

BULLETIN

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HOLY PROTECTION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Outreach Communities

Saints Cyril and Methodius Russian Greek Catholic Community (SCM)

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Liturgical Propers for Sun Jan 22

Holy Protection Denver & Fort Collins Outreach

Resurrection Tone 8 (*Teal Book*, pp. 159)
Epistle: 1 Tim 4:9-15, Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

Sts Cyril and Methodius Russian Greek Catholic Community

Resurrection Tone 7
Epistle: 1 Tim 1:15-17, Gospel: Luke 18:35-43

Upcoming Services & Events

We are experimenting with a new monthly calendar on our website. Instead of a Google calendar, we have a PDF calendar that contains the most current information about liturgical services and other parish events:

<https://holyprotection.org/about/calendar/> .

Emergency cancellations or changes to this weekly schedule will be communicated through Flocknote.

Holy Protection Denver

Sat Jan 21

5:00 pm Great Vespers (Reader Service)

SUN JAN 22 SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS

8:30a Festal Matins (Reader Service)

9:30a Divine Liturgy

Mon Jan 23

8:30a Daily Matins

5:00p Daily Vespers

Tue Jan 24 Xenia, Venerable

8:30a Daily Matins

10:00a Divine Liturgy (Sophia Montessori Academy)

5:00p Great Vespers

Wed Jan 25 Gregory the Theologian, Bishop

8:30a Festal Matins

10:00a Divine Liturgy (+Gregory Barstad by J. Barstad)

5:00p Daily Vespers

Thu Jan 26

No Services

Fri Jan 27 Translation of the Relics of John Chrysostom

8:30a Festal Matins

12 noon Divine Liturgy (+Theodore Macias by M. Doll)

7:00p Ladies Book Club

Sat Jan 28

9:00 am Penance

10:00am First Confession Class (session 2)

5:00 pm Great Vespers (Reader Service)

SUN JAN 29 SUNDAY OF PUBLICAN & PHARISEE

8:30a Festal Matins (Reader Service)

9:30a Divine Liturgy

Mon Jan 30 Three Holy Hierarchs

8:30a Festal Matins

10:00a Divine Liturgy

5:00p Daily Vespers

Tue Jan 31

7:00p Learning Liturgy (see announcement below)

Saints Cyril and Methodius Russian Greek Catholic Community

SUN JAN 22 32ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

1:30p Divine Liturgy

Mon Jan 23

7:30 Daily Vespers, Book Club (@Zoom)

SUN JAN 29 SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS

12:30p Divine Liturgy (New Location! Holy Protection Denver)

Mon Jan 30

7:30 Daily Vespers, Book Club (@Zoom)

Byzantine Catholic Outreach of Fort Collins

Sat Jan 21

6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy

Sat Jan 28

6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy

Announcements

House Blessings. In the days following the Feast of Theophany, it is customary for the parish priest to visit his people's homes and bless them with the Jordan water. If you would like your house blessed this year, use my Calendly page to select an evening that would work for you and I will be in touch to work out details. -Fr Joel

Calendly: <http://www.calendly.com/frbarstad>

Ladies' Book Club will meet at the church on Fri 27 Jan, at 7:00 pm.

First Confession Classes for children and their parents began on Jan 21, and will continue on Jan 28 and Feb 4 at 10:00 am at Holy Protection. The first two sessions will be for instruction and the final session will be for the childrens' First Confessions (their parents are welcome, too).

Learning Divine Liturgy on Tue Jan 31, 7pm: Join Dr. Elizabeth Klein of the Augustine Institute and the team of Sophia Montessori Academy at Holy Protection of the Mother of God, for a Learning Divine Liturgy where Fr. Joel will share details on the Byzantine Catholic Divine Liturgy (Mass) and answer any questions. Stick around afterwards for snacks and fellowship. If you have any questions, email info@sophiamontessori.com .

Sophia Montessori Academy Anniversary Celebration on Fri Feb 17, 6:30pm: Join us as we celebrate Sophia Montessori's 5th Anniversary! *We will have some appetizers, Stargazer chocolates, and drinks.* Learn more about what Montessori education is all about and try your hand at some of our works. Experience our classroom first hand and hear more about what makes SMA unique and what exciting things we have in store for our future as we prepare for our expansion in the Fall! If you have any questions, email info@sophiamontessori.com .