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BULLETIN OF AUGUST 30, 2015

100th Anniversary Celebration – October 3 & 4

SUNDAY/AUGUST 30

13th Sun. After Pentecost

St. Alexander Nevsky

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy
Coffee Hour

MONDAY/AUGUST 31

9:30a.m. Funeral of Helen Perry

7:00p.m. Vespers

TUESDAY/SEPTEMBER 1

Church New Year

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy

SATURDAY/SEPTEMBER 5

9:30a.m. Akathist to St. Porphyrius of Athos;
Confession

5:30p.m. Vigil; Confession

SUNDAY/SEPTEMBER 6

14th Sun. After Pentecost

Service for the Environment

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy
Coffee Hour

MONDAY/SEPTEMBER 7

7:00p.m. Vigil for Nativity of Theotokos

TUESDAY/SEPTEMBER 8

Nativity of the Holy Theotokos

(One of "the 12 Great Feasts of the Year")

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy



Many hundreds of years ago a very holy old man lived in a desert. One day people came to him and said: "Father, teach us, how can we come closer to God while we live in this world?" The old man drew a circle in the sand at his feet. "This circle is the world," he said "and here in the center of it is God. Each one of us lives in the world," and he made dots around the edge of the circle. "As we try to come closer to God, we draw closer to each other and this is the only way in which we can come closer to God. Remember it."

Offerings Week of August 30

Olive Oil: in memory of Michael, Justina, Rosalia and Anastasia; in memory of Vaschen, Emilia and Valentina; for the health and salvation of John and Vera; for the health of Wendy; for the health of Julia (birthday); for the health of Zachary (name day); for the health of Proto-Deacon Paul and Patricia Sokol (anniversary).

Wine: for the health and protection of Alexander and Nicholas.

Parish Synodicon: Memory Eternal!

Sept. 14 40th Day for Peter LaVerne Mickel

Sept. 27 40th Day for Helen Perry

Aug. 30, 1952 Terry Beth Koles

Aug. 31, 1927 Jacob Kava

Aug. 31, 1972 Julia Marchuk

Aug. 31, 1975 John Kluchnik

Aug. 31, 1988 Fr. Nicholas Kiryluk
(rector 1946-1953)

Sept. 01, 1922 Constantine Maykovsky

Sept. 01, 1977 Edward Wasitowski

Sept. 01, 1978 Pauline Trosko

Sept. 01, 2007 Fr. John (George) Lewis
(rector 1969-1971)

Sept. 03, 1956 Maria Schander

Sept. 04, 2000 Marina Audrey Haitch

Sept. 05, 1917 Peter Darensky

Coffee Hour Hosts

Aug. 30 Motoviloff, Torrisi, Kachek & Stone

Sept. 06 Mantzafos, Sokol, Arpastean,
Nasledysheva & Sarchisian.

Sept. 13 Dunaenko, Wypych, Chirnoaga,
Moldoveanu & Nemes

Usher Schedule

Aug. 30 Dennis F. & Peter B.

Sept. 06 Timothy S. & Peter B.

Sept. 13 Jerry S. & Adrian M.

Counters

Aug. 30 Ekaterini M. & Peter B.

Sept. 06 Rebecca Oliver & Edward S.

Sept. 13 Lisa K. & Daniel T.

Parish Council Meeting

September 17th, Thursday at 7:00p.m.

Names Day Greetings

St. Alexander/Aug. 30: Alexandru Chirnoaga

St. Edward/Sept. 3: Edward Sarchisian

St. Zachary/Sept. 5: Zachary Sokol

St. Elizabeth/Sept. 5: Elizabeth Dao

Many Blessed Years!

2015 Equal Sacrifice Model is in Effect

Each of our 70 parishioners (100%) is asked to make an extra offering over the amount of your usual offering of \$2.87 to \$8.62 per week to cover this year's deficit. This is based on 12 months, with 2 months already over.

The Mysteries of Confession & Communion

If you are a regular communicant on Sundays and have not been to Confession anytime after Pascha (April 12), to continue to receive Holy Communion, you must go to Confession first.

Hall Manager Sought

The Parish Council is seeking a person to manage parish hall rentals. Anyone interested should speak with Peter Bakaletz.

The 100th Anniversary Banquet Invitations

The Invitations have been mailed out. **RSVP by September 8th**. If you did not receive the invitation or wish to have an invitation sent to someone not on our mailing list, please see Pam Stone or Katherine Mantzafos.

The Parish Calendar: Sept. thru Dec.

On the Parish website are listed the planned services, education classes, parish events and other activities. Please make reference to it when making plans.

Church School Program

Instructors: Pre-K, K, Grades 1 & 2: Jill Peterson and Susan Gorbaturk; Grades 4 & 5: Peter Bakaletz;

Grades 6-8: Rebecca Oliver; Teens: Fr. James

Sept. Schedule: Classes Sept. 6, 20 & 27. Teen Class: Sept. 20th. A full schedule for the Fall Season will be forth-coming.