

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

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Day/Commemoration	Time	Service
September 20 - Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross	9:00 am	Third Hour
	9:30 am	Divine Liturgy- for Parishioners
September 22 - Bishop-Martyr Phocus	12:00 pm	Sixth Hour
September 26 - Passing of John the Evangelist	4:00 pm	Confessions
	5:00pm	Divine Liturgy (Karen Spiering)
September 27- 17th Sunday after Pentecost	9:00 am	Third Hour
	9:30 am	Divine Liturgy- for Parishioners
	2:30 Pm	Fr. Collins Outreach DL

The Ft. Collins Outreach Divine Liturgy is the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month.

Livestreaming of all services on the parish Facebook site.

"Let us commit ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God."

Upcoming Sunday Social Schedule:

Due to the Covid-19 virus the downstairs hall remains closed for post-Liturgy Socials. Restrooms may be used following the cleaning guidelines posted.

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To sign up for future socials go to www.holyprotection.org and scroll down to “Parish Socials” at the bottom of the page and pick your Sunday, OR email Fr. Brian

Thank you!

Holy Mysteries

All requesting Holy Mysteries must be parishioners for at least six months.

Holy Baptism: Requires Pre-Jordan; Baptisms are conducted within a Divine Liturgy. At least one God-parent must be Catholic by faith and the other a practicing Christian. Both God-parents must be in good standing with their home parish.

Mystery of Crowning: Requires Pre-Cana; Consult the parish priest at least six months before making wedding plans. Marriages cannot be celebrated during the Fasting Seasons of the Church.

Church Funerals: Provided for practicing parishioners who are current in their spiritual and financial obligations to the parish; otherwise burial is from the funeral home.

Sick Calls/Anointing/Hospital Visits: Requested by the parishioner or family. Anointing prior to surgery/hospitalization or after Sunday Divine Liturgy. Contact Father for anointing. We understand the need for privacy so initiate the contact if hospitalized or when moved to a different care location.

The church is available for private prayer upon request. Please e-mail Fr. Brian.

Divine Liturgy Intentions

It is a holy act to remember individuals in Divine Liturgies. Sundays are always for the People of the Parish but Saturdays and weekday Divine Liturgies are open for intentions. We remember our living loved ones on birthdays, baptism and wedding anniversaries, health needs and any intention. We should remember our deceased family and friends on the anniversaries of their death or any other time we wish. Offertory stipends are traditionally given to the priest for these services but no one is ever denied a Divine Liturgy intention based on a stipend. To pray for one another is directly from Our Lord and His holy church. **"Pray for those who love us and pray for those who hate us"**. See Fr. Brian to schedule Divine Liturgy intentions.

Sponsorship of Lamps

If you want to sponsor the lamps (candles) on the tetrapod or in front of our holy Ruthenian martyrs (right side by iconostasis) see Fr. Brian. The cost is \$5 per lamp. Your intention will be commemorated through the entire week. You may keep your intention private or have it published.

Guidlines for our Public Liturgies

1) Masks to be worn, 2) Hall closed, 3) Teal Divine Liturgy books cleaned after use or the faithful may bring their own from home, 4) do not kiss the icon on the tetrapod; venerate the icon by bowing and crossing yourself in the Byzantine manner, 5) Offertory basket is at the foot of the tetrapod.

Health Masks for Purchase

Cloth masks are available for purchase in the Narthex. Child sizes are available. Made by the Sophia-Montessori School to support the school.

REMEMBER HEALTH MASKS MUST BE WORN TO ATTEND DIVINE LITURGY! (under age 2 is exempt).

Divine Liturgy Guide

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

September 27 - 17th Sunday After Pentecost	Tone Eight
When you get to the...	Go to...
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<i>Kontakion</i> on pg. 27	pg. 162
<i>Prokeimenon</i> on pg. 34	pg. 162
<i>Alleluia</i> on pg. 34	pg. 163
<i>Magnification</i> on pg. 62	pg. 62
Communion Hymn on pg.78	pg.163

Readings: 2 Cor 6:16-7:1; Lk 5:1-11

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

September 27 - October 3

In memory of Michael Franchak
Offered by Olga Bodnar and Family

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 Mary Ellen 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.