

**Holy Protection of the Mother of God
Byzantine Catholic Church**

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Upcoming Sunday Social Schedule:

- 4/22 8:00- Doughnuts and bagels
10:30- Art Borodich will bring food
- 4/29 8:00- Doughnuts and bagels
10:30- Russ Haas will bring pizza
- 5/6 Open
- 5/13 Mothers’ Day- Men’s Group will provide food

Day/Commemoration	Time	Service
April 22 nd – Sunday of the Paralytic Man	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	10:00 am	Third Hour
	10:30 am	Divine Liturgy
	3:00 pm	Divine Liturgy- Ft. Collins
April 28 th – Saturday: Jason & Sosipater, Apostles	4:30 pm	Vespers
April 29 th – Sunday of the Samaritan Woman	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	10:00 am	Third Hour
	10:30 am	Divine Liturgy
	3:00 pm	Divine Liturgy- Ft. Collins

There are many available dates this summer. If you would like to bring food for the social, please sign-up here:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080a4daea62aabfc1-whowill>

Pray for our ill and
homebound parishioners:

O Christ God, Divine
Physician of soul and body,
send your blessings upon your
servants:

Fr. Christopher Zugger, Olga
Bodnar, Matthew Suppes,
Tracy Pender, Fred Fraikor,
Lance Spitzner, Margaret
Chando, Ray Mega, Helen
Kmeck, Jeanne "Grammy"
O'Loughlin, Erica Cornett,
Dough Cramer, Renee Nelson,
Kevin McKaskey, Jerzy
Zielinski, Chris Berry, David,
Debbie Berry, Mary Thomas,
Jesse Wright, Geraldine
Schulz, Caitlin Mulryan, Gary,
Nydegger, Christine Lentz,
Sandy Woods, Victoria
Teunissen, Marco
Zawadowych, Marge Driscoll,
Richard Horning, Gretchen
Lambert, Michael Mancinelli,
and Thomas Plahovinsak,
Tom Graham, Justin
Raimondo, Beth Guilianeli,
Michelle Malek, and Sherry
Whaley and all those in need
of your blessings.

Bless also those whom you
have given the ministry of
caring for the sick. In Christ's
name, we pray. Amen

*Please tell Fr. Michael if there
are any who should be added
to this list or if there are any
shut-ins to whom the Holy
Mysteries (the Sacraments)
should be administered.*

Announcements

Welcome New Parishioners

Please welcome Michael and Marie Jimenez to the
parish, and add their contact information to your
parish roster!

GCU LODGE 144 Meeting

GCU Lodge 144 will hold the second quarter
meeting on Sunday May 6, 2018,
immediately following the 8:00 AM Divine
Liturgy. All members are requested to attend.
Anyone interested in the GCU is welcome to
attend.

In a Garden by Elizabeth Jennings

When the gardener has gone this garden
Looks wistful and seems waiting an event.
It is so spruce, a metaphor of Eden
And even more so since the gardener went,

Quietly godlike, but of course, he had
Not made me promise anything and I
Had no one tempting me to make the bad
Choice. Yet I still felt lost and wonder why.

Even the beech tree from next door which shares
Its shadow with me, seemed a kind of threat.
Everything was too neat, and someone cares

In the wrong way. I need not have stood long
Mocked by the smell of a mown lawn, and yet
I did. Sickness for Eden was so strong.

Parish Celebrations

Happy Birthday to

Fred Faikor
4/22

Hahn Batt
4/22

Rob Polocz
4/26

*May God grant you many
happy and blessed years!*

Did we miss you?

**Please email your name,
birthdays and
anniversaries to:**

**[bulletin@holyprotection
.org](mailto:bulletin@holyprotection.org)**

Collections

April 15, 2018

Parish

Souls

8:00 am- 53

10:30am- 68

Tithe: \$1912

Easter: \$15

Bishop's Appeal: \$0

Outreach

Souls- 40

Tithe: \$300

Bishop's Appeal: \$100

CGS/ ECF Dates

April 22; May 6

CGS will begin at 9:30am-11:30 am children are invited to bring a snack to have during their time in the atrium, as their will be a space for them to sit and eat. Please bring something healthy and not too messy, a water bottle may be helpful too. Any questions please ask Theresa Grondin.

ECF will meet from 9:30am-10:15am in St. Vincent De Paul.

Parishioner-led activities and notices

Summer Camp at Sophia Montessori Academy for children 3-6 yrs old

Join Denver's newest Montessori school founded upon the Byzantine Catholic tradition for the summer!

We will offer three 3-week sessions. Each session will follow a theme that we will explore in the classroom and with the Montessori materials as well as through field trips and in-school visits. We will also spend time outside, going on walks, and enjoying the summer to the fullest!

You may sign up for one, two, or all three sessions. Our summer hours are 8am to 3pm. You may sign up for full week, part week, and either full day or half day options.

To register and learn more visit - www.sophiamontessori.com/summer-2018

Session 1- Nature- June 18th through July 6th (School closed on July 4th)

Session 2- Animals- July 9th through July 27th

Session 3- Art- July 30th through August 17th

Sophia Montessori Academy Spring Fling Gala

Come to support Sophia Montessori Academy, the SMA families, and the SMA teachers.

When: June 2nd, 6:30pm - 9:30pm

Where: Comedy Works South- [5345 Landmark Pl., Greenwood Village, 80111](http://www.comedyworks.com)

What: heavy appetizers, dessert bar, live music, gift baskets, silent auction, local small businesses, fundraising, raffle items, meet and mingle, and dancing!

Cocktail Attire

Tickets- Single \$65, Couple \$100

www.sophiamontessori.com/gala18

Divine Liturgy Guide

The Divine Liturgy begins on page 11. Option [A] unless noted.

**April 22nd— Sunday of the Paralytic Man
Festal Tone begins pg. 181**

<u>When you get to the...</u>	<u>Go to...</u>
<i>Troparion</i> on pg. 27 _____	pg. 181
<i>Kontakion</i> on pg. 27 _____	pg. 181, 182
<i>Prokeimenon</i> on pg. 34 _____	pg. 182
<i>Alleluia</i> on pg. 34 _____	pg. 182
Readings: <i>Acts 9: 32- 42/ Jn 5:1- 15</i>	
Magnification _____	pg. 183 (167)
Paschal Our Father _____	pg. 167
Communion Hymn on pg. 78 _____	pg. 183

THIS WEEK'S SANCTUARY LAMP continues to burn before the real presence of our Lord, God and Savior, Jesus Christ

April 22-28, 2018

In memory of Deacon Andrew Bodnar

Offered by the Bodnar Family

From the GCU:

You are invited to sponsor the weekly Sanctuary Lamp in our Church for your intentions. The Sanctuary Lamp is a special candle that remains perpetually lit (near the front of the Church) to honor Our Lord Jesus' Eucharistic Presence: Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity in the Tabernacle on the Holy Table (Altar). If you are interested in sponsoring this vigil candle, the usual stipend is \$10. It will burn from Sunday through Saturday, and the bulletin will remind your fellow parishioners of your special intention or the memory of a loved one. You may request as often as you would like. To submit, please contact John or MaryEllen Oslick at 303-284-2304 or jwoact@comcast.net. Please include your name, intention, and the week you would like it to burn (every effort will be made to honor the week requested). Checks should be made payable to: GCU LODGE 144.