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Schedule of Divine Services

Sunday, 17 March 2024

SATURDAY 16 March	FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST: MEMORY OF ST. MARY OF EGYPT OUR VENERABLE FATHER ALEXIS, MAN OF GOD 4:00 PM <i>Divine Liturgy (Basil): +Walter Dorzinsky</i> by Cindy & Marge Dorzinsky
SUNDAY 17 March	9:00 AM <i>Office of Matins</i> (Resurrection Tone 1 / Gospel 9 – John 20: 19-31) 10:00 AM <i>Divine Liturgy (Basil): +Frank Kubicki</i> by Irene Kubicki 3:00 PM <i>Lenten Vespers</i>
MONDAY 18 March	OUR HOLY FATHER CYRIL, ARCHBISHOP OF JERUSALEM 12:00 PM <i>Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts: +Brenda Wachter</i> by Joe Barna, Sr.
WEDNESDAY 20 March	DAY OF ABSTINENCE / OUR VENERABLE FATHERS OF THE ST. SABBAS MONASTERY 6:00 PM <i>Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts: For the People of St. Mary Parish</i>
SATURDAY 23 March	LAZARUS SATURDAY 10:00 AM <i>Divine Liturgy (Chrysostom): +Peter and +Gertrude Kostelnick</i> by Estate
SATURDAY 23 March	FLOWERY (PALM) SUNDAY / SUNDAY OF THE BRANCHES 3:00 PM <i>Great Vespers with Litija / Blessing of Palms and Branches</i> 4:00 PM <i>Divine Liturgy (Chrysostom): +Susan and +Andrew Barancho</i> by Family
SUNDAY 24 March	9:00 AM <i>Office of Matins: Festal Tone / Gospel – Matthew 21: 1–11, 15–17</i> <i>Blessing and Distribution of Palms and Branches</i> 10:00 AM <i>Divine Liturgy (Chrysostom): For the People of St. Mary Parish</i> 3:00 PM <i>Vespers of Palm Sunday</i>

Abstinence from Meat and Meat Products: All Wednesday and Fridays during the Great Lent are Days of Abstinence in the Byzantine Ruthenian Metropolia of Pittsburgh.

Stewardship:

	<u>3/10/24</u>
Offertory	\$1,534.00
Dues	\$55.00
Easter	\$30.00
Holydays	\$12.00
Lenten Services	\$119.00
Building/Reno	\$162.00
Candles	\$170.00
Flowers	\$30.00
Fuel	<u>\$12.00</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$2,124.00</u>



Let us remember in prayer:

... Those who are ill or convalescing. May our Lord Jesus Christ, the Physician and Healer of souls and bodies, grant them peace and good health for many blessed years.

... All those who are in special need of God's loving kindness and mercy at this time. Let us remember particularly the "Candle Prayer Intentions" of those who have asked for the prayerful support of our Parish Family in their intentions . . . Better Health of Cynthia Fernandez; Special Intention for Jack Selepak; Better Health for Liz Latsko by Family; Better Health/Special Intention by Suzanne Sedon; In Memory of +Walter Dorzinsky by Cindy and Marge Dorzinsky; Special Intention by Kathy Hall.

God With Us Online: This website is an excellent source for ongoing learning as we proceed in our life-long faith journey. Please note that all of the webinars are free of charge to participants. Visit <https://godwithusonline.org/> to participate.

BECOMING BYZANTINE: The complete collection of the *Becoming Byzantine* Catechetical Series is available on YouTube – simply search 'Becoming Byzantine Webinar.'

'COFFEE WITH SISTER VASSA' is a YouTube Channel hosted by Sister Vassa Larin, a Russian Orthodox nun, who is on the Catholic Theological Faculty of the University of Vienna. She has produced a series of short videos which give simple and focused presentations on a wide range of topics involving Byzantine Liturgy, Scripture, and Traditions.

Confession/Reconciliation is available before or after any of the scheduled Divine Services or at other times by appointment either in the Confessional or in the Candle Room or in your car as a 'drive-thru' in the parish parking lot.

PALM SUNDAY PREP: We will prepare the palms and willow branches for blessing on Friday beginning at 10:00 AM in the Social Hall.

