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August 15, 2010

12th Sunday after Pentecost DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS

- 9:00am – Divine Liturgy with Blessing of flowers and herbs
Epistles: **1 Cor. 15:1-11**
Phil. 2:5-11
Gospels: **Matt. 19:16-26**
Luke 10:38-42, 11:27-28
- Panikhida in memory of the departed members of our Sisterhood of the Assumption of Holy Virgin Mary. Memory Eternal! Вечная Память!
- Fellowship – Please come downstairs following Liturgy for Coffee Hour, provided by Maria Suchowacki. Thank you, Maria.

Schedule of Services

Saturday, August 21st

6:00pm - Great Vespers

Sunday, August 22nd –

9:00am - Divine Liturgy followed by Coffee Hour, sponsored by Matthew & Tonya Galati.

On the Dormition of the Theotokos

“Come, let us depart with her. Come, let us descend to that tomb with all our heart's desire. Let us draw round that most sacred bed and sing the sweet words, "Rejoice, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Rejoice, predestined Mother of God. Rejoice, thou chosen one in the design of God from all eternity, most sacred hope of earth, resting-place of divine fire, holiest delight of the Spirit, fountain of living water, paradise of the tree of life, divine vine-branch, bringing forth soul-sustaining nectar and ambrosia. Full river of spiritual graces, fertile land of the divine pastures, rose of purity, with the sweet fragrance of grace, lily of the royal robe, pure Mother of the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world, token of our redemption, handmaid and Mother, surpassing angelic powers." Come, let us stand round that pure tomb and draw grace to our hearts. Let us raise the ever-virginal body with spiritual arms, and go with her into the grave to die with her. Let us renounce our passions, and live with her in purity, listening to the divine canticles of angels in the heavenly courts. Let us go in adoring, and learn the wondrous mystery by which she is assumed to heaven, to be with her Son, higher than all the angelic choirs.”

St. John of Damascus

Intercessory Prayer

THE LIVING:

Walter and Mary Milk, Stephen and Lillian Sokol, Benedict and Eva Benda, Theodore Rocca, Alexei, Nicholas, Frank, Michael and Elizabeth Zuber, Valentina Benda, Andrew Koch, Cindy Boswell, Olga DeMay, Helen Pirniak, Marianne Guagenti, Mikolaj, Avery, Sophie and Georgette Saba, George Silberman, George Hook, Peter Mazula, Helen Pawlush, Antonina Rotko, Matilda Skripak, Evelyn Morely, Jaser and Gazie Nesheiwat, Anne Hueston, Cathryn Christensen, Walter Epps, David Smith

May God grant you Many Years!

THE NEWLY DEPARTED:

Steven Petronko, Agnes Silberman, Julia Brelinsky, Helen Cotrone, June Bianchini

THE DEPARTED:

Maryanne Benda, Anne Verona, Ann Fondak, Theodor Bacha, Margaret Dellabella, George Makara.

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A Tip for your Vacation...

If you are away from your home parish, make sure to find an Orthodox Church near wherever you travel* and attend Saturday Vespers and the Divine Liturgy on Sunday and major Holy Days there. Remember that God never forgets us, so let us not forget Him; and also: there is no vacation from God!

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Today's Memorial Offering

- **Sanctuary Lamp** – in memory of my husband Joseph's birthday – by Terry Cimboric
- **St. John's Cross** – in memory of my husband Joseph's birthday – by Terry Cimboric
- **Church Bread** – in memory of Joseph Cimboric – Anniversary of Birth – by Andrea & Russ Wyskanycz
- **Church Wine** – in memory of Joseph Cimboric – Anniversary of Birth – by Andrea & Russ Wyskanycz



Announcements

- ❖ Save the date: Carpathian Club's Picnic - September 19. For tickets see Robert Pierce or John Korello.
- ❖ Coffee Hour Sponsors are needed. Have it in memory or in honor of your loved ones. Please sign-up at the candle desk. Upcoming Coffee Hours: August 22 – sponsored by Matthew & Tonya Galati; August 29 – by Matushka Anna & Maxim; September 5 – by Alena Burkova.
- ❖ Available at the candle desk are memorial candles, Altar bread and wine to be sponsored in prayerful intentions of your loved-ones.

Welcome to our Parish

We warmly welcome all families, friends and guests to our parish. We are glad to pray with you here today. Over the past eighty-six years, hundreds of people have called Ss. Peter and Paul their home. If this parish is the kind of a spiritual home you have been searching for, we would love to have you become a part of our family.