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SERVICES February 25, 2018 - March 4, 2018

Sunday, February 25, 2018.....	9:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am – ORTHODOXY SUNDAY Divine Liturgy; Sunday School; Coffee Hr.
	4:00 pm – Pan-Orthodox Vespers @ St. Mary’s Church, Jenkins Ave., Endicott
Wednesday, February 28, 2018.....	6:00 pm - Akafist to the Virgin Mary
Friday, March 3, 2018.....	6:00 pm – Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – LENTEN MEAL
Saturday, March 4, 2018.....	9:30 am – Divine Liturgy +Soul Saturday
	5:00 pm – Vespers; General Confession
Sunday, March 4, 2018.....	9:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am – GREGORY PALAMAS Divine Liturgy; Sunday School; Coffee Hr.

FEBRUARY 25, 2018

EPISTLE: HEBREWS 11:24-26;32-12:2

By faith Moses, when he became of age, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh’s daughter, choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God than to enjoy the passing pleasures of sin, esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt; for he looked to the reward. And what more shall I say? For the time would fail me to tell of Gideon and Barak and Samson and Jephthah, also of David and Samuel and the prophets: who through faith subdued Kingdoms, worked righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens. Women received their dead raised to life again. Others were tortured, not accepting deliverance, that they might obtain a better resurrection. Still others had trial of mockings and scourgings, yes, and of chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, were tempted, were slain with the sword. They wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins, being destitute, afflicted, tormented – of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, having obtained a good testimony through faith, did not receive the promise, God having provided something better for us, that they should not be made perfect apart from us.

Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

GOSPEL: JOHN 1:43-51

The following day Jesus wanted to go to Galilee, and He found Philip and said to him, “Follow Me.” Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, “We have found Him of whom Moses in the law, and also the prophets, wrote – Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph.” And Nathanael said to him, “Can anything good come out of Nazareth?” Philip said to him, “Come and see.” Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, and said of him, “Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no deceit!” Nathanael said to Him, “How do You know me?” Jesus answered and said to him, “Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you.” Nathanael answered and said to Him, “Rabbi, You are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!” Jesus answered and said to him, “Because I said to you, ‘I saw you under the fig tree,’ do you believe? You will see greater things than these.” And He said to him, “Most assuredly, I say to you, hereafter you shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.”

NEXT WEEK: MARCH 4, 2018 HEBREW 1:10-2:3 MARK 2:1-12

February 25, 2018

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 *Vladimir Alexeev, Helen Baburchak, Lawrence Barlow, Matushka Joanna Bohush, Lydia Boras, Laura Chapin, David Davies, Nadine Dranchak, Thanos Fotiou, Kathy Gregory; Marge Herciga, Natalie Kostyshak, Olga Kulasza, Emelia Kulikowski, Robert Kushner, Alicia Laskowski; Linda Main; George Murphy, Tanya Pylypciw, Janeel Rahman, Sheila Ransom, Joni Mitchell, Jeannie Sura; Millie Sviatyla, Dorothy Tarasevich, Arlene Tatusko, Rachelle Vitale, Elaine Volock, Olga Warski & 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. **Thank you!**



MEMORY ETERNAL! We offer our condolences to Craig Koval & Family and Sandra Wall & Family on the falling asleep in the Lord of their mother and grandmother, **Ann Koval.**
MAY HER MEMORY BE ETERNAL!



COFFEE HOUR: Come downstairs and socialize with your brothers and sisters in Christ.

Today: "Dorks"

Mar. 4: Paula Norton, Nicole Ewing, Nancy Kulilowski, Patty Warski

Mar. 11: Stella Holowatch, Rose Gorey, Deb Gorey, Kim Gorey, Kyra Davies

Mar. 18: Sue Watson, Kathy Fedorchak, Mat. Joanna Bohush, Marie Williams, Cathy Stephens

WE NEED YOUR HELP FOR OUR 2018 EASTER BAKE SALE

TO BE HELD ON March 24, 2018.

****WORKSHOPS SCHEDULED @ 8:30 AM****

PIROGI: Thursday, March 1, 8, 15 ; **PIROGI SALE:** MARCH 2, 9 & 16;
KOLACHKI: Saturday – FEBRUARY MARCH 10; **BREAD:** FEBRUARY 26;

Sunday of Orthodoxy, February 25 - Pan-Orthodox Vespers will be held at 4:00 pm at St. Mary's Orthodox Church in Endicott, NY. **CHOIR REHEARSALS:** Sunday, February 25th from 2:30-3:30 pm. The service will then follow at 4 pm. *The children can* bring a small Icon from home to carry in the Procession of Icons at the conclusion of the Vespers.

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, please fill out the form enclosed in your January Monthly Bulletin and return it to the Church Office or contact Fr. Alexey or Fr. Timm for a mutually convenient time.

PLEASE NOTIFY OUR CHURCH OFFICE OF ANY ADDRESS, PHONE # OR EMAIL CHANGES TO OUR MAILING LIST. THERE IS A FORM IN THE OFFICE AND ON THE STAND IN THE VESTIBULE OF THE CHURCH.



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 for our Fellowship Hour & to visit our Bookstore.

NOTE: Our new website has been constructed, updated and ready to use: ssppeny.org

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