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## BULLETIN FOR AUGUST 25-SEPTEMBER 7, 2024

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**\*SUN 8/25/2024**      **NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – TONE 8**  
9:00 AM              Divine Liturgy

*Panachida: +Tom Doyle, by David & Donna (Doyle) Sotak*

*Perpetual Commemorations for August 25-31, 2024:*  
*HOUK, Braden & Cameron*

**TUES 8/27/2024**      *Saint of the Day: Venerable Pimen the Great*  
9:00 AM              Parastas  
*++John & +Irene Lutz, by Robert, Kathryn & David*

**WED 8/28/2024**                                      Vespers for the Holyday  
6:00 PM

**THURS 8/29/2024**      **BEHEADING OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST (HOLYDAY)**  
*Strict Fast Day – No Meat or Dairy*  
9:00 AM              Divine Liturgy  
*With Weekly Perpetual Commemorations*

**\*SUN 9/1/2024**                                      **TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – TONE 1**  
9:00 AM              **CHURCH NEW YEAR (THE INDICTION)**  
Divine Liturgy

*Perpetual Commemorations for September 1-7, 2024:*

*DZURINDA, Anthony & Helen*

*BARTKO, Mary & Joseph*

*CHUBA FAM. George Sr, Susan, Anna, John, Mary, Michael, Tom, George,  
Sue, Steve, Andrew, Anne, Nicholas, Ricky, Heather, Steven, Helen*

**TUES 9/3/2024**                                      *Saints of the Day: Hieromartyr Anthimus, St. Phoebe*  
9:00 AM              Divine Liturgy  
*With Weekly Perpetual Commemorations*



SAT 9/7/2024

4:00 PM

Vespers (*Note Time!*)

\*SUN 9/8/2024

9:00 AM

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – TONE 2

NATIVITY OF THE MOTHER OF GOD (HOLYDAY)

Divine Liturgy

*Perpetual Commemorations for September 8-14, 2024:*

DUPAY/DILORETO FAM. Frank, Mary, George, John & Mary, Michael,  
Ann, Andrew, Louie, Margie, Jack, Louie, Helen

KOMISIN, George & Estella, John & Pauline, Harry & Anna VERHOLEK,  
Helen Penich

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## Thoughts on Stewardship

*by Dan Hromyak*

*"If it does not please you to serve the Lord, decide today whom you will serve...as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." - Joshua 24:15*

When we commit to serve the Lord, we become a disciple in the work of the Lord. A disciple is a person who spends time in prayer every day, joyfully participates in charitable works and generously supports their local parish and Church mission. If we say we serve God, our words and actions should reflect the Gospel message to others.

*"Be doers of the word and not hearers only..." - James 1:22*

It's easy to understand the definition of stewardship - living a grateful and generous life. The hard part is doing it! How do your words and actions reflect God's word? Do you share your time in prayer with God daily? Do you use your talent to help those in need without expecting anything in return? Are you generous with your financial resources? If not, what are you waiting for?



### Upcoming Holydays

*Thursday, August 29th* is the day set aside to honor the Beheading of our church's patron saint, Saint John the Baptist. Due to the solemn nature of this day, we are called to keep a STRICT FAST from all meat and dairy products. We will have two services to mark this holyday: Vespers on August 28th at 6:00 PM and Divine Liturgy on August 29th at 9:00 AM.

*The Church New Year—September 1st*—falls on a Sunday this year. One week later, on September 8th, we also celebrate another important holyday: *the Nativity of the Mother of God*. In addition to Sunday Liturgy, there will also be a Vespers service on Saturday, September 7th at 4:00 PM.

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

#### OUR UPCOMING FUNDRAISERS

October Pirohi Sale: Friday, October 4

November Pirohi Sale: Friday, November 1

Chinese Auction: Sunday, November 24

Christmas Market: Saturday, December 14

*The Red Cross is grateful for the use of our hall for their blood drive on August 1. 22 individuals donated blood that day! We also thank Chad and Laura Fette for volunteering.*

### Orthodox Prison Ministry Donation Update

On Sundays July 28 and August 4, we collected \$429 for Orthodox Christian Prison Ministry. This collection was matched by \$571 from our Tithe Fund, with an additional \$500 added from the Dr. Henry Van Zanten Memorial Fund. We sent a total of **\$1500** to support Orthodox Christian Prison Ministry. Glory to God! Thank you for your support!

## ***Happy Birthday!***

Edward Chuba	August 28
Steve Saluga	August 29
Edward Fabian	August 31
Andy Lutz	September 1
Edward Kraynok	September 2
Cindy Saluga	September 3
Aaron VanZanten	September 3
Thomas Hellmann	September 4
Emma Kate Ristvey	September 4
L. John Lenhart	September 5
Donald Yasnowsky	September 7

## ***Happy Anniversary!***

Waryanka, Michael & Debora	September 2
Fabian, Matthew & Dina	September 3
Moon, John & Deborah	September 5
Figiel, Ronald & Kelly	September 6
Mastroberte, Fr. David & Pani Vikkie	September 6

*"God Grant You Many,  
Blessed Years!"*

## ■ **Our Sponsors** ■

***Eternal Lamp for the Week of August 25, 2024***  
*For Our College Students*

***Coffee Hour Sponsor on August 25, 2024***  
*Margie Hromyak*

***Eternal Lamp for the Week of September 1, 2024***  
*In Memory of Katherine O. Varsho,*  
*By Katherine and Gary Yonchak*

### ***Schedule of Men to Hold Candles During the Gospel***

**August 25**  
Ed Fabian  
Matt Fabian  
Chad Fette  
Jim Hynes  
Steven Lukac

**September 1**  
Steve Lukac  
John Lenhart  
Ken Maceyko  
Emil Maurer  
Randy Martin

**September 8**  
Paul McMahan  
Robert Miller  
John Moon  
Dan Ristvey  
Joel Ristvey