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Glory to Jesus Christ! – Glory Now and Forever!

Schedule of Divine Liturgies

SUNDAY November 10

- 10:30am Divine Liturgy for health and spiritual

wellbeing of all parishioners and growth of the Descent of the Holy Spirit Parish

(22nd Sunday after Pentecost)

Epistle: Gal 6:11-18 Gospel: Lk. 10:25-37

SUNDAY November 17

- 10:30am Divine Liturgy for health and spiritual

wellbeing of all parishioners and growth of the Descent of the Holy Spirit Parish

(23rd Sunday after Pentecost)

Epistle: Eph. 2:4-10 Gospel: Lk. 12:16-21

Confession

Confessions are available on Sundays or Feast days after the Liturgy

Intention cards

We should remember to pray for our family members and for relatives, as well for the deceased. In case if you would like to have the Divine Liturgy for health and God's blessings for family members, relatives or friends or for the deceased members of family please let the priest know at least two weeks before.

Sacraments

Those who wish to receive Sacrament of First Holy Communion or Marriage, please talk to the priest at least 6 months prior to the event.

Bishop's appeal collection

Thank you for your donations: \$100 from Mr/Mrs. Ladimer Nagurney; \$300Mr/Mrs. Yaroslav Leshko; \$100 Fr. Andriy Krip and family; \$100 Mrs. Patricia Robinson

Total \$600 GOAL: \$700

Receiving HOLY EUCHARIST

Holy Eucharist – Body and Blood of Jesus Christ (Holy Communion) – is one of the seven Sacraments. It has to be received worthily for the salvation of our soul. Holy Eucharist is not just representation of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ but after the Consecration becomes the **Body and Blood of Jesus Christ**. When preparing ourselves for the receiving of the Holy Eucharist we should examine our conscience and make sure if we do not have any mortal sins. (In case of mortal sin we need to have the Sacrament of Confession). Make act of contrition for all your venial sins and then with reverence receive Holy Eucharist.

Coming soon

- 1. St. Nicholas Bazaar Dec 7 from 8:30 to 3:00pm and Dec. 8 from 10am to 2pm
- 2. Family Day retreat St. Basil Seminary on November 17th let the priest know if you are planning to go, since we need to fill out registration form.
- 3. Divine Liturgy On December 22nd will be moved to Saturday December 21 at 6:00 pm

IN NOVEMBER

3rd- Change of time

8th – Archangel Michael and all Angels – solemn feast

15th – Beginning of Philip's Fast

21st – Entrance of the Theotokos – solemn feast

28th – Thanksgiving Day – Happy Thanksgiving Holidays to all

Fast

Fast – is to give up something, it is to sacrifice something, it is to put my own desire on the second level.

The goal of fast- spiritual renovation – therefore we need to fast from sin, from sinful habits, break sinful habits and inclinations. In the days of lent it is recommended to stay away from bad works, thoughts, words. And to keep inner peace.

Abstinence from sin is more important than abstinence from food, even though abstinence from food helps to overcome sin and grow spiritually. So it is important to do both: stay away from sin and food. (Catechism – Christ Our Pascha)

God Bless You ALL!

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