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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

February 2, 2025

Epistle: Heb 7:7-17

Gospel: Luke 2:22-40

COFFEE HOUR: There is a Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Come and enjoy Christian fellowship.

THE HEALTH: Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Gloria Wheeler, Judy Wadysz, Anna Hagopian, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Michael Gaujanian, Marion Kurtyka, Sonia Kurtyka, Bradley Webster, Roger Wodkowski, Daniel Moran, Marge Wade, Mary Varchola, Zlatko Petrovich, Ronald Miller, Tamara Perri, Wyatt Alexander Jankowski, Jim Fisher, Eileen Fremont, Pat Dominick and MaryAnn Harvilla.

PARASTAS: A Parastas was served today before Divine Liturgy at 9:00 a.m. by Fr. Timothy for the repose soul of: her mother, *Mari,a* offered by Tatiana Ivonina

HOPITALIZED: *Sophie Miller* was admitted to the hospital on Thursday, January 30th after falling at home. She broke her hip and wrist. She was operated on Friday, January 31st at St. Mary's Hospital, Livonia. Please pray for a successful operation and speedy recovery.

ANNUAL MEETING: The Annual Meeting will be held next Sunday, February 9, 2025.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR ANNUAL MEETING – If you would like to run for office on the church council, please call Patric Hermes or Fr. Timothy (Patric Hermes at home or Fr. Timothy at 313-937-2120) or see them in church. To be eligible to hold office on the church council, you must be an Orthodox Christian, a dues-paying member, and a communicant of the church. All officer positions on the church council and one trustee position will be voted on at the annual meeting on **Sunday, February 9, 2025**. There will be a sign-up sheet for offices available, at the candle stand. If you are interested in serving St. Michael's as a Trustee on the Council, please sign up or see Pat Hermes or Father Timothy.

DUES! - A REMINDER, dues for the year 2024 are due. If anyone has not paid their dues in full, please do so before the Annual Meeting on Sunday, February 9, 2025. Dr. Nancy needs to calculate a quorum for the annual meeting, which is based on the percentage of dues-paying members. Therefore, it is important and helpful to pay your dues and SUPPORT YOUR CHURCH NOW -- if you haven't done so. This also allows you to vote at the Annual Meeting. YOU MAY ALSO START PAYING YOUR DUES FOR THE NEW YEAR of 2025.

REMINDER: May we remind you that in order to register for quorum and be able to vote, you must have your dues for the year 2024 paid and be a communicant of the church.

SOUPER BOWL: Participate in the Saint Michael's Charity SOUPER BOWL over the next few Sundays as we experience the football playoffs. Donation boxes will be in the vestibule allowing you to "vote" for your favorite team with a non-perishable food item that will be donated to CARES of Farmington Hills. CARES top needs are cereal (any type), dinner sides, canned soup, canned meals, canned meat and peanut butter. There are two boxes in the vestibule -- one for NFC Conference -- *Philadelphia Eagles vs* and one for the AFC Conference - *Kansas City Chiefs*. Put your donations in either one!

ST. MICHAEL'S BOOK CLUB: The next book club meeting will be held on Sunday, March 2, 2025, during coffee hour and will be held in the library. The book to be discussed is the classic novel The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald. All are welcomed!

CHURCH DONATION:

William Saxby (special thanks to Randal Antonishak, Fr Tim and the Teleps,
and in memory of Anna Saxby)

\$50.00

THANK FOR YOUR DONATION!