

**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.

**Adult Bible Study (November 2023) Sunday after the Divine Liturgy & Coffee Hour from 12 to 12:30.**

In November we will be looking at the Epistles to the Colossians & to Philemon. St. Paul offers us insight into the mystery of Christ's call and gift to us, plus practical direction on how to actualize this gift. Everyone is welcome! *Reader John*

**St. Andrew's Camp Fundraiser - Sunday November 5, 2023 – Spaghetti and Song Dinner Show – 5 to 8 pm. Great Dinner and Entertainment that includes: Appetizers, Pasta & Meatballs (homemade!), Salad, Garlic bread, Drinks and Desserts. There will be a number of Camp Directors, Priests and Counselors and Campers performing a wide array of music: Broadway, Pop, Jazz, Country and Slavic & Celtic Folk.**

Performers include: Fr. David Cowan, Fr. Jason Vansuch, Fr. Joel Brady, Dn. Gregory Fedorchak, Kristy Zaitsev, Matushka Tamara Cowan, Matushka Krista Fedorchak, Lonn Bolongna, Kaedon Campbell, Fr. Nicholas Molodyko-Harris and a Campers' Ensemble. There will also be performances from area parishes: Carrie Hooper, Elmira Heights, Andrew Karlgut, Endicott and few others. We will also have baskets to be raffled in between the performances. **So, it's going to be a fun night not to miss!**

**IF YOU CANNOT ATTEND, PLEASE CONSIDER MAKING A DONATION FOR ST. ANDREW'S CAMP FOR SCHOLARSHIPS OF DIOCESAN CHILDREN! THANK YOU!**

In the Orthodox Church, Advent - like all Lenten seasons - is a time of physical and spiritual preparation for an important moment in the Church's life: the feasts of Christ's birth and baptism. While we seldom forget to ready our homes for Christmas, we frequently do forget to ready ourselves. The primary theme of Christmas is that God's only-begotten Son took on human flesh in order to reveal God to us in a most perfect way so that we might truly know Him. Then, before His physical ascension to His Father's kingdom, Jesus left us His mystical Body and Blood to unite us to Him as one Body and, through Him, to one another. Therefore, during this Advent season, we should remember not only the gift-giving of St. Nicholas but also Him Who became one of us so that we might enter into His Father's kingdom ...

**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](mailto: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.*

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