

Prayer List

For Health:

Archp. Theodore Shomsky, Eric Garcia, Paul Schultz, Mike Gevenosky, Mary Waskevich, Irene Lengyel, Dorothy Petrovich, Teresa Ewaskey, Irene Molchan, Kay Rohal, Minnie Bogdan, Marge Ticich, Betty Flowers, Bob Yeske, Willard Flowers, Albert Brassard, Millie Barna, Carol Martus, Pauline Molchan, John Meno, David LaPosta, John Ellis, Mary Evans, Julia Spetek, Maryanne Conlon, Priscilla Conlon

Newly Departed

Ann Dahulich 12/6/17 (40th 1/15/18)

Departed

Art Laposta 1-15-2002	William Hovista 1-16-1976
Simeon Savastone 1-18-1951	Ellen Angelidas 1-18-2007
Charles Redish 1-20-2003	Mary Redish 1-20-1971

“Food is not evil, but gluttony is. Childbearing is not evil, but fornication is. Money is not evil, but avarice is. Glory is not evil, but vainglory is. Indeed, there is no evil in existing things, but only in their misuse.”

-St. Maximus the Confessor, Chapters on Love, 3.4

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Scripture Readings for the Day:

Epistle:

1 Tim. 1: 15-17

Gospel:

Luke: 18: 35-43

Schedule for the Week:

Monday, January 15:

No Office Hours

Tuesday, January 16:

Office Hours: 9:30am-1pm

Wednesday, January 17:

Compline: 6:30pm

Reader's Workshop after compline

Thursday, January 18:

Office Hours: 9:30am-1pm

Friday, January 19:

Office Hours: 9:30am-1pm

Saturday, January 20:

Great Vespers & Confession: 4pm

Sunday, January 21:

Hours: 9:10am

Divine Liturgy: 9:30am

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS!

GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST!

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GLORY TO GOD FOREVER!

Welcome!: Welcome to all of our visitors and guests who have participated with us at the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. Please join us at our Fellowship Hour directly after Liturgy. Also, please sign our guest book in the back of the church if you would like to be put in our parish mailing list.

Please note: Only Orthodox Christians who have properly prepared themselves through fasting from midnight the night before, prayer, have had a recent confession and has attended the Divine Liturgy from at LEAST the reading from Holy Gospel should approach the chalice "with fear and love" for communion.

Pledging/Tithing: The new year has begun and so we are beginning our free will/ pledging system. Please place your offering in basket in the back of the church by the candlestand!

100th Anniversary: We are still collecting items for our "100 Acts of Kindness" in celebration of our Centennial in 2019.

-Needed pet items: old sheets, towels, blankets, comforters, dog leashes, treats (no rawhide), non-clumping cat litter, dry dog and cat food (prefer Pedigree Complete Dog food and 9 Lives Daily Essential cat food)

-Special Appeal Donation: Over the past several months the parish has undertaken several important projects to help beautify, repair and fix both the house and the church. We are taking donations to help offset the costs for these projects. Please make a donation if you can, no matter how small it may be.

- We are currently at **\$6729**. Thank you and everyone for your generous donations!

Wednesday, January 17: We will have a reader's workshop after compline. Anyone interested in reading in church should come to this workshop.

House Blessings: Over the next couple of weeks Father will be blessing homes. Please sign up on the sheet in the back of the church. Blessing your home is something that every Orthodox Christian should do



and want to do. We are called to make our homes mini churches and so we ask God to bless it as well as those who live in it.

Annual Parish Meeting: Our annual parish meeting is scheduled for **Sunday, February 4th after Divine Liturgy**, weather permitting. Please make every effort to be there. Remember only Orthodox Christians in good standing, active in the sacramental and liturgical life of the Church (i.e. confession, communion, etc.) can vote.

Father Out of Town: Father and Matushka will be out of town from Monday, January 22nd through Monday, January 29th. There will be no compline or vespers during those dates. Fr. Wargo will serve Liturgy as usual that Sunday.

Events in the Diocese! (See board for more information)

Ice Skating at PPG Place: Sunday, January 21st from 2:30pm-4:30pm.

Health Kit Drive: Saturday, Feb. 3rd from 11:30am-12:30pm at Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Church.

Youth Bowling Party: Sunday, Feb. 11th from 4pm-6pm at AMF Mt. Lebanon Lanes.

Events Coming Up

Wednesday, January 17:
Reader's Workshop: After Compline

Monday, January 22-29:
*Father will be out of town:
- No compline or vespers. Liturgy will be at its regular time. Fr Wargo will be serving.*

Sunday, February 4:
Annual Parish Meeting: After Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, February 14:
Adult Education on the Presanctified Liturgy: After Compline

Sunday, February 25:
*St. Nicholas will host
Pan-Orthodox Vespers: 4pm*