

Holy Virgin Dormition
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18th Sunday after Pentecost: 16 October 2022

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 8)

2 Corinthians 9:6-11; Luke 6:31-36

Next Sunday, 2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9; Luke 7:11-16

Vespers every Saturday evening at 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIAL FOR TODAY

Mat. Martha Ermakov (5 yrs), offered by family

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (Oct 16/3)-
Dionysius, Rusticus, Elevation John, Isichius, Agathangel.
MON- Jerotheus, Gurius, Barsonofius, Peter, Ammon, Paul,
*Domnina, Verence (Veronica), Proskudia (Prodkoka),
Kallisthenia, Anna,* Gaius, Faust, Evsevius, Cherimon,
Vladimir. TUE- Peter, Alexei, Jonah, Philip, Germogen,
Tikhon, *Haritina, Mamelta,* Damian, Jeremiah, Matthew,
Dionysius, Gregory. WED- Ap. Thomas, Makary. THUR-
Sergius, Bacchus, Julian, Kesarius, Evsevius, Felix,
Polychronius, *Pelagia,* Martinian. FRI- *Pelagia, Taisia,*
Dositheus Tryphon, Ignatius. SAT- Ap. Jacob (James,
Alpheus), Andronik, *Athanasia, Poplia,* Abraham, Lot,
Juventius, Maxim, Peter Stephen.

Sarris Christmas Candy

Orders are now being taken for Christmas candy from Sarris. Order forms may be picked up in the back of church. You may also order online using our code: 10-0595. Orders are due November 20, 2022. Please see Diane Tomkowitz for any questions. Delivery will be December 13th.

Parish Council Meeting next Sunday following services.

Annual Homecoming Banquet

On the weekend of November 12th and 13th, our parish will be celebrating 105 years of service to God. His Eminence, Met. Nicholas will be with us on this weekend to celebrate our 105th Anniversary with us.

Reservations are now being taken for our annual banquet. This year's banquet will be held at the Georgetown Centre on East Bruceton Road in Pleasant Hills. Hors d'oeuvres are scheduled to start around 2:00 PM and dinner is planned on starting at 3:00 PM. The cost of the dinner will be \$25.00 an adult and \$12.50 a student. The cost was able to be kept at this low price due to a generous donation of Timothy & Kathleen Andreychek. Many thanks and God bless them!

Please see or email Ksenia Petrochko (kdermakov@gmail.com) or Mat. Natasha (xdopiex@aol.com) for reservations.

Sunday, October 30, 2022

Father Dimitri will be out of town on Sunday, October 30, 2022. Because of this, there will be no Divine Liturgy or Sunday School classes in our parish on that Sunday.

This is not an excuse not to go to attend church that Sunday. In coming weeks, we will post starting times for Divine Liturgy in other local parishes. St. Basil the Great in Belle Vernon begins at 10:00 AM.

Dikiri/Trikiri

Today during the Divine Liturgy, we will be blessing a set of new Dikiri & Trikiriri, which are candle sticks that are used by a bishop during a Hierarchical Liturgy. The bishop uses these candle sticks at specific times in the Liturgy to bless the faithful. The Trikiriri has three candles, which represents the Holy Trinity (Father, Son and Holy Spirit). The Dikiri holds two candles which symbolize the two natures of Jesus Christ (Human and Divine).

These candlesticks will remain here in our church and will be used whenever a bishop pays an archpastoral visit to our parish. Recently, our parish received a donation of \$1,000.00 from the Crawford Foundation in memory of Bernadine Sweich. This donation was used towards the purchase of the Dikiri and Trikiriri. The total cost of these items was \$1,542.00.