

FOUR EVANGELISTS ORTHODOX MISSION

BULLETIN

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February 8, 2009

Schedule of Services and Activities Week of February 8, 2009

Fast-free Week

Sunday, February 8, 2009

Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee

9:15am Confessions
9:30am Divine Liturgy
Coffee Hour
Church School

Monday, February 9, 2009

6:30pm Parish Fellowship Dinner

Sunday, February 15, 2009

Sunday of the Prodigal Son

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

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Archbishop Antony, Metropolitan Constantine, Bishop Daniel, Rdr. Basil Athas, Beth Albano, Carrie and Jess Bowman, Dana Cline and the children she bears, Rose Cross, Andrew, Debbie and Al Eilbacher, Dorothy Green, Daniel Harrison, Tammy Herbert, Nicholas Herbert, John Robert Johnson, Ann Kietzman, Mary Klopocic and the child she bears, Alexander Krowzow, Olympia Krowzow, Jeff Malone, Jocelyn Mathewes and the child she bears, Melissa, David Mukai, Peggy Mukai, Ann, Jonathan, Peter Natishan Jr., Theodore Pappas, Megan, David, Hannah, Adam and Michael, Kim, Joe Rehmeyer, Peter Roshak, Anthony Rotondo, James Sanderson, Sara, Ginny Seeley, Thomas Smith, Bobby Sutton, Joe, Susan, Lily, Hannah and Tabitha, Susan, Sophia, Peter, Stephen, Katherine, William, Catherine Lupiwok, Lydia, Bruce, Sophia, Sigmund, Pauline, Rachele Wauhob-Davis

Weekly Scriptural Readings and Meneia

Sunday: Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee
Great-martyr Theodore Stratelates the General
2 Timothy 3:10-15 Luke 18:10-14

Monday: Venerable Pankratyi, Hieromonk of the Kyiv Caves

2 Peter 1:20-2:9 Mark 13:9-13

Tuesday: Holy Blessed Princess Anna of Novgorod
2 Peter 2:9-22 Mark 13:14-23

Wednesday: Righteous Theodora, Empress of Constantinople, establisher of the veneration of icons
2 Peter 3:1-18 Mark 13:24-31

Thursday: St. Alexyi, Metropolitan of Kyiv and Wonderworker

1 John 1:8-2:6 Mark 13:31-14:2

Friday: Holy Prince Constantine of Ostrih
1 John 2:7-17 Mark 14:3-9

Saturday: St. Cyril, Equal-to-the-Apostles, teacher of the Slavs

2 Timothy 3:1-9 Luke 20:46-21:4

Sunday: Sunday of the Prodigal Son
Venerable Paphnutyi, Recluse of the Kyiv Caves
1 Corinthians 6:12-20 Luke 15:11-32

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.



2009 Tentative Schedule of Parish Events

February

February 8	Beginning of Lenten Triodion
February 9	6:30pm Parish Fellowship Dinner
February 19	7:30pm Parish Council Meeting
February 22	Meatfare Sunday

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please note that **Bible Study Classes** have been discontinued until after the Paschal season. Tuesdays between now and Great Lent are needed for House Blessings; and, as is customary during Great Lent, weekly Bible Studies are replaced by weekly Liturgies of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts.

Please note that the annual tradition of **House Blessings** will continue to 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.

This year's **Four Evangelists Ironbirds Game** will be held on **Saturday, September 5th, 2009 at 7:05pm. THIS IS A FIREWORKS GAME!** Tickets are \$15 and include Parking, Stadium seating along the 3rd base line section of the stadium, game program, official Ironbirds Baseball cap and a tremendous fireworks show. We have 50 tickets reserved and they will be sold on a first come first served basis in the order payment is received. Please see Fr. Gregory or Ginny privately if you would like to come but need help with the payment.

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.** In accordance with the canons of the Church, anyone who misses 3 consecutive Sunday Liturgies **must** make their Confession **prior** to reception of Holy Communion. Confessions will be heard on Sunday mornings just prior to the beginning of Divine Liturgy during the chanting of the Hours, 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

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

(Fast Days underlined)

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



Current Building Fund: \$22,676.49