

SLAVIC FEST 2022



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ST. MARY'S HOLY DORMITION

OCT 2ND, 2022
SS. CYPRIAN, JUSTINA, &
THEOCTISTUS OF NICOMEDIA

Scripture Readings

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 6:1-10

Brethren, as workers together with Him also plead with you not to receive the grace of God in vain. For He says: "In an acceptable time I have heard You, and in the day of salvation I have helped You." Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation. We give no offense in anything, that our ministry may not be blamed. But in all things we commend ourselves as ministers of God: in much patience, in tribulations, in needs, in distresses, in stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labors, in sleeplessness, in fastings; by purity, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Spirit, by sincere love, by the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armor of righteousness on the right hand and on the left, by honor and dishonor, by evil report and good report; as deceivers, and yet true; as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold we live; as chastened, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing all things.

Gospel: Luke 6:31-36

The Lord said: just as you want men to do to you, you also do to them likewise. But if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive back, what credit is that to you? For even sinners lend to sinners to receive as much back. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, hoping for nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High. For He is kind to the unthankful and evil. Therefore be merciful, just as your Father also is merciful.

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

No Prayers for Rain (Will Return after Slavic Fest)
Oct 2nd - Pierogi (After Coffee Hour)
Oct 3rd - Nothing. Relax and watch some MNF.
Oct 4th - Grounds Clean-Up (5:00 PM)
Oct 5th - Boiling Cabbage Leaves (5:00 PM)
Oct 6th - Halupki Making (5:00 PM)
Oct 7th - Fry Cabbage & Onions/Making Halushki/
Hall Clean Up (8:00 AM)
Oct 8th - Finalize Prep (8:00 AM)
Oct 9th - Liturgy (8:00 AM)/Finalize Prep (10:00 AM)

WISDOM

"Patient endurance kills the despair that kills the soul; it teaches the soul to take comfort and not to grow listless in the face of its many battles and afflictions"

- St. Peter of Damaskos

WEEKLY JOKES

I got ran over by a rental car...It Hertz a lot.

I'm reading a horror story in braille. Something bad is going to happen, I can just feel it.

What do you get if you put a duck in a cement mixer?
Quacks in the pavement.

At my funeral...I want the Minnesota Vikings to lower my casket so they can let me down one more time.

WELCOME! LORD IT IS GOOD TO BE HERE!

The Come and See Challenge:

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?

Panakhida After Liturgy Today

We will sing a Panakhida after Liturgy today for various members of the Mikita family who have fallen asleep in the Lord over the years. In a few weeks, October 16th, we will serve one for Nick and Natalie Norton, on their one year anniversary.

Church School Subs Needed

We are still looking for a few subs to help out with Church School throughout the year. If you are interested, please see Fr. Stephen.

SlavicFest is NEXT WEEK!

Don't forget to take a flyer and share with your family and friends. We have advertisement up on Facebook and on 3 digital billboards between Colorado Springs and Denver. Please share the word and tell people they can order online at SlavicFest.net. Also, this is a huge event for our parish and community. Make every effort to look at the schedule for the week and be available to help wherever needed, especially with the grounds, church, and hall clean up.

Slavic Fest Carnival

We have some games this year that will require "manning". We have 4 games (cup throwing, skeeball, basketball, and new Slavic Game: Bandy) and 2 bouncy houses. Any pre-teen or teenager not helping with another booth (cooking, boutique, or the bake sale) should be at the Carnival section helping with the games. While this is not a huge moneymaker part of Slavic Fest, it does provide a sort of entertainment for families with kids and encourages people to spend at the other booths.

Some of the details of the carnival: The games are 1 Ticket each. The cost of tickets are \$1 each or \$5 for 6. For the bounce house, whoever is handling that will need to monitor how long the kids are in and no more than 4-5 (depending on size) at a time in each house. Each game won will have a prize of either candy or stuffed animal. No kid is required to stay at one game all day and are encouraged and should rotate throughout the day. This year we really need our kids to step up. Parents, the task is on you. Make it so!

Chili Cook Off (October 30th)

The Chili Cook Off is already upon us. There will be great prizes again for both the best chili and car trunks. Please let Mat. Lindsey know if you are going to compete so she can get an accurate number of cups ready. It's going to be a ton of fun! We can't wait.

Open Mic (November 5th)

David Rozdilski approached Fr. Stephen and the parish council about a possible outreach idea he had for an open mic/talent show type event that would be held every first Saturday of the month. What he is proposing is that we have something in the Hall's Bar where anyone in our community, young and old can come and play music, tell jokes, share a story, whatever while drinking coffee/BYOB and hanging out. This is an interesting idea and we are going to try it on November 5th after Vespers at 6 PM. More information will be coming soon as well as a Flyer to share within the community. If you are interested in helping to organize this with Dave, please see him or Fr. Stephen.

Lives of the Saints:

Hieromartyr Cyprian, Virgin Martyr Justina, and Martyr Theoctistus, of Nicomedia:

<https://www.oca.org/saints/lives/2022/10/02/102s835-hieromartyr-cyprian-virgin-martyr-justina-and-martyr-theoctistus>

Prayer List

All those affected by Hurricane Ian. May God look after each and every one of them.

Living:

Abp. Benjamin, Abp. Melchisedek, Fr. Anthony, Fr. Dennis, Fr. David, Anna, Muriel, Sheila, Meryl, Harold, Tammy, Daron (Basil), Steve, Litsa, Jill, Leilani, the child Lilliana, Roberta, Katy, Robert, Lynda, Carl, Christina, Craig, Joel, Brinley, Jon, Lindy, Marlene, Stacey, Pina, Matthew, Jack, John, Carol, Johnny, Shery, Ryan, Irene, Bill, Jillian, Lizzie, Jamie, Sherrie, Jeremy, Preston, Ian, Sophia, Emmary, the infant Ellowyn, Sabrina with child, Loren, Rachel, infant Isaiah, George, Nicole, Elizabeth, Rose Mary

Departed:

Met. Herman, Met. Kallistos, Fr. John, Fr. Elias, Rita, David, Queen Elizabeth

Youth:

Pumpkin Decorating (Oct 23rd)

Trunk or Treat (Oct 30th)

AFA vs. CSU (Nov 19th):

Fr. Stephen spoke with a rep at the Air Force Academy for the game on the 19th. We need to order tickets in the next few weeks but the good news is, the tickets are only \$20 a piece, the same price as the Pueblo game. If you would like to go, please tell Fr. Stephen so he can order the tickets.

Winter Camp (Dec 27th-29th):

Come together with youth from the Rocky Mountain region. Enjoy a time of worship, fellowship, Human curling, tubing, broom hockey, games...The cost is only \$100 but don't let that stop you from going if you really want to go. Please see Fr. Stephen or contact Fr. Benjamin at: 970-689-4777. There are flyers in the Narthex with more info.

Volunteers Needed:

We need Volunteers for the following:

- 1) Coffee Hour (Sign up - Hall)
- 2) Church Clean Up (Sign up - Narthex)

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