

NOVEMBER 17, 2024
BULLETIN – 21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Ss Peter & Paul Mission: preserve, practice, and proclaim the Gospel of our Lord, God, & Savior Jesus Christ in order to glorify God in the parish and wider community.

This Week @ Ss. Peter & Paul -November 18-24, 2024

11/19 Tu 7:00 am – Readers Orthros
11/20 Wd 5:00 pm – All About the Feasts
5:00 pm – Orthros & Divine Liturgy –
Entrance of the Theotokos *followed by
festal meal*
11/21 Th 7:00 am – Men's Reading Group
10:00 am – Koffee w/Khouria
11/23 Sa 5:30 pm – Learn Byzantine Tones
6:00 pm – Great Vespers & Compline
11/24 Su 8:20 am – Orthros
9:30 am – Divine Liturgy – 22nd Sunday
after Pentecost
10:20 am – Church School
Youth choir practice
2:00 pm – Thanksgiving Community
Dinner

Looking Ahead—

November 25 *Morning Divine Liturgy
Adult choir rehearsal*
November 26 *Akathist to the Theotokos for Healing*
November 27 *Akathist of Thanksgiving*
November 28 *Thanksgiving Day*
December 1 *Youth choir sing Divine Liturgy
Barn Game Night*
December 2 *Adult choir rehearsal*
December 6 *Morning Divine Liturgy*
December 8 *St. Nicholas Celebration*
December 9 *Adult choir rehearsal*
December 13 *Morning Divine Liturgy*

***Adult choir rehearsal today after Divine
Liturgy***

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Please contact the church office with the names of the sick and hospitalized of the parish so they may receive pastoral care.

Many Years – Birthday

Ares Pflueger

November 18

*Feast of the
Entrance of the Theotokos*

Wednesday, November 20

5:00 pm – All About the Feasts

5:00 pm – Orthros & Divine Liturgy

Followed by Soup Supper-Style meal

Sign up online or in parish hall to either bring

food, set up, serve, or clean up

***Koffee w/Khouria Thursday, November 21
@ 10:00 am in the nave of the church***

CHURCH SCHOOL NATIVITY PROJECT

- Fill shoeboxes for children
- Donate toys, school supplies, non-liquid hygiene items (toothbrushes, bar soap, etc.), socks, accessories, crafts
- **November 1-24**
- Drop off physical donations in parish hall bin
- Give monetary donations in the envelope in the parish hall
- Donation of \$10/shoebox covers shipping

**Thanksgiving Community
Dinner**

Sunday, November 24 @ 2:00 pm

Extra help is needed to prepare food, set tables, decorate, serve, and clean up.

Donations of food and money are appreciated. Contact Marc Sacoolas @ (831) 334-1924 for more information.

Youth choir practice Sunday, November 24

GOOD WORKS FOR NOVEMBER

Valley Churches United Canned Food Drive: Bring cans of food and leave in the VCM barrel on the north side of the parish hall.

Alms: Almsgiving is above and beyond our tithe and is an important part of Orthodox piety.

Food For Hungry People: This is especially good for children because they see how to practice almsgiving, in this case for hungry people at home and around the world. This is our archdiocese sponsored charity. FFHP boxes are in the narthex, so take one home today.

*Monday, November 25 @ 6:00 am
Divine Liturgy for Great Martyr Catherine*

NATIVITY FAST

November 15-December 12

- Wednesday/Friday is maintained: abstain from meat, dairy, fish, oil, and wine.
- All other days we abstain only from meat and dairy products. Fish, oil, and wine are allowed.

December 13-14

- As the Feast of our Lord’s Nativity approaches, we increase our preparation by increasing our fasting.
- We abstain from meat, dairy, fish, oil, and wine during this period.
- On Saturday, Sunday, and certain feast days, wine and oil are allowed.
- As always, we prepare to receive Holy Communion with a complete fast from food and drink, unless medically necessary, and with the blessing of your father confessor.

<i>Memory Eternal</i>	
<i>November 19</i>	<i>Dale Valory</i>
<i>November 19</i>	<i>Michelle Dunningway</i>
<i>November 19</i>	<i>Fr. Tom Lindsay</i>
<i>November 20</i>	<i>Rick Burns</i>
<i>November 23</i>	<i>Lester Grizzell</i>

ANTIOCHIAN WOMEN

See the flyer on the parish hall bulletin board with details about the Act of Mercy this year which is to support the newly opened Casa Cuna Baby Orphanage in Mexico, part of the St. Innocent Orphanage and the only Orthodox Christian infant orphanage in North America. Contact Sarah Steiger at (831) 588-7526 if you are interested in participating.

WOMEN’S BOOK STUDY

God, Where Is the Wound? Healing Remedies for Today’s World by Schemanun Siluana Vlad

The women will be meeting Saturday, November 16 at 8:30 am in the nursery to discuss pp. 1-65 of the new book. Awakening Bookstore in Felton has some copies. If you have questions or need a copy of the book, please contact Lucia Resnick at (831) 252-1684 or Sarah Steiger at (831) 588-7526.

GRATITUDE

Many thanks go to Kh. Claire, Jan Ivancovich, Monica Zweers, Earlene Perez, Terry Cleary, Rory McCarthy, Sarah Steiger, Sh. Karla Newberry, Antiochian Men, Teen Soyo, and all others who helped garden, decorate, set up and take down, clean, prepare and serve food, and help in any other way for our Fall Retreat with Fr. Josiah Trenham. What a blessing your gifts were to the parish!

Remember to sign up either online (look in your email for the link) or on the sign-up sheet in the parish hall to either bring food, set up, serve food, or clean up for the Feast of the Entrance of the Theotokos.

ST. GABRIEL ORTHODOX CHURCH TEA

All are invited to a St. Nicholas Tea Party, Great Vespers, and 32nd Annual Gold Country Christmas Lighted Parade at 1141 South Main St., Angels Camp. There will be a raffle, door prizes, reading of the St. Nicholas story and visit from St. Nicholas. Bring a toy for Toys for Tots or canned food for the food bank. RSVP by November 30 to Eloise Haskin at (831)840-7595.

**Archdiocese Biennial Convention
July 20-27, 2025 ~ Cicero, Illinois**