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Sunday, February 7, 2021

The Thirty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Saint Gregory the Theologian of Constantinople

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am **Sunday School - 10:20 am**

Panachida for ***+Very Reverend John A. Baranik*** offered by George and Evelyn Evanisko; ***+Bill Ryan*** offered by Ron and Joan Bost; ***+George Smisko*** offered by Fr. Robert and Pani Kathy Buczak; ***+ Nicholas Slachta*** offered by his wife, Vivian and family; ***+Anna Brudnak (39th Anniversary)*** by the Brudnak family; ***+Lorraine Heffelfinger and +Joseph Gomilar*** offered by Pani Kathy; ***+George Czimbak*** offered by John Patchen; and ***+Wasko Homyak*** offered by Dorothy Homyak (Perpetual)

Resurrection Tone 2

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 6:1-10 Tropar & Kondak: pages 84 -86 Gospel Matthew 25:14-30

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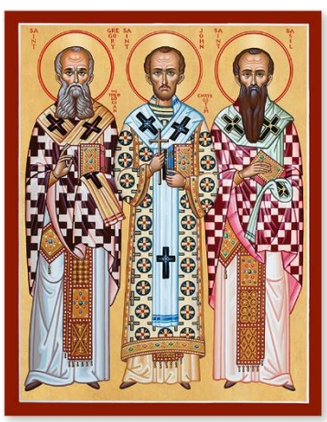
Services for the week of February 7th

Tue. 2/09 … + Julia Martin offered by Marilyn Burrell; +Anna Homola by grandson Steve Knaze and +Fred, Christopher and Mary Hohl (Perpetual).....……8:00 am

Thur. 2/11 … Vespers for the Feast of the Three Holy Hierarchs - 6:00 pm

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Friday, February 12, 2021



The Feast of the Three Holy Hierarchs:

St. Basil the Great, St Gregory the Theologian and St. John Chrysostom

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am

Panachida for ***+ Peg and Bill Ryan*** offered by the Family; and ***+John Sr., Michael, John Jr., and Mary*** offered by Mary Yech (Perpetual)

Epistle: Hebrews 13:7-16 Tropar & Kondak: Page 151

Gospel: Matthew 5: 14-19

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Sat. 2/13 … Great Vespers…….6:00 pm

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Sunday, February 14th, 2021

The Thirty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Zacchaeus Sunday

The Holy Martyr Tryphon

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am **Sunday School - 10:20 am**



Panachida for ***+Very Reverend John A. Baranik*** offered by Anna Mlinarchik; ***+Pani Michalene M. Tomko (40th Day)*** offered by the Tomko family nieces; ***+Bernie Buczak*** offered by Fr. Robert and Pani Kathy Buczak; ***+Peter Dutko*** offered by the Tvarozna Family; ***+Evelyn Brudnak*** offered by Donna Zizan; ***+Nicholas Chupka Sr, and wife Helen, Agnes Chupka, and Jane Teplicky*** offered by Kathryn Oravec; ***+Mary Matrician***; and ***+Theresa Lazarak*** offered by Anna Lazarak

Resurrection Tone 3

Tropar & Kondak: pages 87 -89

Epistle: 1 Timothy 4:9-15 Gospel Luke 19:1-10

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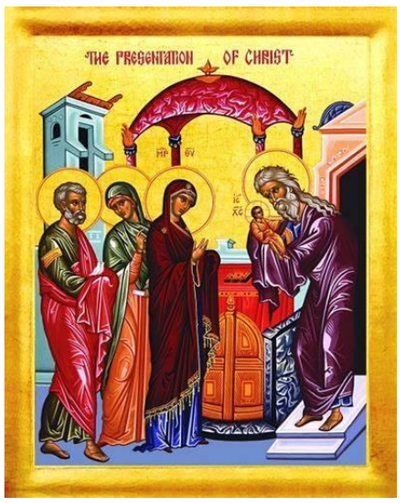
Services for the week of February 14th

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Monday, February 15th, 2021

The Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord into the Temple

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am



Panachida for ***+Michael and Anastasia Pirich, and Bonnie Gall*** offered by Julia Messner; and ***+John Zizan*** offered by wife, Donna (Remembered in the Proskomedia and the Great Entrance)

