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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

March 17 , 2019

Epistle: Heb 11:24-26, 32-12:2

Gospel: John 1:43-51

COFFEE HOUR: There is a Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Everyone is invited to come, enjoy Christian fellowship.

PRAYERS FOR THE HEALTH: Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Pat Federonko, Gloria Wheeler, Doris Sprague, Gregory Harvilla, Ann Telep, Judy Wadysz, Barbara Sapick, Paul Sapick, Mary Lusko, Barbara Lamendola, Kenneth Chambers, Mildred Cislo, John Vasilco, Anna Hagopian, Tamara Perri, George Krett, Sister Mary Hickey, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Thomas Cherup, Michael Gaujanian, Russell Masura, and Robert Joseph Harvey.

DECEASED: *Mary Glover*, 93, (Donna Marie Harvilla's mother) fell asleep in the Lord on Thursday, March 14th at home. Mary was a member of St. Innocent Orthodox Church, Redford. Please pray for Mary's soul and for Donna Marie and family. Memory Eternal!

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR MARY GLOVER:

Tuesday, March 19th – St. Innocent Orthodox Church, West Chicago Rd., Redford

Church Visitation – 10 a.m. – 11 a.m. for family & friends

Funeral Service - 11: a.m. – 1 p.m.

1:30 p.m. Procession to Cadillac Memorial

Gardens Cemetery, 34224 Ford Rd., Westland

HOSPITALIZED: *Robert Joseph Harvey*, 49, (Bill Harvey's son) has been hospitalized in Grand Rapids with a massive heart attack. He is recovering from surgery. Please pray for his improved health.

HOSPITALIZED AND HOME: *Russell Masura* is recovering from a shoulder operation he had on Wednesday, February 27th. THANKS: He wishes to thank everyone for their cards, phone calls, facebook comments, thoughts and prayers during his surgical setback. It was very uplifting.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK:

Wednesday, March 20th - Confession and Absolution

Presanctified Gifts Liturgy

Agape meal to follow in our church cultural center

5:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

Friday, March 22nd – Akathist to our Virgin Mary

Saturday, March 23rd - Souls Saturday Divine Liturgy

7:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m.

PROCESSION WITH ICONS: TODAY SUNDAY, MARCH 17th, is ORTHODOXY SUNDAY. Following Divine Liturgy, we will again have a short service with the Procession of Icons with the Sunday School Children. Each child will carry an Icon in the procession symbolizing the returning of the Icons into the church in 843 a.d.

SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY - TODAY SUNDAY, MARCH 17TH - TRIUMPH OF ORTHODOXY- Orthodox Sunday Mission Vespers will be held at St. Lazarus Serbian Orthodox Church, 4575 E. Outer Drive, Detroit. All Mission Services will begin at 6:00 p.m. Fr. Timothy asks that parents consider taking their children to this very important service with the Procession of Icons by many priests. It has become a local tradition, children and college students from area parishes are encouraged to bring an icon and be part of the Procession of Icons that highlights the Sunday of Orthodoxy service.

CHURCH CLEANING: We are looking for volunteers to help clean the church during the end of Great Lent, probably before April 14th, the 5th Sunday of Lent and the Communion Breakfast. We want the church to be clean and sparkling. All are welcome to come and clean. You don't have to be a member of the Myrrhbearing Sisterhood or on the Church Council. Come and clean the church for the LORD! The more that come, the faster we can finish! Please see Fr. Timothy or Matushka Sherry if you can come clean. We will set a time and date for all to come. Thank You.

FLOWERS FOR THE HOLY PRECIOUS CROSS: Anyone who would like to donate towards flowers to beautify the *Holy Precious Cross* for **SUNDAY, MARCH 31st**, please fill out an envelope found in the pews and mark it: **Flowers for the Cross! Thank You.**

COMMUNION BREAKFAST – 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT – APRIL 14TH. Once again we will have our Annual Communion Breakfast, which will celebrate some of our Sunday School children's first confessions. As in the past, I'm sure we will have a great turnout to support our Sunday School teachers, our children, and their families. Please mark this date on your calendar.