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Prayer List

We offer our prayers for all of our shut-ins who are unable to attend church services. Also offer your prayers for those in need, especially - Helen Baburchak, Lydia Boras, Laura Chapin, Marilee Driggs, Paul Farbanish, Anthony Gallis, Justin Garcia, Kathy Gregory; Stella Holowatch, Daniel Karlgut, Alicia Laskowski, Linda Main; George Murphy, Alexander Newsom, Janeel Rahman, Sheila Ransom, Mohamed Rawoof, Joni Mitchell, Ann Sawchak, Rachelle Vitale, Bob Wartonik, Valentina Yelangy, Velma Fotorny & all of our parishioners who are ill. To add or remove names from the prayer list in the bulletin, please let Fr. Alexey or Fr. Timm know.

<u>Christmas 2023 Donations for "Beautifying" our Church and "Remembering" our loved ones.</u> Donations will be used toward the following Nativity and Theophany items: Flowers, Candles, and Altar Supplies. Please complete the form included in your December mailing and return to the church office. Additional forms are available in the church office.

CHRISTMAS SOCIAL – will be held on Sunday December 31st. As usual, we encourage everyone to bring their holiday dish to share, come and enjoy fellowship with your brothers and sisters in Christ, and assist in clean-up after.

We would like to congratulate Fr. Deacon Gregory Fedorchak and his wife Matushka Krista. Fr. Deacon Gregory was ordained to the Holy Priesthood By His Eminence Archbishop Michael at St. Tikhon's Seminary on Saturday November 25th. Our congratulations to Ted and Kathy Fedorchak, siblings and extended family! AXIOS! May God grant them Many Years!

Church Announcements and Events

Sunday School Program - All 3 events occur/end on Sunday, Dec. 10th.

- Our students are collecting items to donate to Mercy House through Sunday, Dec.10 th . Please consider bringing something from their wish list: paper towels, toiletpaper, hand soap, 33-gallon trash bags, 13- gallon garbage bags, stainless steel wipes (Weiman), K-cups, coffee (regular ground), canned soda, gift cards (Sam's, Walmart, Aldi, Price Chopper, & amp; Weis), individually wrapped snacks (cookies, rackers, snackbars, nuts, assorted chips), soup (chicken & amp; tomato), liquid laundry detergent, AAA batteries, D batteries, Lysol wipes, distilled water, Johnson's baby wash, baby wipes.
- Raffle tickets are 2 for \$5 for your chance to win Christmas decorations donated by Lydia Boras. Thank you, Mrs. Boras!!!

St. Nicholas Sunday School Presentation (Yolka) after coffee hour on Dec.10th. Please come

watch our children – our future.

• Christmas Bake Sale

Saturday, December 16, 2023 - 9:30 am to Noon Drive Thru pick up only SS Peter & Paul Church 210 Hill Ave. Endicott NY

• New Parish Icon Classes

On Sunday November 5 th, Sdn Andrew Bohush began conducting classes on the icons of ourParish. Andrew will be breaking down the lessons into small groups so as not to overwhelm the kids with too muchinformation and long classes. The class will take place upstairs, shortly after the coffee hour begins. Adults are also welcome!

STEWARDSHIP REMINDER!!- Now that we are coming to the end of our fiscal year, we ask that all of our parishioners review their stewardship contributions to the church and if they have fallen behind, please take this opportunity to catch up. Your church depends on you! Our parish is assessed 10% of our annual non-designated regular revenue by the Diocese and the OCA. None of this assessment remains in the parish to support the work and ministries and outreach of our parish family. If you need a total of your contributions to date, please contact us at sspeterandpauloffice@gmail.com or see Fr. Alexey. Thank you for your Stewardship and your generosity!



to all our visitors and guests who participate in our celebration of the Divine Liturgy! While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Orthodox Christians, our non-Orthodox guests are welcome to join us in venerating the Cross & receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy. We invite all of our guests to join us for our Fellowship Hour & to visit our bookstore.

For bulletin inputs, contact Fr. Alexey, Fr. Timm or e-mail us at sspeterandpauloffice@gmail.com

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