

# St. Demetrius Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral



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Col. Heb. 11:9-10, 17-23, 32-40

Tone 5

Gospel: Mt. 1:1-25

**December 31<sup>st</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

**before Nativity, of the Holy Fathers**

## **TODAY'S SERVICES:**

Sun. 9:00am Divine Liturgy – 29th Sunday after Pentecost Martyr Sebastian at Rome and his companions (287). St. Modestus, archbishop of Jerusalem (4th c.). Ven. Florus, bishop of Amisus (7th c.). Ven. Michael the Confessor at Constantinople (845).

## **SERVICES FOR THE WEEK:**

Tues. 7:30pm Bible Study – Remote or in person at the rectory  
Sat. 9:00pm CHRISTMAS EVE COMPLINES  
Sun. 9:00am Divine Liturgy – THE NATIVITY ACCORDING TO THE FLESH OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST  
Mon. 9:00am Divine Liturgy – Synaxis of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Altar Servers:** Subdeacon Daniel Mazan, Qorey Carter, Ryan Fealy, Daniel Mazan, Bryce Buitrago

**Readers:** Subdeacon Thomas Bodnar, Subdeacon Daniel Mazan, Qorey Carter, Ryan Fealy

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:** Leigh Buitrago, Nicholas Chichik, David Deli, Peter Meka, Robert Cousins, Joan Nardi, Marci Pusillo, Richard Hycuna, Diane (Decibus) Morgan, Charlie Morgan, John Pirocato, John Zelenak, Thomas Zuccaro, Joseph Nardi, Olga Pirocato, Nancy Grabie, Margaret York, Ronald York, Bruce Wadiak, Patty Tucker, Raymond Wizna, Catherine Ann Bylinski, Kathleen Ward, Olivia Zazworsky, Andrew, Christopher, Sarah, David, Alexander, Joseph, John, Kirsten, John, David, Michael, Jerry and William. & children Timothy, Mary, Oskar, Tessa, Robert, Jacob, and Jonathan, remembering all the sick, the suffering, those in hospitals and nursing homes, and all the men and women in the US Military, especially **Subdeacon**

**Vitaly and Subdeacon James**, who serve our country and all of us. Please keep them in your prayers daily, asking God's protection upon them all.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** Please join us as we review Ezra Chapters 6-10.

**CHURCH ENVELOPES** - Envelopes for 2024 are in the church basement and may be picked up after Divine Liturgy. Please consider using the first envelope, "Donation Toward Printing Costs", to help offset the cost to the church of having the envelopes printed. **Please do not use the envelopes until next week. If you have friends or family that have not picked up their envelopes, please consider bringing the envelopes to them to save the church on mailing costs.**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:** Father Richard Jendras, Ray Wizna and Sarah Rowland and all those celebrating birthdays or special intentions, may the Lord grant you all "Many Blessed Years, Mnohaya Lita!"

**THANK YOU** – To **Debbie and Marty Yavelak-Sieff** for their generous donation to the building fund in memory of Esther Yavelak.

**THANK YOU** – To **JD Balazs** for his donation to the building fund in memory of Mary Wrublewski.

**Church Calendars:** The calendars for 2024 are located in the vestibule of the church. They will be available on a first come basis until they are gone. Please make sure you pick yours up before they are all gone.

## **Services for Christmas**

Sat. 1/6	9:00pm	CHRISTMAS EVE COMPLINES
Sun. 1/7	9:00am	CHRISTMAS LITURGY- The Holy Nativity of our LORD GOD and SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST: <b><u>"CHRIST IS BORN – GLORIFY HIM!"</u></b>
Mon. 1/8	9:00am	Divine Liturgy – Synaxis of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**ALL EMERGENCIES:** PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CALL FATHER JAMES for any and all emergencies – for hospital, nursing home, or home visitations. PLEASE call his Cell number 732-619-3259, if necessary, please leave a voice message, Father will return your call. THANK YOU.