



Holy Annunciation Orthodox Church

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Rev. Michael Demko, Rector

November 1, 2020

21st Sunday after Pentecost (6th of Luke)
Holy Wonderworkers and Unmercenaries Cosmas and Damian
Kontakion tone 2 (Unmercenaries)

Having received the grace of healing,
you grant healing to those in need.
Glorious wonder-workers and healers, Cosmas and
Damian, visit us and put down the insolence of our
enemies,//and bring healing to the world through
your miracles!

Birthdays: Kiriana Demko-November 1
Heather Hottenstein-November 2
John Buckeye-November 5

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, 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, Paula, Nathan, Noah, Nikki
Ann, Matthew, Diane, Sarah, Martin, Iva, Stephen,
Rory, Paul, Gloria, Justina, Jean, Keegan, Jimmy,
Michael, Ann, Michael

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Sunday November 1-No Church School. Divine
Liturgy followed by fellowship 9:30 am

Thursday November 5-Cat/Adult Ed 6:30 pm in
the Church hall and on zoom

Saturday November 7-Vespers 6pm

Sunday November 8-Church School 8:30 am
Divine Liturgy followed by fellowship 9:30 am

Collection for October 25

Candles-\$68.00; End of Month-\$120.00; Weekly
Envelopes-\$780.00; Total-\$968.00

Saint Paul challenges us to “train ourselves in godliness.” What does that mean? He goes on to explain how we are to struggle to open up ourselves to the Spirit of God, to understand His ways and then to live out godly lives “in speech and conduct, in love, in faith, in purity.” Today, can we be very conscious to glorify God with our speech and conduct? Can we express our love for others in concrete actions? Can we nourish our faith today by taking time to read and meditate on something that will build up, teach, and inspire us in our walk with Christ? And can we strive to purify our hearts and minds from all that is not of God? Just as an athlete must put in much time, effort and discipline to compete, how much more ascetic struggle and spiritual effort must we strive for as we open our hearts to God, allowing His Spirit to dwell and move within us. Fr. Luke Veronis