked people and of the devil is prayer, repentance and humility."*

- Elder Joseph the Hesychast

## WEEKLY JOKE

*Why was the football stadium so hot at the end of the game?  
All the fans left.*

Credit: Stone Stevens

# WELCOME! LORD IT IS GOOD TO BE HERE!

## Youth Camp:

Huge thank you to the Rose Marie Ladies on generously covering the costs for this year's camp. We had 19 campers (16 Youth and 3 counselors). Fr. Benjamin said it was the largest group he's seen from St. Mary's since he's been doing the camp. The camp was amazing and everyone had a blast. They made new friends and memories that will last a lifetime. It is all thanks to our wonderful community that this was possible. May God Grant the Rose Marie Ladies Many Blessed Years! Thank you!

## 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?

Please try and make every effort to come to as many services as you can and not only that, bring someone new.

## Church Clean Up Signup Sheet

We are in need of volunteers to sign up and help clean the church. It is a very easy job. All one is required to do is vacuum, wipe down the icons, pick up any trash, and remove any wax that may be on the candle stands. You can come any time during the week to do it, but its best to clean up before Vespers on Saturdays or right after Sunday Liturgy. The key is with the sign up sheet and when you are done, please pass it along to the next person or back with the sheet.

## Coffee Signup

We have many, many spots available for Coffee Hour over the summer. Please consider signing up.

## El Paso Fair Booth (July 16th - 23rd)

We will be participating again in the El Paso County Fair. The sign up sheet is in the Narthex. Each spot is in 2 hour blocks. Also, due to it being at the same time as the All American Council, Fr. Stephen will only be able to attend on the weekend. We will really need others to step up and handle the weekdays that Father is gone. Please add this to your calendar now and sign up.

## Parish Council (Next Sunday)

We will be having our parish council meeting next Sunday. Due to it happening on the same day as the Trojanovich Picnic, it will be a short meeting to approve the treasurers report and any pressing issues.

## Summer BBQ Cook Off (Today)

## Trojanovich Family Picnic (Next Sunday)

The annual Trojanovich Family Picnic will be held at our hall instead of Calhan Park this year on Sunday the 10th after Liturgy.

## Rockies Tickets

If you haven't yet paid for your tickets from the Rockies game, please get Lori a check or cash ASAP.

## Prayer List

### Living:

Abp. Benjamin, Fr. Anthony, Fr. Joseph, Fr. Michael, Fr. Dennis, Fr. David, Anna, Muriel, Alisha, Meryl, Harold, Sheila, Kelly, Tammy, Daron (Basil), Steve, George, Litsa, April with child, Lisa, Scott, Karen, Jill, Leilani, the newborn Lilliana, Dillon, Chelsi, Steven, Roberta, Emmy, Katy, Robert, Wilma, Lynda, Carl, Christina, Craig, Joel, Brittany with child, Leonard, Melvin, Anita, Brinley, Jon, Lindy, Marlene, Stacey, Jess, Pina, Matthew, Jack, John, Carol, Vicki, Shery, Ryan, Becky, Scott, Rebecca, Irene, Theodore, Pina

### Departed:

Pdn. Averky, Darlene, Nathan, Baxter, Richard

### Youth:

#### Sand Dunes with Holy Theophany:

Holy Theophany's Youth will be going up to the Sand Dunes July 9th and 10th. If you are interested in going, the cost is \$10 per person and you can let Mat. Mary Jewett know [carriewett@gmail.com](mailto:carriewett@gmail.com) as well as Fr. Joseph Sharman ([frjoseph@8thday.net](mailto:frjoseph@8thday.net)) He can also be reached at: (970) 778-7581. For those who decide to go, you will need to bring sleeping bags, pads, tents, sunblock, water bottles, and other camping gear. It should be alot of fun. Consider going!