Tropar & Kondak: Pages 152-154

Epistle: Hebrews 7:7-17

Gospel: Luke 2: 22-40

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Wed. 2/17 … +Metropolitan Orestes P. Chornak; +Mary Hotrovich offered by Deacon Joseph Hotrovich; and +John, George, Mary & Michael offered by John Sikora (Perpetual)...8:00 am

Sat. 2/20 … Great Vespers…….6:00 pm

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Sunday, February 21st, 2016

Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am **Sunday School - 10:20 am**



Panachida for ***+Very Reverend John A. Baranik*** offered by Pani Joan Wine; ***+John Zizan*** offered by wife, Donna; ***+Rudolf Gregory*** (Birthday Remembrance) offered by the Very Rev. Archpriest Dr. Alexander and Pani Kerry Ganzy; ***+husband Nicholas, parents Stephen and Martha Matolyak, brother George and departed family members*** offered by Anna Polak; and ***+John Muchesko and Erin Cuneo*** offered by the Muchesko Family

Resurrection Tone 4

Tropar & Kondak: pages 90 &175

Epistle: 2 Timothy 3:10-15 Gospel: Luke 18:10-14

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BIRTHDAY PRAYERS – are offered for ***Michael Pribish (2/7), Nicholas M. Slachta (2/8), Natalia Knaze (2/9), Kathryn Oravec (2/9), Pani Kathy Buczak (2/11), Nicholas Rajakovich (2/11), Carly Daw (2/11), Albert Maurer (2/11), Mary Hanak (2/12), Geraldine Lakatos (2/13), and Agnes Buchovecky (2/13).*** You were remembered in Prokomedia!

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ETERNAL MEMORY FUND

In Memory of Very Reverend John A. Baranik:

Ann Melanie Yurcisin - $50.00 (un-intentionally left off last week's list)

Ann Marie Mlinarchik -$25.00

In Memory of Ron Mlinarchik: - *Linda Zalenorwitz - $100.00*

In Memory of William (Bill) Ryan:

Ann Melanie Yurcisin - $50.00 ***Pani Betty Jean Baranik - $25.00***

Family and Friends - $500.00

The Family of William "Bill" Ryan would like to express their gratitude to all those who offered prayers, sympathies and donations to the Cathedral Eternal Memory Fund in his memory.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the ***Christ the Saviour Cathedral Parish*** will be held ***Sunday, February 7th, 2021*** immediately following the Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral Auditorium. All parishioners are encouraged to attend. This is the third official announcement of the meeting.

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EDUCATIONAL CENTER OFFICERS

The newly elected officers of the Educational Center of the People of Christ the Saviour Cathedral are: Rose Ann Decoske – President; Justin Dutko -Vice President; Lynn Brudnak-Kelly – Recording Secretary; Daniel Tvarozna – Financial Secretary; Roger Pavlik, Sharon Kuzmyak, and Christina Sakmar – Auditors; Joshua Horner – Alternate Auditor.

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FOR CONSIDERATION

On a tablet in the Church of St. Sophia are inscribed the words: 'Wash your sins, not just your face.' Whoever entered this church read this inscription and remembered that the Christian faith demands moral purity of him – purity of soul, heart and mind. For the whole spirit of a man is concentrated in his heart, as the Lord said: 'Blessed are the pure in heart.' The most complete outward purity is of no help whatever in the attaining of the Kingdom of heaven. Oh, when will we learn to give as much attention to washing ourselves from sin as we devote daily to the washing of our faces? God will then see into our hearts as in a mirror.

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QUOTES FROM THE HOLY FATHERS

The Lord never ceases calling us to Himself: "Come unto Me, and I will give you rest." He nourishes us with His most precious Body and Blood. In His mercy He schools us by His Word and the Holy Spirit. He has revealed His mercies to us. He lives in us and in the sacraments of the Church, and leads us to where we shall behold His glory. But this glory shall each man behold according to the measure of his love. The more a man loves, the ardently does he set his face towards God, yearning to be with the Beloved Lord, and therefore will he approach the nearer to Him; while a man who loves but little will have but little desire for the Lord, and a man who does not love at all will neither wish nor aspire to see the Lord, and will spend his life in darkness.

