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PASTORAL MINISTRY

Call 708.519.0663 to register as a parishioner, initiate instruction in the faith, schedule sacraments, visitations, etc.

YOUR STEWARDSHIP

April 2022

OPERATING

Offerings / Tithes	\$32,980.00
Assessments	\$1865.00
Memorials	\$2150.00
Mission	\$50.00
Candles	\$812.00
Fellowship Hour	\$45.00
Book Store	\$320.00
Pascha Flowers	\$935.00
Pasta Dinner	\$1202.00
Specific Use	\$1150.00

NON OPERATING

Parish Charities \$1385.00

THE BOTTOM LINE \$42,844.00

God Bless you for your
Responsible stewardship!

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CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!



IN MEMORIAM

His Eminence Archbishop PAUL
1953 - 2022

His soul shall dwell with the Blessed

Liturgical Calendar

- **Church open for Quiet Prayer, 11a - 1p on Tue 10 May, Tue 17 May, Tue 24 May.** A priest will be available for confession or counseling.
- **DAY OF REJOICING (RADONITSA)** - The **Divine Liturgy** will be celebrated on **Tue, 03 May at 945a.** We will meet for lunch at **Seven Dwarfs Restaurant** afterward.
- **MIDFEAST OF PENTECOST** - **Great Vespers** will be celebrated on **Tue, 17 May at 730p.** The **Divine Liturgy** will be celebrated on **Wed, 18 May at 945a.** A potluck luncheon will follow.
- **Вознесенская Вечерняя литургия** - **Ср, 01 июня 730p**
- **GREAT FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD** - The **Divine Liturgy** will be celebrated on **Thu, 02 Jun at 945a.** We will meet for lunch at **Seven Dwarfs Restaurant** afterward.

Upcoming Events

BLESSING OF GRAVES - We will **bless graves** at **Wheaton cemetery** on **Sun, 01 May at 12p.** We will gladly **bless graves of family members at other cemeteries** during Pascha season. **Please contact Fr Joe** to schedule a date & time that is mutually convenient.

MOTHERS DAY - We will honor all of our parish mothers on **Sun, 08 May.**

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING - The next **monthly meeting** of our **Parish Council** will be held on **Mon 09 May at 7p.** Everyone is welcome to attend!

ADULT DISCUSSION GROUP - Join us on **Wed, 11 May at 7p** for a presentation on the **Development of Holy Orders.**

PIZZA NIGHT AT GINO'S EAST - Join us for a **night of Pizza and fellowship** at **Gino's East Pizzeria** on **Front St, Thu, 26 May at 630p.** A sign up sheet will be at the candle desk.

Vital Stats

MANY YEARS and congratulations to **Fr John & Wendy Segvich** as they **celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary** on **Tue 24 May.** SEND A CARD: 14670 Sprucecreek Ln, Orland Park, IL 60467

NEW TO ST JOE'S - A **warm welcome** to **Nancy Perejda** of **Tinley Park, IL**

MAY 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Thomas Sunday 945a - Hours, Combined Liturgy, Altar Feast of St Gabriel 12p - Blessing of Graves at Wheaton Cemetery	2	3 Day of Rejoicing 945a - Liturgy, Lunch at Seven Dwarfs Restaurant	4	5	6	7
8 Myrrh Bearing Women 930a - Hours, Liturgy, Fellowship, SS 1130a - литургия, Трапеза	9	10	11	12	13	14
	7p - Parish Council	11a - Quiet Prayer in church	7p - Adult Discussion Group			6p—Great Vespers, Confessions
15 Paralytic 930a - Hours, Liturgy, Fellowship 1130a - литургия, Трапеза	16	17	18 Midfeast of Pentecost 945a - Liturgy, potluck luncheon	19	20	21
		11a - Quiet Prayer in church				6p—Great Vespers, Confessions
		730p - Great Vespers				NO VESPERS TONIGHT
22 Samaritan Woman 930a - Hours, Liturgy, Fellowship 1130a - литургия, Трапеза	23	24	25	26	27	28
		11a - Quiet Prayer in church				6p—Great Vespers, Confessions
				630p - Pizza Night at Gino's East		
29 Blind Man 930a - Hours, Liturgy, Fellowship 1130a - литургия, Трапеза	30 Memorial Day	31	JUNE 01	2 Ascension of Our Lord 945a - Liturgy, Lunch at Seven Dwarfs Restaurant	3	4
		11a - Quiet Prayer in church				6p—Great Vespers, Confessions
			730p - Вознесенская литургия			
5 Pascha - 7 930a - Hours, Combined Liturgy, Fellowship 1130a - литургия, Трапеза	6	7	8	9	10	11
		11a - Quiet Prayer in church				6p—Great Vespers, Confessions

930a FELLOWSHIP HOSTS

MAY

1 - Dawson, Standish, Valentine
 8 - Van Dahm, Welsh, Wilson
 15 - Gallick, Pileggi, Snode, Whalen
 22 - Gazarian, Murad, Rezk
 29 - Brooks, McCauley, Patinos

JUNE

5 - Boschert, J Labun, V Labun
 12 - Bennett, Dorosa, Meier
 19 - All Kopkas, Racevice
 26 - Dugoni, Giuliano, Segvich

930a LITURGY READERS

MAY

1 - H: Mike Oravec, E: Nicholas Segvich
 8 - H: Bill Terrell, E: Dave Dorosa
 15 - H: Alex Dorf, E: Dave Lisko
 22 - H: Diane Oravec, E: Jim Freundt
 29 - H: Al Hagggar, E: Sbdn Jeff Patronik

JUNE

5 - H: Jim Freundt, E: John Pinkowski
 12 - H: Dave Lisko, E: Diane Oravec
 19 - Bob Rammer, E: Sbdn Abe Rihani
 26 - H: Alex Dorf, E: Eric Schwarze

AURORA MISSION SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

MAY

Sun 15 May, 3p Vespers

The Aurora Mission meets at the Bureau Gravity Bldg, 56 S LaSalle St in Aurora, IL

LIVESTREAMER SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS IN MAY

1 - Geo Macropulos
 8 - John Argyrakis
 15 - Geo Macropulos
 22 - Dan Meier
 29 - Brian Welsh