

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 25, 2022

Saturday, September 24th – Thecia, Proto-Martyr
5:00pm Vespertal Liturgy, preceded by Confession
Intention: +Daria Drechsler

Sunday, September 25th – 16th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
9:30am Adult Education: Spiritual and Systematic Theology
10:10am Third Hour
10:30am Divine Liturgy, preceded by Confession
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Monday, September 26th – The Passing of John;
Apostle-Evangelist
6:00am Jesus Prayer

Tuesday, September 27th – Calistratus and Others, Martyrs
6:00am Jesus Prayer
11:00am Matins, followed by Confession
4:00pm Paraclisis, followed by Confession

Wednesday, September 28th – Chariton, Venerable-Confessor
6:00am Jesus Prayer
11:00am Divine Liturgy, preceded by Confession
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom
12:00pm Helpers of St. Nicholas Homeless Ministry
5:30pm Divine Liturgy, preceded by Confession
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Thursday, September 29th – Cyriacus, Venerable
11:00am Sixth Hour, followed by Confession
4:00pm Ninth Hour, followed by Confession

Friday, September 30th – Gregory Illuminator, Bishop Martyr
11:00am Matins followed by Confession
6:00pm Vespertal Liturgy PROTECTION OF THE THEOTOKOS
Preceded by Confession; Pot Luck following Liturgy
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Saturday, October 1st - PROTECTION OF THE THEOTOKOS
11:00am Divine Liturgy preceded by Confession
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom
5:00pm Vespertal Liturgy, preceded by Confession
Intention: +Hank Landon

Sunday, October 2nd - 17th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
9:30am Adult Education: Spiritual and Systematic Theology
10:10am Third Hour
10:30am Divine Liturgy, preceded by Confession
Pot Luck following Liturgy
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

10th - SS. Mendora, Metrodora, and Nymphodora, Martyrs, were three sisters, devout Christians of the Province of Bithynia in Asia Minor. Condemned for their Faith, they were beheaded A.D. 306 in the great persecution under Diocletian, Emperor.

11th - Our Venerable Mother Theodora of Alexandria, Penitent. She was an Egyptian woman who lived a long life of austere penance because of a sin committed in her youth. She is said to have donned male attire, entered a monastery, where she endured much from Satan and passed to her reward A.D. 472, in the reign of the Emperor Zenon.

12th - St. Autonomus, Priest-Martyr, is alleged by the Greeks to have been an Italian Bishop, who fled into Bithynia, in Asia Minor, to escape the fury of the Diocletian persecution. He made many converts and died for the Faith about A.D. 300.

13th - Commemorating the Restoration of the Church of the Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ. St. Cornelius, Priest Martyr, was the Centurion the Italic cohort, baptized at Caesarea in Palestine by the Apostle St. Peter about A.D. 41 (Acts 10). Tradition makes him first Bishop of Caesarea.

14th - Exaltation of the Holy and Life-Giving Cross. Discovery of the Holy Cross on which Our Lord suffered, together with the nails, is credited to Empress Helen, mother of Constantine the Great. The finding was made in Jerusalem A.D. 326. In the Church of Jerusalem, erected by St. Helen over the Sepulchre of Our Lord, the Patriarch St. Macarius elevated the Cross and all the people beholding it cried out, "Lord, have mercy!"

15th - St. Nicetas, the Great Martyr, was a Goth and a victim of the fury of King Athanaric, ruler of the nations settled about the Danube. He was a disciple of the celebrated Ulphilas (Theophilus). He was burned to death about A.D. 78.

16th - St. Euphemia, the Great Virgin-Martyr. She was burned at the stake for the Faith of Christ, in the city of Chalcedon, in the reign of Galerius, about A.D. 107.

EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2022 continues. This year's Eparchial Appeal closes September 30, 2022. We still have 21 families yet to return their appeal. Our Parish goal is \$30,739.19. As of September 1, 2022, we have reached \$19,666.00 of our goal with 42 families or 63.98%. Thank you to all those who have given so far.

ADULT EDUCATION is held each Sunday morning from 9:30am until 10:10am, we will study the work of St. Ignatius, which teaches us the orthodox approach to theology, Bible Study, and the spiritual life. Please purchase "The Field" and read Chapter 1 before the first class.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE - From September 28 - November 6, 2022, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil at Birth Control Care Center, 872 E. Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89104, from 7:00 am - 7:00pm daily. (please see the website for details about where to stand). Information about participation and signing the statement of peace form can be found at 40daysforlife.com/lasvegas. For more information and to volunteer to help please contact: Nancy Finley, 702 292-9175, lv40daysforlife@gmail.com, Maria Vazquez, 702 283-8379, www.facebook.com/ProvidaLV.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to our parishioners who celebrate birthdays this week: Patrick Arnot, September 27. God Grant You Many Happy Blessed Years!

SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS LAMPS - The ten Sanctuary and Triptychs Lamps are very special candles that remain perpetually lit to honor Our Lord Jesus' Eucharistic and Mystical Presence. Forms are in the back of the church. Please fill one out and, along with your donation, place in the collection basket.

SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS INTENTIONS:

Nativity Triptych Joseph:

Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist:

Nativity Triptych Our Lady:

Resurrection Triptych Apostles:

Prodigal Son: Robert Soccorsi and Judy Soccorsi by Jeff Soccorsi

Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:

Jesus Christ:

Theotokos:

St. Nicholas:

Good Shepard: Robert Ferrer by William St. George

The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions, and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and vulnerable adults that conforms to the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. For additional information regarding the eparchial Safe Environment Program or to report any concerns, please contact:

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