

**December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022**  
**Sunday of the Forefathers**

**SUNDAY, 12/11**    **9:00 am** Divine Liturgy (English) for all parishioners  
                          **10:30 am** Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) for special intention

**MONDAY, 12/12**    **5:30 pm** Divine Liturgy for special intention

**TUESDAY, 12/13**    **5:00 pm** Divine Liturgy for special intention

**WEDNESDAY, 12/14** **8:00 am** Divine Liturgy for special intention

**THURSDAY, 12/15**    No Divine Liturgy

**FRIDAY, 12/16**     **8:00 am** Divine Liturgy for special intention

**SATURDAY, 12/17**   **4:00 pm** Divine Liturgy for special intention

**SUNDAY, 12/18**     **9:00 am** Divine Liturgy (English) for all parishioners

**Sunday Readings**

**Holy Gospel**

**Luke 14: 16 – 24**

Then Jesus[d] said to him, "Someone gave a great dinner and invited many. 17 At the time for the dinner he sent his slave to say to those who had been invited, 'Come; for everything is ready now.' 18 But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said to him, 'I have bought a piece of land, and I must go out and see it; please accept my regrets.' 19 Another said, 'I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I am going to try them out; please accept my regrets.' 20 Another said, 'I have just been married, and therefore I cannot come.' 21 So the slave returned and reported this to his master. Then the owner of the house became angry and said to his slave, 'Go out at once into the streets and lanes of the town and bring in the poor, the crippled, the blind, and the lame.' 22 And the slave said, 'Sir, what you ordered has been done, and there is still room.' 23 Then the master said to the slave, 'Go out into the roads and lanes, and compel people to come in, so that my house may be filled. 24 For I tell you,[e] none of those who were invited will taste my dinner.'"

*Upcoming Events  
in Parish & Eparchy*

**Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>** – *Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ*

**Dec. 26<sup>th</sup>** – *Synaxis of the Most Holy Mother of God*

**Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>** – *St. Stephen the First Martyr and Archdeacon*

**Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>** – *The Circumcision of Our Lord Jesus Christ*

**Colossians 3: 4 – 11**

When Christ who is your[a] life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. 5 Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). 6 On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient.[b] 7 These are the

**Liturgical Eucharistic Set**

Currently our parish needs to purchase new Liturgical Eucharistic Set. Estimated price for good quality Chalice and Dyskos is about \$1000. If you would like to help us buy it, you may contribute specifically for this matter.

ways you also once followed, when you were living that life.[c] 8 But now you must get rid of all such things—anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive[d] language from your mouth. 9 Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices 10 and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. 11 In that renewal[e] there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

**Quotes from Saints**

“Grant me, O Lord my God, a mind to know you, a heart to seek you, wisdom to find you, conduct pleasing to you, faithful perseverance in waiting for you, and a hope of finally embracing you.”

“As mariners are guided into port by the shining of a star, so Christians are guided to heaven by Mary.”

– **St. Thomas Aquinas**

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“...To serve the poor is to go to God. You must see God in the faces of the poor.”

“Extend mercy toward others, so that there can be no one in need whom you meet without helping. For what hope is there for us if God should withdraw His Mercy from us?”

– **St. Vincent de Paul**

**THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY**

**Sunday collections for the weekend of 12/04/22, including envelope offerings - \$710, donations -\$598, candle -\$110**  
**Weekly budget: \$1250, Income \$1418**

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**Confession before or after Divine Liturgy.**

Confession is recommended as a regular monthly practice. The graces received from confession are an excellent way to help us become closer to Jesus.

*THE CHURCH WAS A MOTHER TO YOU IN LIFE, PROVIDING FOR YOUR SPIRITUAL NEEDS;  
PLEASE REMEMBE YOUR PARISH AND THE EPARCHY OF SAINT JOSAPHAT IN PARMA IN  
YOUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.*