



### Entrance of the Theotokos to the Temple

*The Feast of the Entrance into the Temple of Our Most Holy Lady the Theotokos and Ever-Virgin Mary is celebrated on November 21 each year. The Feast commemorates when as a young child, the Virgin Mary entered the Temple in Jerusalem.*

*The birth and early life of the Virgin Mary is not recorded in the Gospels or other books of the New Testament; however, this information can be found in a work dating from the second century known as the Book of James or Protevangelion.*

*When Mary was three years old, Joachim and Anna decided that the time had come to fulfill their promise and to offer her to the Lord. Joachim gathered the young girls of the neighborhood to form an escort, and he made them go in front of Mary, carrying torches. Captivated by the torches, the young child followed joyfully to the Temple, not once looking back at her parents nor weeping as she was parted from them.*

*The holy Virgin ran toward the Temple, overtaking her attendant maidens and threw herself into the arms of the High Priest Zacharias, who was waiting for her at the gate of the Temple with the elders. Zacharias blessed her saying, "It is in you that He has glorified your name in every generation. It is in you that He will reveal the Redemption that He has prepared for His people in the last days."*

## Schedule of Divine Services: November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024

### **TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Sat. 4:30 p.m. 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**

**Emery & Sharon MacDonald**

**Sun. 10:30 a.m. Health and Blessings of Parishioners Page 125**

**Mon. 10:30 a.m. No Liturgy**

**Tue. 10:30 a.m. +Parastas for Donald Barnett (at Calvery Cemetery)**

**Wed. 10:30 a.m. No Liturgy**

**Thu. 10:30 a.m. **ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS** Page 268**

**+ Martha Ilko by Donald & Nancy Chumita**

**Fri. 10:30 a.m. No Liturgy**

### **TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

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**Sat. 4:30 p.m. + Elizabeth Turjanica by Daughter, Mary Ann**

**Sun. 10:30 a.m. Health and Blessings of Parishioners**

*The Stone was sealed by the Jews, soldiers guarded Your most pure body, but You, O Savior arose on the third day granting life to the world. Therefore the heavenly powers acclaimed You, O Giver of Life: Glory to Your Resurrection, O Christ! Glory to Your kingdom! Glory to Your salvation! You alone love us all.*



## St Mary's - St. Nicholas Dinner

*Our St. Mary's Parish will be having our Christmas party on*

*December 6<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm in the Social Hall.*

*Menu:*

*Chicken Francaise, Beef Aus Jus, Baked Cod*

*Pasta-Meatballs, Butter Parsley Potato, Candied Carrots*

*Tossed Salad, Bread/Butter, Beverages*

*Liturgy @ 4:30pm for the Feast of St. Nicholas*

*\$15.00 at the door, R.S.V. P call Linda 330-792-1578*

*or sign up in the Church*

*Let's celebrate the season together*



## November-December Events and Meetings

**IRON AND STEEL THANKSGIVING TRAIN SHOW**

**WELCOME COLLECTORS, BUYERS, SELLERS**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER. 23<sup>RD</sup> 2024**

**10AM – 3PM - \$7.00 ADMISSION**

**ST. MARY'S ASSUMPTION SOCIAL CENTER**

**TO RESERVE A TABLE FOR VENDERS CALL**

**DENNIS MAMONE @ 330-503-5510 BY NOVEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup> 2024**

**COME JOIN US FOR A FUN AFTERNOON**

### THANKSGIVING DONATIONS

*We will once again be asking for donations for those that might need a little help during the Christmas season. Please drop your donations in the collection – 'MARKED THANKSGIVING DONATIONS'*

## **Save the Date: Knowing the Way Retreat Navigation**

### **Tips for Salvation**

Sts. Peter and Paul BCC will host a one-day retreat on Saturday, December 7th, 2024, from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM. The topic of the Retreat will be on the book: Knowing the Way: Navigational Tips for Salvation. Deacon Edward Kleinguetl will be the retreat master.

Contact Fr. Miron Kerul Kmec Jr at [miron.ml@gmail.com](mailto:miron.ml@gmail.com) or 216-538-0418 for more information and to register. A book is not necessary for the retreat.

### G.C.U. ST. NICHOLAS PARTY

**All GCU Members are invited to join in the Festivities on Dec 8<sup>th</sup> at 12 NOON in our Social Center. A luncheon will be served. Reservations are required. Please call 330-792-1578 (office) by November 26<sup>th</sup>.**

