

St. Demetrius Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral



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Epistle Heb. Heb. 1:10–2:3;

Tone 6

Gospel: Mk. 2:1-12

March 12th – 2nd Sunday of the Great Lent

**St. Gregory Palamas the Archbishop of Thessalonica. Synaxis
of all Venerable Fathers of the Kyiv Caves.**

TODAY'S SERVICES:

- Sun. 9:00am Divine Liturgy – 1st Sunday of the Great Lent - St. Gregory Palamas the Archbishop of Thessalonica. Synaxis of all Venerable Fathers of the Kyiv Caves. St. Procopius the Confessor of Decapolis (ca. 750). St. Thalelaeus, hermit of Syria (460). St. Titus the Soldier, monk of the Kyiv Caves (14th c.). St. Titus, presbyter of the Kyiv Caves (1190).
- Sun. 10:30am Coffee Hour – at the Center

SERVICES FOR THE WEEK:

- Tues. 7:30pm Bible Study – Virtual or in Person
- Wed. 6:00pm Presanctified Divine Liturgy
- Fri. 6:00pm Presanctified Divine Liturgy – Sorokousty
- Sun. 8:30am Memorial Service – Demetrius and Sophie Huzar by their daughter Judy
- Sun. 9:00am Divine Liturgy – 3rd Sunday of Lent – Adoration of Cross

Altar Servers: Subdeacon Daniel Mazan, Qorey Carter, Ryan Fealy, Daniel Mazan
Reader: Subdeacon Thomas Bodnar, Qorey Carter, Ryan Fealy

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR: Longin Cerkevich, Nicholas Chichik, David Deli, Peter Meka, Robert Cousins, John Happy Sr., Joan Nardi, Marci Pusillo, Pani Mary Ann, Richard Hycuna, Diane Decibus Morgan, John Pirocato, John Zelenak, Hilda Zuccaro, Thomas Zuccaro, Joseph Nardi, Olga Pirocato, Nancy Grabie, Mary Wrubleski, Margaret York, Ronald York, Ann Holoob, Bruce Wadiak, Patty Tucker, Raymond Wizna, Catherine Ann Bylinski, Kathleen Ward, Olivia Zazworsky, Andrew,

Christopher, Sarah, David, Alexander, Joseph, John, Kirsten, John, David, Joe, and Cathie. & children Timothy, Mary, Oskar, Tessa, Robert, Jacob, and Jonathan, remembering all the sick, the suffering, those in hospitals and nursing homes, and all the men and women in the US Military, especially **Subdeacon Vitaly** and **Subdeacon James**, who serve our country and all of us. Please keep them in your prayers daily, asking God's protection upon them all.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO: Alla Heretz, Christopher Novak, Tracy Stokes, John Decibus II, and Peter Prociuk and all those celebrating birthdays or special intentions, may the Lord grant you all "Many Blessed Years, Mnohaya Lita!"

Adult Bible Study: We are reviewing 1 Kings Chapters 11-15. All are welcome to attend, even if you have never come before.

AKATHIST OF THE MOTHER OF GOD, PANTANASSA: (MAR. 22nd) I ask that you continue to send me the names of your family and friends who are afflicted by cancer so that we can pray for them. – **Rejoice, O Queen of All, heal our sicknesses by your prayers!**

Our Lenten Journey – This week we commemorate the 2nd Sunday of the Great Lent – St. Gregory Palamas. St. Gregory Palamas advocated for constant prayer. Use a prayer rope to remind you to pray and to help you focus. – **Work on being silent this week (don't listen to music, talk less) so you can better focus on God. Every day, as often as you can, pray the Jesus Prayer. "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner."**

Save the Dates: Sunday March 19th and Sunday March 26th we will be having programs at coffee hour. On the 19th, Yelena Shteynberg will be talking about her experiences as a volunteer recently in Poland with Ukrainian refugees. On the 26th, Michelle Chubenko and Kim Deli will once again host a Family History session.

NEEDED: Toys and Shoes. Please bring in gently used toys and comfortable shoes and boots to the church. There is a box in the vestibule to place them in. These items will be sent and given to Ukrainian refugees displaced internally in Ukraine.

THANK YOU: To the following individuals for their donations to the Building Fund in memory of Michael Heretz: Joanne Stek, John & Maria Decibus, and Bob & Olga Cousins

ALL EMERGENCIES: PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CALL FATHER JAMES for any and all emergencies – for hospital, nursing home, or home visitations. PLEASE call his Cell number 732-619-3259, if necessary, please leave a voice message, Father will return your call. THANK YOU.