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Sunday Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m. – Weekdays Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

General Confession 1st Sunday of month

Private Confession every Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. or upon request

December 11, 2022

Epistle Cor 3:4-11

Gospel Luke 14: 16-24

COFFEE HOUR: There is Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Come and join in Christian fellowship.

FOR THE HEALTH: Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Gloria Wheeler, Doris Sprague, Judy Wadysz, Anna Hagopian, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Michael Gaujanian, Marion Kurtyka, Sonia Kurtyka, Alice Caddy, William Harvey, Nancy Hawkins, Bradley Webster, Jestin Spears, Matthew Kerrigan, Roger Wodkowski, Daniel Moran, JoAnne Nicholas, Joanne Kowalenok, Fr. Timothy, Russell Masura. Marge Wade, Nancy Hay, Mary Varchola, Zlatko Petrovich and Pam Resetar.

OPERATION: *Pam Resetar* is recovering at home after her recent knee operation on Monday, November 28th at Beaumont Hospital. Please pray for her improved health.

NATIVITY FAST: Advent started on Tuesday, November 15th and runs through Saturday, December 24th (Christmas Eve). Please fast and pray as much as you are able, adhering to the church's teachings. Enjoy fasting and praying to God.

UPCOMING CHARITY COLLECTIONS:

November to Mid December: non-perishable food items and toys to be donated to Redford Goodfellows organization "No Child without a Christmas in Redford".

A box is available in the vestibule for you to place your donations of canned goods, boxes of pasta, or any other non-perishable food items. Please be generous with your donation to help the needy. **Please make sure that donations are within the expiration date on items.** Other items that are needed include: toilet paper, laundry soap, fabric softener, disinfectant cleaning products, toothpaste, tooth brushes, tissues, feminine products, shave cream, shampoo and children's socks or underwear. **A box is also available for toys for Redford Goodfellows organization.**

MITTEN TREE: DECEMBER 1ST TO 31ST (hats, gloves, scarves, socks) to be donated to DMC HOSPITAL OF MICHIGAN.

COOKIE WALK – We thank everyone who participated in the Cookie Walk yesterday. We could not have done it without your support. It was a huge success. We do have a few cookies left to sell at the coffee hour today. A full report is upcoming.

DONATIONS: Please note, if you do not want your donations for special intentions published in the bulletin or newsletter mark your envelope **"Do not publish"** or mark it "anonymous".

ENVELOPES FOR 2023: It's that time of year again. If you have any changes in your request for offering envelopes, please contact Dr. Nancy ASAP, or if you have a box and no longer want one for 2023, please inform. Those with no changes, sit tight. The envelopes will be available toward the end of December 2022 on the pew located on the north side of the church. **THANK YOU** for your contributions and continued support of St. Michael's Church.

PARASTAS: PLEASE NOTE: There will not be a Parastas this December because of the Christmas Yolka and the Nativity of Christ is on a Sunday this year. We will have Parastas starting again in January 2023.

CHRISTMAS NEWSLETTER: was mailed on Friday, December 2nd. Parishioners have begun receiving their newsletter. If you do not receive yours in the next week or so see Fr. Tomothy.

CORRECTION to the Christmas newsletter -- Divine Liturgy on Sunday, January 1st 2023 is at 9:30 AM, not 10 AM.