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BULLETIN OF DECEMBER 9, 2012

SUNDAY/DECEMBER 9

27th Sunday After Pentecost (Tone 2)

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy
Coffee Hour; Church School & Teen Class

MONDAY/DECEMBER 10

9:30a.m. Memorial Service for Ann Kralovich

TUESDAY/DECEMBER 11

7:00p.m. Compline with Akathist to
St. Spyridon (Dec. 12) and anointing
with oil from his tomb

WEDNESDAY/DECEMBER 12

7:00p.m. Vespers

THURSDAY/DECEMBER 13

St. Herman of Alaska (+1837)

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy

SATURDAY/DECEMBER 15

9:30a.m. Akathist; Confessions
5:30p.m. Vigil; Confessions

SUNDAY/DECEMBER 16

Holy Forefathers (Tone 3)

9:10a.m. Hours; 9:30a.m. Divine Liturgy
11:30a.m. Christmas Cookie Walk

There is one
body and one
Spirit, just as
you were
called to the
one hope that
belongs to
your call, one
Lord, one faith,
one baptism,
one God and
Father of us
all, who is
above all and
through all
and in all."

Eph. 4.4-6



Nativity 40 Day Lent: November 15 – December 24

A Fast is observed from meat, dairy, fish, wine and oil.

Sun. Dec. 09 (fish, wine & oil)	Thurs. Dec. 13 (fish, wine & oil)
Mon. Dec. 10	Fri. Dec. 14
Tues. Dec. 11 (wine & oil)	Sat. Dec. 15 (fish, wine & oil)
Wed Dec. 12	Sun. Dec. 16 (fish, wine & oil)

Offerings Week of December 9

Olive Oil – in memory of Michael, Justina, Rosalie, Anna and Pavel; in memory of Sandy and Joan; in memory of Vaschen and Emilia; in memory of William.

Wine – for the health of Mark (birthday); in thanksgiving for a safe trip, visitation and protection.

Parish Synodicon – Memory Eternal!

Jan. 05, 2013 John Kachek (40th Day)
Dec. 10, 1946 David Gerasemchuk
Dec. 10, 1956 Anthony Pawlik
Dec. 10, 1988 Michael Sofko
Dec. 10, 2004 Ann Kralovich
Dec. 11, 1961 Paul Romanovich
Dec. 12, 1976 Christina Swidonovich
Dec. 14, 1978 Pauline Jackowlew
Dec. 16, 1933 Vladimir Shultz
Dec. 16, 1993 Ann Warin
Dec. 16, 1980 Joseph Pituck

Coffee Hour Hosting _ Fasting

Dec. 09 Combs, Mantzafos, Parsells & Sokol
Dec. 16 Hunchar, Erkman & Turri
Dec. 23 Sarchisian and Dunaenko

Ushers Schedule

Dec. 09 - T. Gorbatuk and J. Stone
Dec. 16 - P. Parsells and C. Dunaenko
Dec. 23 - E. Sarchisian and L. Khuzaurashvili

Incense Fragrances In Usage

Week of Dec. 09 "Mirmosa"
Week of Dec. 16 "Violet"
Week of Dec. 23 "Constantinople"

Names day Greetings: Many Years!

2nd Sun. Before Nativity/ Old Testament Saints:
St. Sarah/ Sarah Oliver and Sarah Fedechko
St. Rebecca/ Rebecca Oliver
St. Rachael/ Rachael Oliver

The Mysteries of Confession & Communion Are Central to the Nativity Fast/Feast

In this period of the 40 days of Lent (Nov. 15th thru Dec. 24th), we should avail ourselves of the Sacraments of Confession and Communion. This is the final fruit of our prayer, fasting and

almsgiving. **If you are a regular communicant and have not been to Confession in the month of November or December, you must do so before the Nativity Feast (Dec. 25th). This includes children of Confession age.**

The Parish calendar – January thru June Of 2013 May be Viewed On-Line

See schedule of services: www.ssppoc.org

Annual Christmas Cookie Walk

Will be held on Sunday, December 16th at 11:30a.m. Bakers are sought. A sign-up sheet is on the vestibule stand. Questions? Please speak with Jill Peterson (908-541-9586).

Christmas Performance – Sunday, January 13, 2013

A presentation by our children is in the works. Help is needed. If you can be of assistance, please let us know using the sign-up sheet on the vestibule stand.

Coffee Hour Hosting Schedule

Is currently being prepared for 2013. Please speak with Jill Peterson for any need changes. If you are not already part of a hosting team and wish to be, again, speak with Jill. Thanks to all!

Visitation of Shut-Ins

Those that are home bound and wish the Holy Mysteries and/or prayers by the priest, are asked to make arrangements for such a visit of Father James to your home between Dec. 7th and Dec. 21st.

St. Tikhon's Seminary Family – Gifted for St. Nicholas Day

Appreciation is extended to all for their gifts – 14 specifics, \$175 in cash and \$140 in gift certificates. The Lord bless your offerings.

NY-NJ Diocesan Assembly – December 11

Our parish will be represented by Fr. James and Reader Symeon Combs. Theodora Combs will attend as an observer.