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SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 8)

1 Timothy 4:9-15; Luke 19:1-10

Next Sunday, 2 Timothy 3:10-15; Luke 18:10-14

Vigil every Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIALS FOR TODAY

ND Louis Gephart, offered by Bill & Eileen Wall

Michael Hatalovich Sr. (28 yrs, 2/3), offered by Family

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (Jan 29/16)- Peter, Spevsippus, Elevsippus, Melevsippus, *Leonilla*, Neonus, Tyrvon, *Jovillus/Jonilla*, Romilus, Maxim, Damascene. MON- Anthony, Theodosius, Achilus. TUE- Athanasius, Kyrill, *Maria*, Markian, Maxim, Sylvan, *Ksenia*. WED- Makary, *Evfrasia*, Arseny, Mark, Theodore, Sava, Anthony. THUR- Evfimius, Bassus, Evsevius, Evtichius, Vasilidus, *Inna, Pinna, Rimma, Agna, Anna*. FRI- Maxim, Neofit, Eugene, Kanidius, Valerian, *Achila, Agnes*, Anastasius. SAT- Ap. Timothy, Anastasius, Manuel, George, Peter, Leonty, Sionius, Gabriel, John, Leontus, Parodus, Makary.

Monthly Pot-Luck Luncheons

Three weeks ago, we had pot-luck luncheon after Divine Liturgy. It was a very nice gathering. If anyone would like to sponsor another luncheon in the future, please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule. The luncheon need not be elaborate. It can be simply donuts and desserts or soups, sandwiches or whatever you desire. Our goal is to have more fellowship amongst parishioners and friends.

Home Blessing

The home blessing schedule has been completed. If any home has been missed and you desire to have your home blessed, please contact Fr. Dimitri as soon as possible to make an appointment.

Annual Parish Meeting

Our Annual Parish Meeting will be held today following Divine Services.

Members of the parish able to vote:

-Not less than 18 years of age.

-Received Confession and Communion at least once a year in this parish.

-Regularly fulfill financial obligations. A minimum of \$200 contribution to the parish (not including candles).

-In our parish by-laws, "A member must belong to this parish for a period of two years before being given the right to participate in a parish meeting."

First Votive Cross

Offered by Ronald Demay for God's Blessings on Madison.

Second Votive Cross

Offered by Ronald Demay in memory of the Demay & Sapinsky Families.

St. Herman's Shrine

Offered by Simo & Paula Dragovich.

Iconostas Lampadi

Offered by Tomkowitz Family

Preparatory Sunday's

Next Sunday, our Holy Orthodox Church begins to prepare us for the rigors of the Great Fast. We, ourselves, should give serious thought to our own personal preparation and how we should take up the challenge.

Great Lent begins on February 27th and Pascha is April 16th.

Year End Reports

Anyone who would like a copy of their year-end report, please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule of the church. The reports are only available by request. This saves the church on printing materials of unclaimed reports.

Annual Meat-Fare Luncheon

This year, meat-fare Sunday falls on February 19. Once again, we will hold our annual meat-fare luncheon. This has always been a covered dish affair. Anyone who would like to bring a covered dish to this luncheon, please put your name and food item on the sign-up sheet in the vestibule of the church. The luncheon will be held immediately following Divine Liturgy.