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4th Sunday of Lent: St. John of the Ladder 14 April 2024

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 4)

Hebrews 6:13-20; Mark 9:17-31

Next Sunday, Hebrews 9:11-14; Mark 10:32-45

Vigil Every Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM

REQUIEM MEMORIALS FOR TODAY

Herasim Ermakov, offered by family

Anne & Jacob Homer, offered by daughters Sandy & Carrie

Peter & Clara Klipa, offered by Daniel & Lindsay Klipa & family

SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

Fifth Week of Great Lent:

Wednesday evening, 6:30 PM – Great Canon of St. Andrew

Friday morning, 8:30 AM – Presanctified Liturgy

Doors open and Confessions will be heard at 7:30 AM

Friday evening, 6:30 PM - Great Praise of the Virgin Mary

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

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (April 14/1)- John, Mary (Maria), Evfimy, Makary, Gerontius, Vaslidus, Abraham, Achazus, Barsonofius. MON- Titus, Amifian, Edesius, Polycarp, Gregory. TUE- Nikita, Ilyrikus, Elpidifor, Dius, Vithonius, Galikus, Theodosia, Paul, Nectarius. WED- Joseph, George, Zosimus, Fervutha, Nikita, Theonus. THUR- Job, Theodulus, Agathopod, Puplius, Theonus, Simeon, Forvinus. FRI- Euty chius, Methodius, Platonida, Gregory, Jeremiah, Archilias. SAT- George, Kallopius, Rufinus, Aquilina (Jacqueline), Daniel, Neal (Sorsky), Serapion, Levkius.

Flowers for the Cross

The flowers which adorned the Holy Cross last week were sponsored by Dan & Mary Mizik. We thank them for their generosity. May God Bless!

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

Please join us today for our pot-luck luncheon today. This luncheon is sponsored by Paula Dragovich and Bob Barron.

Anyone interested in sponsoring a future luncheon, please sign up in the back of church.

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. Please keep in mind that how you write it in the book is how it will be printed in the bulletin.

First Votive Cross

Offered by Elena & Phil Anischenko.

Second Votive Cross

Offered by Simo & Paula Dragovich

Iconastas Lampadi

Offered by Marion Temple.

Holy Dormition Bookstore

We ask that you please visit our newly restocked bookstore in the church auditorium. Several new publications have been made available for purchase, which are perfect spiritual reading during this Great Lenten period. Please stop in and view the new inventory. If you have any questions or suggestions, please see Fr. Dcn Andrew Temple.

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 are now beyond the midpoint of the fast and many of us have not come to Confession so far. Please make every effort to come as soon as possible.