St. Silouan the Athonite

Do not be a disciple of someone who praises himself, lest you learn pride instead of humility.

St. Mark the Ascetic

A man who has within him the Kingdom of Heaven radiates holy thoughts; Divine thoughts. The Kingdom of God creates within us an atmosphere of heaven, as opposed to the atmosphere of hell that is radiated by a person when hades abides in his heart….He who has the Kingdom of God in himself will imperceptibly pass it on to others. People will be attracted by the peace and warmth in us; they will want to be near us, and the atmosphere of heaven will gradually pass on to them. (Doesn't this describe our beloved Metropolitan Nicholas!)

Elder Thaddeus of Vitovnica

Should the prideful thought arise that you are better or smarter than others, quickly cast it aside because it will undermine all your good efforts. Blessed is he who carries his cross with prudence and humility, because God will never allow such a person to perish but will guide and strengthen him with His Holy Spirit. ***St. Innocent of Alaska***

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PRAYER CHAIN

Thomas Buczak
Cindy LaBarr
Annie Mishurda
Steve Martyak
Joan Wine
Jessica McLaughlin
Michael Sakmar
Joseph Muchesko
Roberta Kovalik
Theresa Milkovich
Kira Pronin
Alexxa Lowery
Romayne Laichak
Debbie Dawson
Zachary Rogina
Robert J. Gritzer
Ron Kuzmyak
Paul Kalcik
Henry Laichak

Beverly Tinkle
Ronald Kmet
Michael Derby
Sue Miller
Maureen & Jay Dabbs
Bill & Joyce Kerr
Judith Pringle
Robert Pringle
Barbara Virostek
Robert Janeway
Helen Duray
Andy Walls
Jack Dahl
Janet Hanak
Eva Zeleniak-Whitak
Malcolm Barnes
Ann Koehnlein
Larry Eisenhauer
Evelyn Houston

Dave Podolak
Judith Rowlands
Angeline Komara
Arianna Risso
Charlie Erisman
Rachael Costlow
Marshall Rosenow
Shirley Mazurak
Donna Babble
Richard Barnes
Michael Logan
Lloyd Broadwater
Nick Timko
Erin Demich
Mary Ann Muchesko
Joella Hamlin
Donna Martyak
Veronica Ronchak
Mary Jane Matolyak

Michaela Miller
Arianna Jade Miller
Taylor Miller
Jennifer Gardenhour
Margaret Blehi
Bill Pringle
Valentina Yaremenko
Olga Yaremetko
Steve Prieber
Aberdeen Rudge
Mark Kuruzovich
Pat Hanuska
Dwight Nugle
Rose and Terry Fyock
Rosalia Horner
Beverly Mayo
Al Kuzmyak
Michael Paul Gost
Brooklyn Balamuto

Victoria Bennett
Christina Sakmar
Matushka Helen Jasiukowicz
Joanne Democko
Robert Stokes
Barbara Stokes
Marcia Matthews
Jolene McClain
Dorothy Kapolka
Georgene Coulter
Tommy Lee Knipple
Tanya Britan
Frank Porembka
Helen Porembka
Daniel Porembka
Dr. Rose Ann Jordan
Elmer C. Laslo

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Rectory Office Hours – Father is available any time by appointment.
Emergency Sick Calls can be made at any time. Please phone the rectory when a family member is admitted to the hospital.
Marriages are solemnized on Saturdays or Sundays. Consult the pastor at least six months in advance and before plans have been made for the wedding reception. Marriages cannot be celebrated during the fasting seasons of the church, or on Fridays.
Baptisms are normally scheduled on Saturdays or Sundays. Consult the pastor. Two God-parents are required, at least one of whom must be Orthodox by faith and the other a practicing Christian.
Church Funerals are provided for practicing Orthodox Christians who are current in their spiritual and financial obligations to the parish; otherwise burial is from the funeral home.
The Church does not permit cremation.

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