



## Parish Prayer List

Pray for our ill and homebound parishioners:

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

Jill and Jade Baca, Angie Bitsko, Olga Bodnar, Christine Borodich, Michele Boyd, Carol Donlin, Marge Driscoll, Fred Fraikor, Tom Tom Graham, Robert Haas, George Kmeck Jr, Helen Kmeck, Mike Mancinelli, Rhys Nunnally, Thomas Plahovinsak, Joe Ptak, John Rubano, Jill Velasco, Brenda Washko, Sandy Woods.

***Email frescobedo@phx.org if there is anyone who should be added or removed from this list or if there are any shut-ins to whom the Holy Mysteries should be administered.***

***Contacting Fr. Brian by phone:*** The parish phone is in the church and not in the rectory parish office. Fr. Brian's cell number is on the answering message. For an emergency, please call his cell phone. For fastest response, please email which is continuously monitored.

## Announcements

### Weekend Divine Liturgies

**We do not require sign-up for Divine Liturgy on our parish website.** Services are live-streamed for those who for health reasons cannot attend. Otherwise we are obligated to honor the Lord's day in person with masks and proper distancing. If you need **dispensation** from attending on Sundays or holy days contact Fr. Brian to discuss.

### Saturday Vesperal Divine Liturgies

Saturday Divine Liturgies are celebrated for the faithful to fulfill their obligation and receive Eucharist. It enables spacing for parishioners to avoid overcrowding and possible exposure to COVID-19.

### Vocations Reflection

"All that is mine is yours." The merciful Father welcomed the Prodigal Son and showed love to his brother when he questioned that profound love which gave all that was his to his children. Would you like to share that love of the Father by considering a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate, religious or monastic life? If so, contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org.

### Stipends

I am frequently asked about stipends for services e.g. Divine Liturgy, Baptisms, Blessing of Houses, All Souls Panachida, etc. The eparchy provides recommended amounts. See the narthex handout for further information.

### Building Fund

Envelopes in narthex to contribute to Holy Protection's Building Fund! Write your envelope number on the back of the envelope.

### Adult Catechesis

Next catechesis will be in February. The topic will be Confessions: what should be presented. Date will be posted soon for your planning. Previous classes linked on our parish website.

### Parish Prayer List

Review the list and let Fr. Brian know those who should be taken off or added.

**This week is the last chance to update the Hramody (Deceased) book in the narthex for All Souls Saturdays.** Check mark your family name or add names. All Souls stipends may be put in envelopes and given to Fr. Brian.

### Tithing from your Bank Account

Tithing may be sent directly from your bank account. Go to "pay bills" on your bank's website and set up an automatic payment.

### Upcoming dates

-Forgiveness Vespers on **February 14** at 7pm. The community seeks each others forgiveness as we begin the Great Fast.

**Parish Celebrations: Congratulations to Joshua Bell on his Baptism, Christmation and First Eucharist as he became a member of the Catholic Church yesterday. God Grant You Many Years of Peace, Health and Happiness.**

Did we miss you? Please email your name, birthdays and anniversaries to: frescobedo@ephx.org.

### **Collections:**

**January 23/24**

**Parish**

**Souls: x/x**

**Tithe: \$xxx**

(includes mailed in tithes).

**Outreach**

**Souls: --**

**Tithe: - \$ --**

**Tithing: God bless all sending in their tithes when not at Divine Liturgy.**

**O Lord, Bless the Worship and Stewardship of your faithful servants.**

### **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.

### **Guidelines for our Public Liturgies**

1) Masks are requested to be worn, 2) Maintain Social Distancing 3) Hall closed, 4) Teal Divine Liturgy books cleaned after use or the faithful may bring their own from home, 5) Venerate the icon on the tetrapod by bowing and crossing yourself in the Byzantine manner, 6) Offertory basket is at the foot of the tetrapod.

Colorado continues to have a large number of COVID-19 cases.

Parishioners should ensure they keep the appropriate distancing and wear masks at Divine Liturgy. If we have any outbreak we will close down public Liturgy for all. Please help us keep our church open!

### **Divine Liturgy Guide**

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

**January 31 - Sunday of the Prodigal Son Tone Two**

**When you get to**

**Go to... the...**

***Troparion* on pg.27\_\_\_\_\_pg. 130**

***Kontakion* on pg. 27\_\_\_\_\_pg. 217**

***Prokeimenon* on pg. 34\_\_\_\_\_pg. 217**

***Alleluia* on pg. 34\_\_\_\_\_pg. 218**

***Magnification* on pg. 62 \_\_\_\_\_pg. 62**

**Communion Hymn on pg.78\_\_\_\_\_pg. 218**

**Readings: 1 Cor 6:12-20; Lk 15:11-32**

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

January 31-February 6  
For the health of Paul Peek

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.