



*Jesus Christ, our
Saviour and Redeemer*

Holy Protection Orthodox Church

Greetings on this blessed Lord's Day! Please take a green information sheet if this is your first time here. You can put in any collection basket or hand to greeter

IN EMERGENCY CALL/TEXT
813-406-2620 (Fr.'s cell). If in middle of night and no answer, call home 813-719-6266 (home), or 813-451-9829 (Pani's cell)

Schedule

Today is Tone 6

Sunday, Nov 27

9:45am Divine Liturgy
11:15 Fellowship Discussion of Faith

Sunday, Dec 4

9:45am Divine Liturgy
11:15 Fellowship Discussion of Faith

Sunday, Dec 11

9:35 am Memorial Harry Linsinbigler
9:45am Divine Liturgy
11:15 Fellowship Discussion of Faith

Sunday, Dec 18

9:45am Divine Liturgy
11:15 am Fellowship

Sunday, Dec 25

9:45am Divine Liturgy
11:15 Fellowship

Visit our parish website:
www.holyorthodox.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Steph Yuschak is spending spring break in Mexico to help build orphanages. If you would like to help her, there is a letter and a form in the hall.

Be an angel, take an angel.

Our outreach ministry is one again sponsoring an "angel tree" for the children at A Kid's Place, a foster home in Brandon. You will be able to participate in the worthwhile project beginning Sunday 11/27 and ending Sunday 12/18. More information will follow!

Don't forget fellowship is fasting until the feast of the Nativity after today!

Stewardship Teams

Nov 27 Nancy
Dec 4 Linda
Dec 11 Rebecca
Dec 18 Scottie

Readers Schedule

Nov 27 John
Dec 4 Brian
Dec 11 Andrew
Dec 18 Mike

Cushions are now provided for your comfort. If you would like one, please pick up in the back of the church on your way in. Thank you!

Our archdiocese education website, created by Father is:
<http://www.orthodoxchristianed.org/>

If you have email, and don't receive a copy of the bulletin, please let Pani know and we will get you added to the list!

On Saturday, December 17, there will be a Christmas party for Children's Medical Services. It will have Santa, balloons, and games and the USF Sessums Mall. If you would like to help out with this event as a volunteer, please see Scottie Gursky. She is planning on helping with the wonderful Christmas party.

There is a sheet for birthday's in the hall, if you have joined our parish in the last year, please put your birthday (without the year) on the list. Thank you!

If you are planning on being here Dec. 25 and have children, please let Pani know. Thank you!

We have our ministry sign-up sheets and fellowship sign-up sheets on our information table in the hall. Our church cannot continue without you! Current projects you can help with: cleaning the kids room, cleaning out candle boxes after Sunday liturgy, cleaning the hall bathrooms, or an idea you may have. If you can help with any of these projects or have an idea, please see a member of your council (Scottie, Brian, Rebecca, Linda, Nancy, Mark or Mike) and they can point you in the right direction.

Prayer Corner: Please pray for the ailing: Mary, Kathy, Susan, Helen, Neila, Olexander, Anna, John, Carol, Mat. Mary, P.Vera, SD. John, Randee, John, Ryan, Marie, Paul, Mary, Pangratios, Tikon, Vasili, Jeremiah, Dcn. Luke, Maria, John David, Elizabeth, Joshua, Alexander, Nicholas, Rebecca, Genevieve, Panteleimon, Vladimir, Margaret, Sean, David, Sarah, Jonathon, Simon, Gene, Judy, Fr. Michael, Fr. John, Anastasia, Demitrios, Alexandra, Israel, George, Michelle, George, Beth, Alex, George, Joseph, Jaqueline, Michael, Geverylyn, Thomas, Norma, Sally, Sarah, Derek, Susan, Lucy, Beth, Kathy, Phyllis, John, David, Shirley, Kalie, Madeline, Thomas, Patricia, Marie, Archimandrite David, Jake, Tom, Gene, Lisa, Kelly, Beverly, Taylor, Reghyn, Sylvia, Andreas, Josh, Nicole, Joyce, Sandy, Yamileth, Georgina, Kathy, Pam, Tammy, Tatum, Ann, Connor, Dylan, Eli, Shay, Ocean, Lauren

**If you would like someone on the bulletin prayer list just let Pani know.*

Please review the prayer list, if you know of someone who should be taken off, please let Pani know.

Our father among the saints **Clement of Rome** (also called **Clemens Romanus** to distinguish him from Clement of Alexandria) was the third in succession after the Apostle Peter as bishop of Rome. Clement is known mainly for the letter he wrote to the Corinthians in about AD 96. He is counted among the apostolic fathers. His feast day is November 23 in the west, but in the east he is remembered on November 25). Little is known of Clement's life. What is known is from writers who wrote over a hundred years after his death, often inconsistently, and with great variety. These writers include Tertullian, Jerome, Irenaeus, Epiphanius, and Eusebius. His birth date is not known. He may have met Ss Peter and Paul and may have been ordained by St Peter. There are confusing propositions that associate him with the Clement in Paul's letters (Phil. 4:3 (KJV)) and to a consul T. Flavius Clemens associations that now are considered not probable.

Clement is believed to have been named bishop of Rome in about 88 and held the position until about 98, when he died. These dates are also uncertain. Early sources noted that he died a natural death, perhaps in Greece. A tradition dated from the ninth century tells of his martyrdom in Crimea in 102 by drowning when thrown overboard from a boat with a ship's anchor tied to him.

The letter sent in about the year 96 to the Church of Corinth in the name of the Church of Rome has been attributed to Clement. The letter was sent in an attempt to restore peace and unity in the Corinthian church, where apparently a few violent people had revolted against the leadership of the church community.

A second letter to the Corinthians had also been attributed to Clement based upon its inclusion in a Greek manuscript that included Clement's first letter, with the title of "Second Epistle of Clement to the Corinthians." But, when a missing ending to the "letter" was found, it proved to be a homily of unknown authorship.

