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14th Sunday after Pentecost 10 September 2023

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 5)

2 Corinthians 1:21-2:4; Matthew 22:1-14

Next Sunday, 2 Corinthians 4:6-15; Matthew 22:35-46

No Vespers this Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIALS FOR TODAY

(NO REQUIEMS NEXT SUNDAY - September 17th)

Ksenia Ermakov (36 yrs), Anna Babilya (26 yrs), Thomas Puhalla (25 yrs), Diane Wydo (10 yrs), offered by family

Theresa Charlesworth & Ruth Ann Williams,

Offered by Arthur & Dolores Vidil

John Greco, Offered by Georgann & Jeff Siesky

(Correction: Last week's was offered by Joe Sabo)

BEHEADING OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST - Monday, September 11, 2023

THIS IS A VERY STRICT FAST DAY!!!

Immediately following Liturgy today - Great Vespers with blessing of bread, wheat, wine and oil.

Monday Morning, 9:00 AM - Divine Liturgy

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (Sept 10/Aug 28)- Moses, Job (Pachaev), Sava, Anna, Shushankika (Susanna), Amfilogius Sergius. MON- Beheading of St. John the Baptist: Anastasius, Alexander, *Theodora*. TUE- Alexander, John, Paul, Christopher, Fantinus, Sava, Joannicius, Arseny, Nikodimus, Evstathius, James/Jacob, Daniel, Ephraim, Spiridon, Makary, Gabriel, Gregory, Evlalius. WED- Gennady, Kyprian, John. THUR- ORTHODOX CHURCH NEW YEAR: Simeon, *Aquilina*, *Callista*, Ailthalus, Ammunus, Evkdis, Ermogen, Joshua (Jesus, son of Nun). FRI- Mamant, Theodotus, *Rufina*, John. SAT- Anthimus, Theophilus, Dorotheus, Mardonius, Migdomius, Peter, Indisus, Gorgonius, Zimonus, *Domna (Donna)*, *Vasilissa*, *Phoebe*, Evfimy, Theoctist, Ariston, John.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Registration for the upcoming Sunday School year begins today. We ask that all of our parish youth of school age please register. The forms for registration can be filled out at the coffee hour after church beginning today. The first day of classes will be Sunday, September 24, 2023. Classes begin at 9:00 AM and we ask that parents have their children present promptly.

First Votive Cross

Offered by Ronald Demay in memory of Paul T. Demay.

Second Votive Cross

Offered by Ronald Demay in memory of Pearl S. Demay.

St. Herman's Shrine

Offered by Lara & Jerry Werries.

Iconostas Lampadi

Offered by Simo & Paula Dragovich.

UPCOMING TIME CHANGE

Beginning on Sunday, September 24, 2023, Divine Liturgy will begin at 10:00 AM. This start time will be in effect throughout the fall and winter months.

Save the Date

This year's Annual Day of Giving Thanks dinner will be held on Sunday, November 5, 2023. This year's event will be held in our church auditorium. More information will be made available in the near future.

Our Holy Father Sava of Pskov and Krypetsk

A Serb by birth, he lived first in asceticism in the monastery of the holy Mother of God in Pskov, and was abbot of that monastery. But he was praised, so he fled from the glory of men and withdrew to an island in the lake of Krypetsk, where he founded a new community dedicated to St. John the Theologian. However, he was not able here, either, to hide from praise and eminence. Prince Yaroslav of Pskov visited him with his wife. Sava would not allow the woman to enter the monastery, but blessed her and prayed for her outside it, healing her of infirmity. This godly saint entered into rest in 1495, and his relics had wonderworking power.

-The Prologue from Ochrid