

Assumption of the Virgin Mary Russian Orthodox Cathedral

2101 Livernois Street
Ferndale, Michigan 48220

SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES – JANUARY 2020

All Vigils begin at 6PM
Hours 9:40AM; Liturgy – 10AM

- Sat., Jan. 4: 6PM – Vigil
Sun., Jan. 5: **29th Sunday after Pentecost, Tone 4**
- Mon., Jan. 6: **6PM - Eve of the Nativity of Christ (Strict Fast—wine and oil allowed, but no fish)**
Great Complines with Litiya and Matins for the Nativity
NOTE: Lenten meal will be served after the service
- Tues., Jan. 7: **NATIVITY OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST (fast ends today)**
NOTE: Christmas dinner following the Liturgy
- Sat., Jan. 11: 6PM – Vigil
Sun., Jan. 12: **30th Sunday after Pentecost, Tone 5**
NOTE: The Annual Parish Meeting will take place today after Liturgy.
- Mon., Jan. 13: 6PM – Vigil – **Eve of Circumcision of Our Lord**
Tues., Jan. 14: **CIRCUMCISION OF OUR LORD**
- Sat., Jan. 18: 6PM – **Eve of Theophany (strict fast – wine and oil allowed but no fish)**
Great Complines with Litiya and Matins
- Sun., Jan. 19: **31st Sunday after Pentecost, THEOPHANY, BAPTISM OF THE LORD (no fast today -- Blessing of Water), Tone 6**
NOTE: Fr. Viktor will begin blessing homes. Please contact him to schedule a date/time.
- Sat., Jan. 25: 6PM – Vigil
Sun., Jan. 26: **32nd Sunday after Pentecost, Tone 7**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHRISTMAS EVE AND CHRISTMAS DAY MEALS: Following the Vigil on Christmas Eve, a Lenten meal will be served. And on Christmas Day there will be a tasty dinner after the Liturgy. Please join with friends and family and also help support our church.

CHURCH CLEANUP -- Please see either Irina Petrova (or call her at 248/250-3182) or Valentina Drozdova (or call her at 248/890-3367), to find out when either of them will be cleaning the church prior to Christmas. Both of these ladies need – and deserve – more help than they've been getting. They're not necessarily cleaning on the same day, so pitch in and give each of them a hand to make the work go faster. Thank you.

ANNUAL 2019 PARISH MEETING – will take place on **Sunday, January 12, 2020**. If you want to vote on issues that may arise at the meeting, your 2019 parish dues **MUST** be paid!

COFFEE HOUR/CHASKA CHAI: Please join us after Liturgy for a light luncheon. Support your church while you enjoy visiting with friends.

PRAYERS FOR THE ILL: Please remember in your prayers the following parishioners who are ill: Helen Carroll, Norman Gregor, Claudia Ostash, Maria Ovchinnikoff, Nina Seizew and Elena Solowjow.

2020 ANNUAL PARISH DUES: Dues for a single person are \$120; for a family \$180. **To retain your membership in this parish, please be sure to pay your dues this year.** Don't wait until just before the annual meeting. You can pay a smaller amount each month if you can't do the entire amount. Those wishing to join the parish should also see the treasurer, Mike Pastukhov, re payment of dues.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2019

Andrei Arton	\$300	Valery Rudnev	\$300	Elena Bankowski	\$ 40
M/M Alex Seizew	100	M/M Joseph Tyrrell	570	Peter Szyszkowski	35
M/M James Brand	20	Anonymous	100	M/M Augustin Arnion	20
Nancy Nikitenko	50	M/M V. Holowka	30	Fr. Deacon Feloniuk	50

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

M/M Larry Keller – repairs on church \$ 150

KITCHEN - \$1,573

BUILDING FUND –

\$ 434
M/M Joseph Terrell \$ 60

Thank you very much for your contributions. They are greatly appreciated!

Starosta: Alexander Miasnikov
Assistant Starosta: Norman Gregor

Pastor: Very Rev. Viktor Trotskyy
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