



Holy Annunciation Orthodox Church

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Rev. Michael Demko, Rector

January 5, 2020

29th Sunday after Pentecost/Sunday before the Theophany Eve of the Theophany

Kontakion tone 2 (Forefeast)

O Christ, in Thy compassion and infinite mercy,
Thou art coming as a man to be baptized in the Jordan,
in order to take away the many transgressions of us all,
clothing me in the garment of ancient glory
of which I was cruelly stripped bare.

BIRTHDAYS: Gianna Popko-January 8
Natilia Demko-January 8

Remember in your Prayers: Bishop Herman, Priest
Emilian, Priest John, Priest Nicholas, Priest James,
Priest John, Kathryn, Lorraine, Jennifer, Rose, Effie,
Christina, John, Christine, Ivy Elizabeth, Yvette, John,
Tyler, David, Marie, Jenny, Paul, Paul, Annie, Erin,
Clare, Dianne, Joe, Bryce, Luke, Melanie, Amailia,
Stavro, Thomas, Ethan, Emmitt, Mary, Jack, James,
Alaina, Kyle, William, Ron, Elizabeth, Christina, Missy,
Bob, Carol, Linda, Korey, Cathy, Maggie, Tom, Mike,
Artem, Antonina, Elaine, Cali, Mariah, James, John,
Barbara, Tom, George, David, Charlie, Joseph, Heather,
Jean, Nicole, Ally, Reagan, Tara, Sam, Ray, Bill,
Hannah, Edward, Rick, Roy, Mary, Michael, Taylor,
Pamela, Jillian, Jean, Jesse, Kurt, Nancy, Theodore,
John, Finley, Michael, Paula, Nathan, Noah, Nikki Ann,
Matthew, Diane, Sarah, Martin, Iva, Stephen, Rory,
Paul, Gloria, Justina, Jean, Keegan, Jimmy, Michael,
Ann

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Sunday January 5- Church School 8:25 Divine Liturgy
9:30 am followed by fellowship Holy Theophany
Vespers with the Great Blessing of Water 1:00 pm

Great Compline & Litiya (Theophany) 6:30 pm

Monday January 6-Theophany Divine Liturgy 9:30
am

Saturday January 11-Vespers & Confession 6pm

Sunday January 12- Church School 8:25 Divine
Liturgy 9:30 am followed by fellowship and Great
Blessing of Water at Berwick Test Track.

Fr. Michael will be doing house blessings the next
several weeks. He will like to visit everyone in the
parish. Please call to set up a time.

Collection for December 29

Candles-\$25.00; End of Month-\$230.00; Loose Money-
\$113.00; Weekly Envelopes-\$1,590.00; Pierogie Sale-
\$42.00; Emergency Funds-\$200.00; Carolers-\$325;
Total-\$2,525.00

Prepare, O River Jordan!

**Behold, Christ is coming to be baptized by John in
thee! Rejoice, O barren wilderness!**

Dance in gladness, ye hills and mountains!

Eternal Life is coming to reclaim Adam.

**O Forerunner, call out with the voice of one who
cries:// "Prepare the ways of the Lord! Make straight
His paths!"**