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2nd Sunday of Lent: St. Gregory of Palamas 31 March 2024

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 2)

Hebrews 1:10-2:3; Mark 2:1-12

Next Sunday, Hebrews 4:14-5:6; Mark 8:34-9:1

Vigil Every Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIALS FOR TODAY

Anne Dorosa & Eva Matanic, offered by the Dorosa Family

SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

Third Week of Great Lent:

Wednesday & Friday evening, 6:30 PM

Akafist to the All Holy Virgin Mary

Friday night will have a general requiem

Wednesday Morning, 8:30 AM – Presanctified Liturgy

Doors open at 7:30 AM for Confessions

Saturday Morning, 9:00 AM – Divine Liturgy of St. John

Chrysostom (Memorial Saturday)

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (March 31/18)-
Gregory, Kyrill, Aninus, Trofim, Evkarpus, Edward. MON-
Chrisanthus, *Daria, Ilaria*, Claudius, Jason, Maurus, Diodor,
Marianus, Pancharius, Dimitri, Innocent, Bassus. TUE- John,
Sergius Patrick *Fotina, Svetlana, Alexandra, Claudia, Efrasia,*
Matrona, Juliana, Evfimia, Theodosia, Nikita, Efrosinus, Myron.
WED- James/Jacob, Kyrill, Thomas Serapion. THUR- Basil, Isaac,
Drosida, Vasilissa (Basillisa), Kallinikus, Evfimy. FRI- Nikon,
Filitus, *Lydia*, Macedonius, Theopropius, Kronidus, Amfilogy,
Dometius, Luke, Pachomy, Basil. SAT- Zachariah, Artemon,
Artemy (Arthur), James/Jacob, Stephen, Peter, Parthenius.

Pussy Willows

Please be on the lookout for budding pussy willows. With the warm weather, the branches are beginning to bud. If you have access to these pussy willow trees, please cut the branches and bring them to the church, which will be placed in our coolers. Palm Sunday this year is on April 28.

Bake Sale

We are taking orders for the April bake sale. Orders for this sale must be placed by Sunday, April 21st. We will be baking for this sale on Friday, April 26th.

Order forms are in the vestibule of the church. You may also call Cindy Kuehner at 412-407-5199 or email at HolyVirginBakeSale@gmail.com.

Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule if you can help with this bake sale.

Monthly Luncheon

The next pot-luck luncheon is planned for Sunday, April 14 by Paula Dragovich and Bob Barron. Please plan on joining us. Anyone interested in sponsoring a future luncheon, please sign up in the back of church.

Home Visitations

It is that time of year again when visitations will be made to those who are physically unable to attend church. If you have a family member who is in a nursing home or is a shut-in, please notify the parish office as soon as possible to make the necessary arrangements.

Confessions During Great Lent

Confessions will be heard at all evening services throughout the Great Lent. Confessions will NOT be heard before Divine Liturgies on Saturdays and Sundays. We should make our Confession as early as possible in the Great Lent.

Reservations for Special Paschal Candles

Reservations are now being taken for special Paschal candles. Reserve your candles by using the appropriate book in the back vestibule. All reservations must be made by Palm Sunday, April 28th, to be printed in the Paschal bulletin.