

In Preparation . . . A look at what is to Come

Entrance of the Mother of God in the Temple
Church Tradition holds that Mary was solemnly welcomed into the temple community, headed by the priest Zacharias, father of John the Baptist. Tradition holds that she was led to the holy place and nourished by the angels—this is often depicted in the festal icon, generally in the top right-hand corner—signifying that, by virtue of the fact that she would bear the Living Word of God, Jesus Christ, in her womb, she becomes the living sanctuary and temple of God incarnate. This theme—Mary enters the Temple to become herself the living temple of God, thus inaugurating the New Testament in which are fulfilled the Old Testament prophecies—is clear in the hymns of the liturgical services for the feast. The feast also stresses that, with her entrance into the temple to become the living tabernacle of God incarnate, the physical temple in Jerusalem as the dwelling place of God draws to an end and the “preview of the good will of God” is revealed, as we sing in the troparion for the day: “Today is the preview of the good will of God, of the preaching of the salvation of mankind. The Virgin appears in the temple of God, in anticipation proclaiming Christ to all. Let us rejoice and sing to her: Rejoice, O divine fulfillment of the Creator’s dispensation.”
Finally, the feast serves to remind us that we too are called to be living tabernacles and abodes of the Lord: “We are the temple of the living God, as God said, ‘I will live in them and move among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people’.”



Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Weekend		Week Day	
Saturday	4:00PM Northern Cambria	Monday	8:30AM Northern Cambria
Sunday	9:00AM Northern Cambria	Tuesday	6:30PM Revloc
	11:00AM Revloc	Wednesday	8:30AM Northern Cambria
	5:00PM Northern Cambria	Thursday	8:30AM Northern Cambria

Liturgy schedule may change due to Holy Days throughout the year.

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Our Weekly Bulletin

Week of
November 18 to 25, 2018

Welcome to our Parish

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever!
Christ is Among us! He is and always will be!

Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week

Sunday, Nov 18	26th Sunday after Pentecost	
Nov 19	No Liturgy	
Nov 20	Divine Liturgy 6:30PM	
Nov 21	Entrance of the BVM in the temple	
Nov 22	No Liturgy	
Nov 23	No Liturgy	
Nov 24	No Liturgy	
Sunday, Nov 25	27th Sunday after Pentecost	

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26th Sunday After Pentecost

Ephesians 5:9-19

Luke 12:16-21

Troparion (Tone 1)

Though the stone was sealed by the Judeans and soldiers guarded Your most pure body, You arose, O Savior, on the third day, and gave life to the world. And so the heavenly powers cried out to You, O Giver of Life: Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ! Glory to Your kingdom! Glory to Your saving plan, O only Lover of Mankind.

Kondakion

You arose in glory from the tomb and with Yourself You raised the world. All humanity acclaims You as God, and death has vanished. Adam exalts, O Master, and Eve, redeemed from bondage now, cries out for joy: “You are the One, O Christ, Who offers resurrection to all.”

Theotokion

When Gabriel uttered to you, O Virgin, his “Rejoice!” - at that sound the Master of all became flesh in you, the Holy Ark. As the just David said, you have become wider than the heavens carrying your Creator. Glory to Him Who dwelt in you! Glory to Him Who came forth from you! Glory to Him Who freed us through birth from you!

Prokeimen

Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we have hoped in You.
Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the righteous.
Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we have hoped in You.

Alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia
God gives me vindication, and has subdued peoples under me.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia
Making great the salvation of the king, and showing mercy to His anointed, to David, and to His posterity forever.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Communion Verse

Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. Alleluia (3)

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YouTube: Catholic Explorer

PARISH NEWS

Weekly Collection - Nov. 11, 2018 - \$740.00. Thank you for your generosity.
Confessions - Father will hear confessions following Sunday Liturgies.
Birthday Sunday - Today is Birthday Sunday
Weekly Exercise - Thursday evenings at 6:30PM
St. Nicholas Visit - St. Nicholas will make his 48th annual visit to the children of the parish. There will be a covered dish dinner following the Liturgy on December 2nd. Everyone is asked to bring food and a dessert.
Catechism - Sundays at 10:00AM
Helping Others - Anyone wishing to help make Christmas special for a child or family may do so by giving them a special Christmas. Flyers are in the vestibule explaining the program or see Edna. We can sponsor a child/family as individuals or as a groups. Items need to be brought to the church by Nov. 24.
Envelopes - The 2019 envelopes are being prepared for distribution. If you currently do not have a box and would like one for 2019, please fill out the form in the vestibule and place it in the collection basket.

Prayer List

Parishioners: Francis Charney, Carrie Chuff and her twin boys, Peter Datsko, Michael Lutak, Phyllis Weimer, Michael Yendzik, Kevin Rogers, Sarah Kelt, Jeremiah Hunt, Jessica Mizera
Friends of the Parish: Troy, Jennifer Maurer, George Datsko, Brian Smith, Breanna Borlie, Robin Wagner, Dan Ott, Mrs. Denny LuKatch, Mark Prewitt, Fr. Wolodymyr Woloszczuk, Steve Helsel, Ryder McDermitt.
To add or remove a name, place your request in the collection basket.

Jokes of the Day	A pastor waited in line to have his car filled with gas just before a long holiday weekend.
The attendant worked quickly, but there were many cars ahead of him. Finally, the attendant motioned him toward a vacant pump. "Reverend," said the young man, "I'm so sorry about the delay. It seems as if everyone waits until the last minute to get ready for a long trip." The pastor chuckled, "I know what you mean. It's the same in my business."	
An 83 year old woman talked herself out of a traffic ticket. Police: “ Why were you going so fast?” Woman: “I was in a hurry to get there before I forgot where I was going.”	