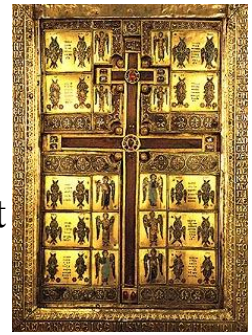




St. Olympia Orthodox Church



August 1, 2021 - Procession of the Honorable Wood of the Life-Giving Cross of the Lord (First of the three “Feasts of the Savior” in August)

For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. - 1 Corinthians 1:18

Upcoming Services

- Sat. July 31 - Great Vespers 5PM
- Sun. August 1 - Diving Liturgy 9:30AM (9:10 Hours)
- Thurs. August 5 - Vigil 5PM at the Hermitage
- Sat. August 7 - Great Vespers 5PM
- Sun. August 8 - Diving Liturgy 9:30AM (9:10 Hours) [blessing of fruit at the end of liturgy]

Mark Your Calendars

August 14 - Vigil for Dormition

August 15 - Feast of Dormition

Zapifka

After we partake of Holy Communion, ideally, the next thing we eat and drink should not be a muffin and coffee, but a step down from the Body and Blood of Christ. This is the reason that we have “bread and wine” after partaking of the Eucharist.

Pipe Organ Sale/Donation

It occurred to us that we might as well make the [link](#) to the organ available to anyone who might have a connection to someone who could use it.

Confessions

Saturday after Vespers, Sunday before Liturgy, or by appointment

House Blessings

Contact Father Paul if you would like to schedule a house blessing.

Local Food Pantry Collection

We are continually collecting non-perishable food items for the Norwood, Norfolk, Raymondville Food Pantry that runs out of our downstairs.

St. Basil’s House for the Needy

We are also collecting non-perishable food as well as clothing for our diocesan house for the needy which is located in Trenton, NJ. You donate it - we will figure out how to get it there.

Building Projects

One bathroom is getting overhauled for better access. A new handrailing out front would be really helpful - any ideas or volunteers?

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Mental Health Needs Assessment Survey - Before September

The Assembly of Bishops needs your input! The [Mental Health Needs Assessment Survey](#), designed by experts on the Mental Health Task Force, takes only 15 minutes and consists of approximately 30 questions. Please also be aware that there is a [Directory of Orthodox Mental Health Professionals](#) available to all well.

St. Andrew's Camp Bicycle Ride

Saturday, August 28th, 2021. After the Ride, everyone is treated to a FABULOUS post-ride barbecue! Please see the Saint Andrews Camp [website](#) for additional information. If you have any questions please contact this year's ride coordinator Brenda Geloff at 315-552-4191.

Prayer List

Departed:

Phil

Anna

Marina

Trent

Penny

Emmanuela

Trish

Living:

Mary

Maureen

Mitred Archpriest Sergei

Betty

Nun Sophronia and the
Hermitage of St. Olympia

Matushka Gerry

Kathleen

Reader Basil

James

Craig

Michael

Byron

Helen

Carolyn

Ellie

Andrew

Ariel

Irene

The Chaplains at Fort Drum

Jason

Kathy

The Faithful of Holy

Persephone

Nina

Apostles Mission

Anna

Galina

The Faithful of St. Innocent
of Alaska Mission

Vincent

Anastasii

The Faithful of St. Simon of

Newly Illumined Naomi

Anastasia

Cyrene Mission

Maddie

Andrei

Thomas

Andre

Lorraine

Timothy

Stacey

Matushka Dunia

Brian

Nun Michaela

Ioannis

Judy

Infant Daniel

Archimandrite Joseph

Josephine

Joel

Tatiana

Marion

Tara

Elaine

Carmen

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