

# **Assumption of the Virgin Mary Russian Orthodox Cathedral**

2101 Livernois Street  
Ferndale, Michigan 48220

## **SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES – JUNE 2022**

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

- Wed., June 1:** 6PM – Vigil – Eve of Ascension of Our Lord  
**Thurs., June 2:** **ASCENSION OF OUR LORD**
- Sat., June 4:** 6PM – Vigil  
**Sun., June 5:** **7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Pascha, Holy Fathers of the First Ecumenical Council, Tone 6**
- Sat., June 11:** **Eve of Pentecost; Memorial/Soul Saturday**  
6PM – Vigil followed by General Panihida for all departed ORTHODOX Christians  
**Sun., June 12:** **PENTECOST, HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY, Tone 7**  
**NOTE: The Kneeling Prayers will take place immediately following the Liturgy**
- Mon., June 13:** **Day of the Holy Spirit**  
**Hours: 9:40AM; Divine Liturgy – 10AM**

**Note: No fast Wednesday 6/15 or Friday 6/17**

- Sat., June 18:** 6PM – Vigil  
**Sun., June 19:** **1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, All Saints, Tone 8**

**NOTE: Sts. Peter and Paul fast begins tomorrow, June 20, and ends on the Feast, July 12.**

- Sat., June 25:** 6PM – Vigil  
**Sun., June 26:** **2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, Regional All Saints, Tone 1**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CONDOLENCES** to the Holowka family on the passing of Heronim (Gerry) Holowka, who fell asleep in the Lord on Saturday, May 21. Gerry was a long-time member of our parish and also sang in the choir for many years. Vichnaya Pamyat.

**CHURCH CLEANUP** -- Please check with either Irina Petrova (248/250-3182) or Valentina Drozdova (248/890-3367), to find out when they will be cleaning the church. More hands make less work for everyone so please come and help if you can. Thank you.

**GARDENING ANYONE?** It's June – and help is still needed with the gardening. As with cleaning the church (above), more hands make less work for all. As I've said before, I can't keep it all up myself any more, so the help of some people younger than I will be greatly appreciated. Someone needs to learn how to take care of what's been planted. I need two to three more volunteers. If each person picks an area they want to take care of, all that's needed is for you

to come at least once every other week to pull any weeds and water your area, if needed. I will tell you what plants are there and what care they need in the fall and spring. That's it. Please e-mail me at [davidacarreen@yahoo.com](mailto:davidacarreen@yahoo.com) or call me at 586-239-8460. Please note that I neither speak nor understand Russian. Thanks! – Davida

Again, the big pieces of asphalt that have been placed under a large evergreen bush need to be removed – sooner rather than later. And the three spots where the trees were cut down in the parking lot need to be fixed once and for all. They need to be filled in and patched along with some “holes” in the parking area itself. In fact, we should look into having the whole parking area resurfaced. It would be a shame to have to hire some handyman to do some of this work, as I'm sure we have enough able-bodied men in our parish who could probably complete the job in a couple of Saturdays. It shouldn't be my job to also have to worry about asphalt chunks along with gardening. Again – thank you!!!!!!

**COFFEE HOUR/CHASKA CHAI:** Please join us after Liturgy and support your church while you enjoy visiting with friends.

**PRAYERS FOR THE ILL:** Please remember in your prayers the following parishioners who are ill: Norman Gregor, Olga Lubnik, Claudia Ostash.

**2022 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.** 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 APRIL 2022**

Andrei Artona	\$300	Vera Brewer	\$125	Lada Richter	\$400
Davida Raber	150	M/M A. Arnion	110	Dale Zygnowicz	5
M/M V. Holowka	200	Maria Torkelson	100	Irina Buraconak	20
Anonymous	100	Anonymous	100	Peter Szyszkowski	50
M/M Valeri Starkov	100	Anonymous	540	Anonymous	100
M/M James Brand	25	M/M T. Jeromsky	50	Rosemary Norgard	100
Mark Karpowitch	150	Raisa Stukalitsch	100	M/M A. Israetel	100
A/Dr. J. Levashkevich	500				

**SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS:** \$ 300 – anonymous donation for gardening purposes  
**KITCHEN** \$1,336  
**BUILDING FUND** \$ 257

Thank you very much for your contributions. They are greatly appreciated at this time when regular income is still lagging. The church still has expenses to cover – salaries, utilities, etc., so please be as generous as possible. You can also make a donation via our website with PayPal if you wish. Thank you!

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