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Meat Fare Sunday

WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS AND GUESTS! Please sign our guest registry in the narthex. The text for Divine Liturgy may be found on page 91 in the Service Book, or in the spiral Liturgy book. Join us following Liturgy in the Fellowship Hall.

RECEIVING COMMUNION Only those Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves may approach the chalice for Holy Communion, but everyone is welcome to partake of the Holy Bread after the Liturgy.

COMMUNION FOR THE INFIRM: If you are unable to climb the steps to the solea for Holy Communion, please be seated in one of the front rows, and then stand in the area in front of the pews for Communion.

A NOTE TO THE TARDY: If you arrive late to the Divine Liturgy (after the Little Entrance at about 10:15), please have a seat in the balcony so as not to disturb those in the pews. Thank you for your consideration.

PERSONAL HEARING DEVICES are available at the bengarri, if you are having problems hearing the service.

February 23, 2020

THE BREAD OF OBLATION AND COFFEE SOCIAL is offered by Leilah Farha, Vincent Farha and Chris and Genevieve Farha.

TRISAGION PRAYERS OF MERCY Francisca Altenu (3 yrs) Memory Eternal!

2020 STEWARDSHIP UPDATE Drive is ongoing. Collected to date – comparison with last year:

2019: Number of pledges: 176 **2018**: Number of pledges: 169. Please return your stewardship pledge card if you have not already.

KIBBEH MEAT FEST! Come enjoy great food and fellowship TODAY following Divine Liturgy. Adults \$15, Children \$7. This is the last day of meat-eating before the Fast. We will also be streaming the WSU Shocker Basketball game. Please join us for this special luncheon.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Monday, February 24 **Tuesday February 25** Wednesday, February 26 Thursday, February 27 Friday, February 28 Saturday, February 29

Sunday, March 1

No Services No Services

6:45p Daily Vespers 6:45p Daily Vespers

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10:00a Akathist to the Theotokos: 5:00p Confessions: 5:45p

Ninth Hour, 6:00p Great Vespers

8:45a Orthros 10:00a Divine Liturgy; Sunday School

MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

BIBLE STUDY will meet Tuesday, February 25 at 10:30a with Fr. Jeremiah. Finishing the study of Titus.

YOUNG AT HEART BINGO for seniors 55 and up. Join us in the Fellowship Hall for lunch and bingo on February 25 from 11:30a-1:00p.

"MOSTLY MOMS" BIBLE STUDY continues Wednesday, February 26 at 1:30p at the home of Reina Nabbout, 2848 N. Cypress Cir. Currently on the Gospel of Matthew chapter 17.

TEEN SOYO will meet Wednesday, February 26 at 7:15p in the Teen Center.

"JOURNEY TO FULLNESS" film and discussion series continues Wednesday February 26 at 7:15p in the Fellowship Hall.

ORTHODOX DOCTRINE catechesis with Fr. Paul will be held Thursday, February 27 at 10:00am.

OCF will meet Thursday, February 27 at 7:15p in the Teen Center.

MEN'S THEOLOGY GROUP will meet Thursday, February 27 at 7:30p.

AKATHIST TO THE THEOTOKOS- The Nurturer of Children- will be held for the first time this Saturday at 10a. This akathist is an opportunity for moms to pray for their children and cast their cares to the mercy of the Theotokos. All moms are welcome to attend. Please bring a list of names of children and godchildren to be commemorated during the akathist. If at all possible, please leave children at home with dad- this is a time just for moms!

COMMUNITY AWARENESS FAIR Please join us for our 4th Community Awareness Fair on Sunday, March 1st, following Liturgy. Our church family will get to learn about the thirteen agencies that our parish is supporting in 2020 and how they can get involved in serving!! Plan to attend and be entered to win a Bradley Fair gift card.

NOTICES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH SCHOOL NOTICE Parents, please be reminded that Church School stays in session until 11:45a following Liturgy.

CAMP ST. RAPHAEL 2020 applications are now available. Please visit www.campstraphael.org to apply. Session dates are as follows: Session 1: June 28 - July 4; Session 2: July 5-11; Session 3: July 12-18. For more information, please contact Ben at ben@stgeorgecathedral.net.

2020 MEN'S LENTEN RETREAT - CANCELLED Due to a logistical problem beyond our control, we have been forced to cancel the 2020 Men's Lenten Retreat. We will look forward to renewing our Retreat fellowship next year (tentatively scheduled for April 16-18, 2021). For those of you who have already sent in payment, you will be receiving a refund check in the near future.

CHRIST THE SAVIOR ACADEMY is enrolling now for ages 4 years through 5th grade. Classical education and our Orthodox faith go hand-in-hand, and CSA helps our children grow in mind, body and soul. Spend the morning with us and experience chapel prayers, classroom time and recess with your child. Please call 316-201-4810 for information, questions and to schedule a tour...

FELLOWSHIP HALL USAGE All usage of the Fellowship Hall, with the exception of Sunday coffee hour and Wednesday evening education programs, must be reserved by email to hallusage@stgeorgecathedral.net. This applies to all forms of use, whether typical parish activities, organizational events, or rental for special sacramental receptions.

HOLY BREAD OF OBLATION OFFERING

Pick-up and take a sheet in the front of the sign-up book for instructions

Mar 1: Vivianne Farha, Greg & Connie Clark, Kim & Renee Hahn and Phyllis Abraham

Mar 8: Ilham Saad, Nassim & Nelly Nabbout and Danny & Grace Humsi

Mar 15: The family of Farris Razook

Mar 22: Bill & Jane Vineyard, Andrew & Monaica Ledell, Ron & Britt Messner and Kelly Reinert and family.

REMEMBER THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES Alex Cox, Jonathan Dotson, Michael & Elizabeth Seis.

REMEMBER THOSE SERVING AS MISSIONARIES Fr. Joseph Longofono, Three Hierarch's Mission in Garden City; Floyd Frantz at St. Herman Seminary; Ancuta Frantz in Romania; Nathan & Gabriela Hoppe in Albania; SAMP priests in Kenya; Sister Nektaria with orphanages, clinics & high school in Calcutta; Peter & Sharon Georges in Uganda; Project Mexico & St Innocent Orphanage in Tijuana; Project Kenya & Bishop Neofitos of Nyeri, Kenya; Fr. Peter & St. George Cathedral in Sweida; Fr. Joshua Lollar at St. Nicholas Mission in Lawrence; Fr Yohannes, Indonesian Mission School; Fr. Barnabas & Ss. Athanasios & Nicholas Church in Fiji & the Nectarios, Panioties, and Nair families

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER Michael Aragon, Layne and Cameron Beck, Bella Bush, Stephanie Carlson, Seth Hawley & family, Don Earthman, Robert Hartmann, Carolyn Homsey Smith, Sammy Homsey, Rick Jabara, Elizabeth King, Sammy Kouri Jr, Stephanida and Jorge Luque, Annette Meitzner, Marty Potash, Ricky Ramos, Karissa Ramos, Allison Ramos, Farris Razook, Carol Kamas Rooney, Doug Seaberg, Ann Sutherland, Peter Tevis, Philip Tran, Scott and Julina Walker, Jerry Weddington, Mary Welton..