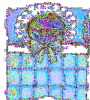


## JANUARY 2019

**PRAYER LIST** : We offer our prayers for all of our shut-ins who are unable to attend church services, especially: **Vera Tatusko and William Tellep Jr.**

Also offer your prayers for those in need especially **Helen Baburchak, Fr. Steven Belonick, Matushka Joanna Bohush, Lydia Boras, Laura Chapin, Elaine Costello, Nadine Dranchak, Thanos Fotiou, Jack Francisco, Justin Garcia, Kathy Gregory; Marge Herciga; Newborn Infant - Maria Karlgut; Newborn Infant – Lukeria Karlgut; Olga Kulasza, Robert Kushner, Alicia Laskowski; Linda Main; George Murphy, Tanya Pylypciw, Janeel Rahman, Sheila Ransom, Joni Mitchell, Tyler Sunday; Millie Sviatyla, Dorothy Tarasevich, Rachele Vitale, Olga Warski & all of our parishioners who are ill.**



We wish to congratulate the parents, Alyona (Kalgut) and Alexander Stinkovoy on the birth of their daughter, Lukeria. May God Grant Lukeria, her parents and all of her family Many Blessed Years!



**MEMORY ETERNAL!** We offer our condolences to Dr. Steven & Kristine Garner on the falling asleep in the Lord of Kristine's mother, Mae Mary Shonak. **MAY HER MEMORY BE ETERNAL!**

**THANK YOU!** To everyone for the kind condolences, prayers and cards and expressions of sympathy I received on the falling asleep of my mother, Mae Mary Shonak. ....Kristine Garner

**THANK YOU!** Special thanks to ALL of the workers who dedicated their time at the baking and cooking workshops for our Christmas Bake Sale, and to all the people who participated in any way to make this another successful fundraiser. The Profit is over \$9,200. Thank you and God Bless you all!!!

### **Everyone is Welcome to a Study of the Divine Liturgy Sundays at 12 noon Jan. 6th to Feb. 19th 2019.**

In his book For the Life of the World, Fr. Alexander Schmemmann tells us that "the Divine Liturgy is best understood as a journey". The destination of this journey is announced at the beginning of the Divine Liturgy when the priest proclaims, "Blessed is the Kingdom of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit". This journey is to the Kingdom of Heaven. Are we prepared, aware and present so that we fully participate in the journey? Let's learn together, so that we can more fully journey together.

**Invitation to Support Diocesan Ministries!** You are invited to join the ever-growing list of Distinguished Diocesan Benefactors who joyfully support the on-going work of our diocese. Their support allows us to provide assistance to new mission parishes, scholarships to seminarians, and much-needed encouragement to older struggling parishes. How about you – can you help? Archbishop MICHAEL encourages all parishioners, organizations & parishes to take part in this vital Diocesan Ministry that benefits all of our missions, parishes and people. For information, visit the Diocesan website at [nynjoca.org](http://nynjoca.org)

**REMINDER:** **2019 WEEKLY OFFERING ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE VESTIBULE OF THE CHURCH!** If you cannot find your envelopes, please notify someone in the church office.  
**2019 calendars are also available in the vestibule of the church**

### **2019 ANNUAL PARISH MEETING SUNDAY, JANUARY 27, 2019 immediately following Divine Liturgy.**

Everyone is encouraged to attend and to take part in charting the direction of the life of our church for the next year. Reports / Budgets are due before for the Annual Meeting by Monday, January 14, 2019.

**HOUSE BLESSINGS** As is the Holy custom of our people during Theophany season, the houses of our parishioners will be blessed. If you would like Fr. Alexey or Fr. Timm to come and bless your house in January & February, please fill out the enclosed form and return to the Church Office or contact Fr. Alexey or Fr. Timm for a mutually convenient time.



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

For bulletin inputs, contact Fr. Alexey, Fr. Timm or Stella Holowatch (607-205-1507) – email [Stellah@stny.rr.com](mailto:Stellah@stny.rr.com)