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Glory to Jesus Christ!

Slava Isusu Christu!

Glory Forever!

Slava na V'iki!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER 17, 2024

Sun., Nov. 17 ***26TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***

9:00 AM - H&GB for all our Shut-ins, by Sharon Siwik

Thu., Nov. 21 ***ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS***

7:00 PM - Randy Weyant, by his wife, Julie

Sun., Nov. 24 ***26TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***

9:00 AM - Thanksgiving for God's Graces, by Sharon Siwik

Sunday Propers: Resurrectional Tone 1, pp. 125-127

Readings for Next Sunday: Eph. 6:10-17 (pg. 164), Luke 13:10-17 (pg. 65)

Vigil Lamp: The vigil lamp is burning during November for +Michael Salanovich, by his Wife, Frances.

News & Happenings

Giving November 10, 2024

Sunday Offertory:	\$1,867.78
Energy:	\$10.00
Special Donation:	\$350.00
E.C.L.:	\$45.00
Total:	\$2,272.78

Filipovka: Our Advent Season began Friday, November 15th and will go for 40 days, until the Feast of the Nativity. This is a penitential season, and we should be fasting, praying, and giving alms. Wednesdays and Fridays should be days of abstinence, whether from meat or other foods. Also, Christmas Eve is a day of strict fast for our Church. Note that you don't have to worry about fasting at Thanksgiving but remember to give thanks to God and pray for others. In the two weeks leading up to the Feast, we will pray the Christmas Moleben on Wednesday evening. God bless us all as we journey together with the Magi and the Shepherds to the Cave at Bethlehem!

Study on the Incarnation of Christ for Saint Philip's Fast. To prepare ourselves for the Feast of the Nativity of our Lord, we will be discussing St. Athanasius' classic book, *On the Incarnation*, beginning today, after the Divine Liturgy in the Sanctuary. I think it is important during this season to understand why God became flesh for our salvation. Although the book has nine chapters, I hope we can fit it into the time of the fast. If anyone is still interested in this study, please let me know as soon as possible so that I may have enough books for everyone. I look forward to sharing this study with you and hope you can attend!