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Sunday Before Nativity 2 January 2022

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 3)

Hebrews 11:9-10, 17-23, 32-40; Matthew 1:1-25

Next Sunday, Galatians 1:11-19; Matthew 2:13-23

Vespers every Saturday evening at 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIALS FOR TODAY

Mitred Archpriest Eugene Pianovich, offered by family

Mark Gasparovic, offered by Vera Croitoru

Milos Klipa (17 yrs), offered by Georgann Klipa and Family

Frances Gatto, offered by husband Nick Gatto

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (Jan 2/Dec 20)- Prefeast of Nativity: Ignatius, Filogon, Daniel, John (Kondstadt). MON- *Juliana*, Peter, Theomistocles, Prokopy. TUE- *Anastasia*, *Theodotia*, Chrisogonus, Evodus. WED- Theodulus, Satorninus, Evporus, Gelasius, Evnikian, Zoticus, Pompus, Agathopus, Vasilidius, Evarest, Paul, Nifont, Naum, David, Theoctist, John, Nicholas. THUR- Eve of Christ's Nativity: *Eugenia*, *Claudia*, Philip, Protos, Nicholas. FRI- Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ. The Magi: Melchior, Gaspar, Baltasar. SAT- Council of the Holy Virgin. Evthimius, Evaristus, Constantine, Constance, Isaac.

Church Decorating

We will be decorating our church for the Feast of the Nativity today following Divine Services. Anyone wishing to volunteer to help, please stay after services and lend a helping hand.

Parish Council meeting today following services

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First Votive Crosses

Offered by Priatko Family for God's Blessings.

Second Votive Cross

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St. Herman's Shrine

Offered by Vera Croitoru for Blessings to family.

Iconostas Lampadi

Offered by Simo & Paula Dragovich.

Communion for Nativity

Are you planning on coming to Holy Communion during the Divine Liturgy on Christmas Day? Confessions and Absolutions will be given on Christmas Eve beginning at approximately 6:00 PM.

Church Schedule for Christmas

7 January 2022 (December 25)

Christmas Eve, 6 January 2022

9:00 AM - Divine Liturgy of St. Basil

7:00 PM - Grand Complin and Matins

Christmas Day, 7 January 2022

10:00 AM - Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

Fellowship and Carol singing in the church auditorium after Liturgy

Second Day of Christmas, January 8

9:30 AM - Divine Liturgy

5:00 PM - Great Vespers

Third Day of Christmas, Sunday, January 9

10:00 AM - Divine Liturgy (no Requiems this week)

Our Annual Yolka (Christmas Tree Program) will be presented on Sunday after Christmas (Jan 9) in our church auditorium immediately following Divine Liturgy.

Nativity Candle Requests

Today is the last day to request special candle offerings for the Feast of the Nativity.