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26th Sunday after Pentecost

22 December 2024

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 1)

Ephesians 5:8-19; Luke 17:12-19

Next Sunday, Colossians 3:4-11; Luke 14:16-24

Vespers Every Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIALS FOR TODAY

ND Nancy Kreinbrook

ND Nicholas Berezniak, offered by family

Charles Lukondi (17 yrs), offered by Elena Anischenko & Family

Milosh (Steve) Klipa (20 yrs), offered by Klipa family for late husband,
father & Djedo

Barbara Bobich (40 yrs), offered by Dr. Bob & Tamara Yakovac

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (Dec 22/9)- *Anna*, Samuel, Stephen, Sophronius. MON- Minus, Ermogen, Eugraphus, Joasaph, Gemell, Thomas, John. TUE- Daniel, Nikon, Akepsius, Miraxus, Aifalus, Leonty, Theofan. WED- Spiridon, Alexander, Therapont, Gherman (Herman), Juvenaly, Peter (Aleut). THUR- Evstratius, Auxentius, Eugene, Mardarius, Orest, *Lucia*, Arseny. Fri- Thirsus, Levkius, Kalinicus, Apollony, Arianus, Philemon, Theotich. SAT- Elevation, *Anthia*, *Susanna (Susan)*, Paul, Stephen, Tyrphon, Bacchus.

Wall Calendars for 2025

Wall Calendars for 2025 are now available. These calendars are a gift from Dr. Robert Yakovac. Please use these calendars to plan your daily activities around the feasts and fasts of the church.

2025 Envelopes

2025 Offering Envelopes are ready for pick up in the church auditorium. DO NOT USE these until January 1st. Otherwise, you will be giving credit to someone else. Chances are your number has changed.

Parish Council Meeting today following services

Potluck Luncheon

There will be a potluck luncheon today following services. This luncheon is being sponsored by Rdr Nicholas & Fr. Dcn Andrei Garine. Please join us next Sunday.

Christmas Bake Sale

There are a few remaining baked goods from the bake sale that was held this past week. Anyone wishing to purchase these items may do so by stopping down in the church auditorium after services today. Many thanks to all of those who gave of their time and efforts in preparing for this bake sale. Once again, it was a great success. God Bless all who worked in the kitchen and those who placed orders.

Special Candles for Nativity

All special candle requests for the Feast of the Nativity of Christ are due next Sunday to be printed in the Nativity bulletin. Please place all requests in the book that is in the vestibule of the church. As a reminder, the way it is written in the book is how it will be printed in the bulletin.

Church Decorating

We will be decorating the church for the Feast of the Nativity next Sunday following Divine Liturgy. Anyone wanting to help is welcome to remain after services next Sunday.

Homemade Kielbasa

We will be making homemade kielbasa this coming Saturday, December 28th, beginning at 9:00 AM. Anyone wishing to participate, please be at the kitchen at that time.

Sympathies

Sympathies go out to the family of Nancy Kreinbrook, who fell asleep in the Lord last Saturday and was laid to rest this past Thursday. May Her Memory Be Eternal!

Year End Reminder

There is only ONE week left to fulfill our spiritual and financial obligations for 2024. Our spiritual obligation is to have received Confession and Communion in this parish at least once by the last Sunday of December. Our financial obligation is to have made monetary contributions to this parish totaling at least \$200.00 by the last Sunday of December. Remember that candle purchases DO NOT count towards the \$200.00 minimum. If you have any questions concerning your spiritual or financial obligations, please contact Fr. Dimitri.