

FOUR EVANGELISTS ORTHODOX MISSION

BULLETIN

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January 18, 2009

Schedule of Services and Activities Week of January 18, 2009

Sunday, January 18, 2009

8:15am Matins
Confessions
9:30am Divine Liturgy
Coffee Hour
Church School
Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday, January 20, 2009

7:30pm Bible Study

Sunday, January 25, 2009

Sunday of the Canaanite Woman

8:15am Matins
Confessions
9:30am Divine Liturgy
Coffee Hour
Church School
Annual Parish Meeting

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY for our Mission Parish Community every day, that, by the grace of God, His Church may grow and become fully established, for the sanctification and salvation of souls, and that He may be worshipped and glorified in an Orthodox manner here in Northern Maryland.



Weekly Scriptural Readings and Meneia

Sunday: Sts. Athanasios the Great and Kyril, Archbishops of Alexandria

1 Timothy 1:15-17 Luke 18:35-43

Monday: Venerable Makarios the Great of Egypt
James 2:14-26 Mark 9:42-10:1

Tuesday: Venerable Evthemios the Great
James 3:1-10 Mark 10:2-12

Wednesday: Venerable Maximos the Confessor
James 3:11-4:6 Mark 10:11-16

Thursday: Apostle Timothy of the Seventy
James 4:7-5:9 Mark 10:17-27

Friday: Hieromartyr Clement, Bishop of Ancyra
1 Peter 1:1-2, 10-12; 2:6-10 Mark 10:23-32

Saturday: Venerable Xenia of Rome and her two female slaves

1 Thessalonians 5:14-23 Luke 16:10-15

Sunday: Sunday of the Canaanite Woman
St. Gregory the Theologian, Archbishop of Constantinople

1 Timothy 1:15-17 Matthew 15:21-28

1 Corinthians 12:7-11 John 10:9-16 (Saint)

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN

YOUR PRAYERS: Pat Olderwurte and her +son, Archbishop Antony, Metropolitan Constantine, Bishop Daniel, Rdr. Basil Athas, Beth Albano, Carrie and Jess Bowman, Dana Cline and the child she bears, Rose Cross, Dorothy Green, Tammy Herbert, Nicholas Herbert, John Robert Johnson, Ann Kietzman, Mary Klopoc and the child she bears, Alexander Krowzow, Olympia Krowzow, Nadia Layfield, Jeff Malone, Jocelyn Mathewes and the child she bears, Melissa, David Mukai, Peggy Mukai, Ann, Jonathan, Peter Natishan Jr., Theodore Pappas, Adam Parker, William Parrish, Kim, Joe Rehmeyer, Peter Roshak, Anthony Rotondo, James Sanderson, Sara, Thomas Smith, Bobby Sutton, Joe, Susan, Lily, Hannah and Tabitha, Susan, Sophia, Peter, Stephen, Katherine, William, Linda Seeley, Catherine Lupiwok, Lydia, Bruce, Sophia, Sigmund, Pauline, Rachelle Wauhopp-Davis

2008 Tentative Schedule of Parish Events

January

January 18 Parish Council Meeting
during Coffee Hour
January 25 **Annual Parish Meeting**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please note that **Bible Study Class** will be held at 7:30pm this Tuesday, January 20th, at the Kloplic's home: 1508 Whistler Road, Bel Air, MD. Please call Mary or Tad for directions at 410-510-0022. We will continue with our study of the Divine Liturgy. If you are interested in hosting a Bible Study, please see Fr. Gregory.

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held **next Sunday, January 25th**, following the Divine Liturgy. Please plan on participating in this most important event, during which the current state of the Mission will be discussed, new officers elected, and plans made for our future.

Please note that the annual tradition of **House Blessings** will be served in the upcoming weeks. Fr. Gregory will contact you in order to set up a date for your home to be blessed. Alternatively, you may contact Father and propose a specific date to him.

Please remember to inform Fr. Gregory when a person that you requested be added to the **Parish Prayer List** (on the front of this Bulletin) may be removed from the list. The intent of this list is for people who are in special need of prayer at a particular time (as opposed to all of us, who are always in need of regular prayer!). When the need has passed, they should be removed from the list, to prevent it from becoming unwieldy in length. Please remember to use the Prayer List in your own personal prayers!

Archdiocesan Calendars for 2009 are now available- these include a date planning section, various articles and sermons, names and addresses of clergy and parishes, as well as much other information vital to the life of an Orthodox Christian. Please see Pani Chris if you would like to purchase one.

Four Evangelists Tee Shirts have arrived! Prices range from \$10-\$15, with all proceeds going to the Building Fund. Please contact Tammy Herbert at 443-371-0049 to place your order.

An Orthodox Christian, who, after proper preparation, regularly participates in the Mystery of Holy Eucharist, should also participate in the Mystery of Repentance, making their Confession regularly. At a **minimum**, the fathers of the Church

recommend making one's Confession four times per year- once during each of the Fasting Periods (Great Lent, Apostle's Fast, Dormition Fast, Nativity Fast), in addition to anytime that sin weighs heavily upon one's soul. **Our Bishops, however, strongly encourage monthly Confession for those who partake of the Holy Mystery of Communion on a weekly basis.** Confessions will be heard on Sunday mornings just prior to the beginning of Divine Liturgy during the chanting of the First Hour, or by appointment with Fr. Gregory.

Anointing with the Oil of Holy Unction for healing is available for Orthodox Christians at the conclusion of each Divine Liturgy. Please come forward if you wish to be anointed.

Coffee Hour Sponsors

January 18 - Seeley / Kloplic Families
January 25 - Krowzow / Norton Families
February 1 - Potluck Fundraiser
February 8 - Herbert / Borns Families
February 15 - Czumak Family
February 22 - Seeley / Kloplic Families

(Fast Days underlined)

Please see Pani Chris if you would like to become involved in this ministry.



"The kingdom is characterized by humility and gentleness of heart. It is the combination of these two qualities that constitutes the perfection of the person created according to Christ."

Saint Maximos the Confessor

Current Building Fund: \$21,754.49