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Christ is risen! Indeed He is risen!

Schedule of Divine Services

Sunday, 4/5 May 2024

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| SATURDAY 4 May | SIXTH PASCHAL SUNDAY: SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND THE HOLY AND GLORIOUS MARTYR IRENE / OUR VENERABLE FATHER NIKEPHOR 4:00 PM Divine Liturgy: For the <i>People of St. Mary Parish</i> |
| SUNDAY 5 May | 9:00 AM Office of Matins (Resurrection Tone 5 / Gospel 8 – John 20: 11-18) 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy: + <i>Nicholas</i> and + <i>Susan Podgorski</i> by Family |
| MONDAY 6 May | THE HOLY AND JUST JOB THE LONG-SUFFERING 12:00 PM Divine Liturgy: + <i>Joyce Shamro</i> by Mary Beth Sisco |

The Ascension of Our Lord and God and Savior Jesus Christ

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| WEDNESDAY 5/8 | 6:00 PM Divine Liturgy: For the <i>Intentions of the Easter Flower Donors</i> |
| THURSDAY 5/9 | 12:00 PM Divine Liturgy: + <i>Anna Kosmach</i> by Andy & Elsie Kosmach |

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| SATURDAY 11 May | SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE FIRST ECUMENICAL COUNCIL (NICEA 325 AD) POSTFESTIVE DAY OF THE ASCENSION / HOLY FATHERS EPIPHANIUS AND GERMANUS HOLY FATHERS CYRIL & METHODIUS, EQUALS-TO-THE-APOSTLES, ENLIGHTENERS OF THE SLAVS 4:00 PM Divine Liturgy: For our <i>Living Mothers</i> Panachida Service: For the repose of our + <i>Departed Mothers</i> |
| SUNDAY 12 May | 9:00 AM Office of Matins (Resurrection Tone 6 / Gospel 10 – John 21: 1-14) 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy: For our + <i>Departed Mothers</i> Moleben Service: <i>Mothers' Day intentions</i> |

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Stewardship: Updates for 4/28/24 and 5/5/24 will appear in next weekend's bulletin.

MOTHERS' DAY INTENTIONS: Please submit the names of both living and departed mothers/grandmothers/god-mothers for inclusion in the Mothers' Day Divine Liturgy intentions by Monday, May 6th.

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; Health and Blessings for Ron Okrasinski by Cathy; Health and Blessings for Sister Theodosia by Worlinsky Family.

Byzantine Catechetical Resources:

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.'

'BE THE BEE' is a YouTube Channel produced by the GOA (Greek Orthodox Archdiocese) of America for its Youth and Young Adult Ministry. It covers a vast area of subjects that are part of the Byzantine faith Tradition – liturgy, theology, Sacred Scripture, and faith traditions/customs.

'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.

DAY OF PRECEPT: Please note that the Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord is a Day of Precept/Holyday of Obligation in the Byzantine Ruthenian Metropolia of Pittsburgh.

Χριστος ανεστη! Αλιθοζ ανεστη!