ST. GEORGE ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN CATHEDRAL

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Tuesday, January 7

Forefeast of Theophany

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January 5, 2025

<u>THE BREAD OF OBLATION AND COFFEE SOCIAL</u> is offered by Jeremy & Meagan Hopp, Abby Selassie and Justin & Mica Elkouri.

MABROOK! BLESSINGS! Baptisms: *Nicolas Daniel Humsi* 12/28 (son of Daniel & Grace) *Raphael Matthew Farha*, 12/29 (son of Nathan & Vanessa). Many years!

MEMORY ETERNAL Lili Dekanoidze, 12/26 (mother of Mzia Gibson)

2025 STEWARDSHIP Make your 2025 pledge commitment by filling out a card or using this Realm link https://onrealm.org/StGeorgeCathedral/AddPledge/2025pledge. You may also scan the QR code to pledge online giving. **2024:** number of pledges to date:134 for a total of \$555,225 **2025:** number of pledges to date: 119 for a total of \$582,858.

GREAT BLESSING OF WATERS for the Forefeast of Theophany will take place at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy today.

OFFICE CLOSED Monday, January 6th for the Feast of Theophany.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Monday, January 6 8:30a Divine Liturgy The Theophany of Christ;

6:30p Great Vespers 6:45p Daily Vespers

Wednesday, January 8 7:30a Orthros; 6:45p Daily Vespers

Thursday, January 9 6:45p Daily Vespers

Friday, January 10 No Services

Saturday, January 11 5:00p Confessions; 5:45p Ninth Hour; 6:00p Great Vespers

Sunday, January 12 8:45a Orthros; 10:00a Divine Liturgy; Church School

MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

ORTHODOX WORSHIP Catechesis will begin Monday, January 6 at 7:15p with a tour of the Cathedral. LITTLE LAMBS will meet Wednesday, January 8 from 6:15-6:45p. Ages 8 & under are welcome! Learn about the lives of the saints and our Faith.

TEEN SOYO will resume meeting on Wednesday, January 8 at 7:15p in the Youth Center.

BAPTISMAL CATECHESIS January Adult Education series on the meaning and practice of baptism begins Wednesday, January 8 with Fr. Paul presenting on the "History and Theology of Baptism."

<u>WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY</u> will be held at the Parish House, Thursday January 9 at 1:30p. Beginning the *Epistle to the Philippians*.

YOUTH CATECHESIS will resume Thursday, January 9 at 4:00p in the Library.

OCF will meet Thursday, January 9 at 7:15p in the Youth Center.

GODPARENTS SUNDAY Pancake Breakfast will be held after Liturgy January 12th celebrating our Godparent relationships. This is a free will giving event and all proceeds will go to the Treehouse.

ORTHODOX CHRISTIANS FOR LIFE team will meet at the Parish House, Tuesday, January 14 at 6:00p. PARISH COUNCIL will meet Thursday, January 16th, 7:15p at the Parish House.

WOMEN'S FAITH & GROWTH will meet Thursday January 16, 7:15p at the Parish House.

THE LORD'S DINER Volunteers are needed Sunday, January 19 to serve. Please contact Pat Milburn if you are able to help at patmilburn74@gmail.com

NOTICES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>HOSPITALITY TABLE</u> Welcome! If you are a guest, visitor, or inquirer, we would love to visit with you at the Visitor Table (near the bookstore kiosk in the Fellowship Hall) after Divine Liturgy. Please help yourself to coffee and refreshments!

COMMUNITY SUPPORT 2025 AGENCIES Do you have a heart to serve in our community? Now is the time to get involved! This is the time of year that we discuss which community agencies that we will be supporting in the upcoming year. Please join us at our next Community Support Planning Meeting — January 14th at noon at the Parish House. For more information contact Carrie Camden at camden9492@gmail.com

<u>COFFEE HOUR COURTESY</u> Our church is growing! To be considerate of others during coffee hour, please be mindful of the amount taken. We want everyone to be able to enjoy the offerings, especially our choir, ushers, church school children & others who come late to coffee hour.

<u>DILLONS COMMUNITY REWARDS</u> Earn free money for our parish by designating St George Cathedral as your Community Rewards Organization. To learn more, go to https://tinyurl.com/2p9zrezy

UPCOMING HOLY BREAD AND COFFEE HOUR OFFERING

Sunday, JAN 12: Nassim & Nelly Nabbout, Bassem & Reina Nabbout and Sami & Kara Nabbout

Sunday, JAN19: Orthodox Christians for Life

Sunday, Jan 26: Cindy Shew (THREE Households needed)

Sunday, Feb 2: (FOUR Households needed)

REMEMBER THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES Simon Abou-Faissal, Brett Butterfield, Alex Cox, Jonathan Dotson.

REMEMBER THOSE SERVING AS MISSIONARIES Floyd & Ancuta Frantz in Romania; Nathan & Gabriela Hoppe and The Home of Hope Orphanage in Albania; Fr. Pilippos & SAMP priests in Kenya; Sister Nektaria with orphanages, clinics & high school in Calcutta; Peter & Sharon Georges in Uganda; Project Mexico & St Innocent Orphanage in Tijuana; Bishop Neofitos of Eldoret & St. Makarios Orphanage of Nyeri, Kenya; Fr. Nicola & St. George Cathedral in Sweida; Fr. Mike Medis & St. Nicholas Mission in Lawrence; Fr Yohannes, Indonesian Mission Schools; Fr. Alexios & Ss. Athanasios & Nicholas Church in Fiji

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER Dawneen Banks, Jaylen Banks, Nicole Banwart, David Bridge, Art Bush, Merry Bauman, Laura Capps, Matt Chameyeh, Mike Desmarteau, Coola Dimas, David W. Distefano, Jeff Funderburk, Justin Flora, Courtney Gammon, Marla Heinen, Tom Hettich, Veramae Henre, Leon Hobson, Rich Hollis, Nikki Hudnutt, Robert & Patricia Kralicek, Nabila Kreit, Don Massad, Cheri Maxwell, Robbie Namee, Clayton North, Mary Jane O'Conner, Andrea Peterson, Joe Peterson, Hannah Rempe, Rick Sapio, Melissa Sapio, Morrie Sheets, Alex Shinn, Vera Shughart, Bonita Somerhalder, Corwin Spencer, Jennifer Thomas, Fr Nicholas Triantafilou, Benny Valencia, Julina Walker, Doug Wereb, Charles White, Nancy Yoder.