

Glory to Jesus Christ!
Слава Иисусу Христу!

St. Mary ~ Holy Protection
Byzantine Catholic Church
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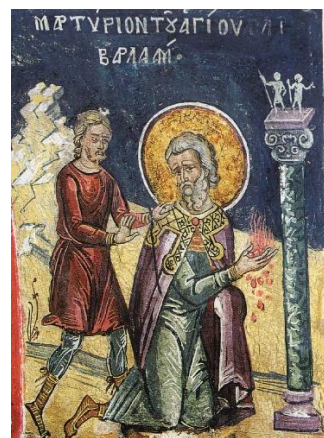
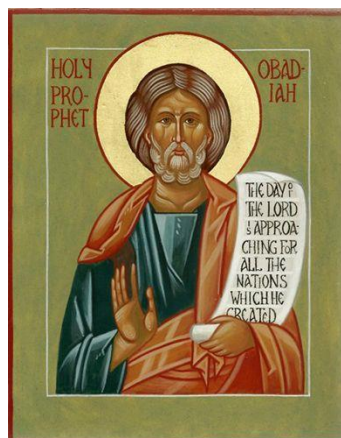
Glory Forever!
Слава на вики!

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19 NOVEMBER 2023 / 7532 ~ 25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The Holy Prophet Obadiah. The Holy Martyr Barlaam of Antioch.



LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Sat. Nov. 18 17:00 VIGIL: **25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

Suffrages pro populo

Sun. Nov. 19 10:30 **25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** *Suffrages for +Patricia Krynicky – The Fullman Family*

Tues. Nov. 21 10:00 **THE ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS INTO THE JERUSALEM TEMPLE** with Mirovanije

Sat. Nov. 25 17:00 VIGIL: **26th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

Suffrages pro populo

Sun. Nov. 26 10:30 **26th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** *Suffrages for +Patricia Krynicky – Marge Hulyk.*

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11 / 12 / 2023	Adults: \$1128	Candles: \$81	Arch. Charities: \$5		
COLLECTION	Holy Days: \$95	TOTAL: \$1309			



THE HOLY PROPHET OBADIAH whose name in Hebrew means – Servant of God – and whom the Church commemorates this day is counted among the twelve minor prophets of Israel. The book that bears his name is the shortest book in the Old Testament: only one chapter and containing only 291 Hebrew words. The book's main topic is the destruction of Jerusalem in 586 BC by the Babylonians and the putative actions of Edom against Judah at the time. The Edomites were considered to be kin to the Israelites since they were thought to have descended from Esau, the brother of our holy patriarch Jacob.

LITURGICAL CHANGES FOR THE NATIVITY FAST. In *lieu* of the Sunday Resurrection Antiphons, we will sing the **Typical Psalms** and the **Beatitudes**. During the Great Incensation at the start of the Divine Liturgy, the cantors will sing the two Philip Fast Hymns, copies of which are located in the pews. Please join them in singing these hymns.

THANKSGIVING DAY TROPARION: You made the earth, O God, and all it contains. You have given us a share in Your life. All creation sings praise to You. As our forefathers gave You thanks after coming to these shores, we Your unworthy servants, also give thanks on this day for all Your benefits bestowed throughout the years.

THANKSGIVING DAY KONTAKION: Today, O faithful, sing to God your thanksgiving hymns; learning Scripture's command to give thanks with heart as well as lips, and to seal lips and hearts with blessed deeds. Let America play her thankful part among the nations, giving praise to our saving Lord, the Benefactor of our souls.



Thank God! Give Him the praise and the glory. Before all the living, acknowledge the many good things He has done for you, by blessing and extolling His Name in song. Before all men, honor and proclaim God's deeds, and do not be slack in praising Him. (Tobit 12:6)



~ Announcements ~

- **ETERNAL MEMORY!** Please remember in your prayers **James Kontir** who fell asleep in the Lord this past Wednesday morning. The parish extends its deepest sympathy and prayers to his wife Mary Ann and to Natalee and Shane his children. Also I ask for the prayers for the servant of God, the Hieromonk **Fr. Cyprian George Constantine, OSB** – my very dear confrère who has fallen asleep in the Lord and was laid to rest this past Friday afternoon.
- **THANK YOU** to all who helped in any way to make our Super Turkey / Ham Bingo such a HUGE success.
- **THANK YOU** to a number of parishioners who have volunteered their valuable time to the maintenance of our church grounds and buildings these past couple of weeks: **Jim and Chris Fullman** for the new Bingo sign at the parish centre, **Tom Shultz** for its installation; **Joshua Lucas** for power washing the brick work façades of the Church and the outdoor carpeting at the Church entrance; **Greg Krynicky, Jennifer Hess**, and **Jim Fullman** for the mowing and trimming in preparation for the Turkey / Ham Bingo.
- The annual **ARCHDIOCESAN CHARITIES COLLECTION** appeal provides funding for foreign and home missions, the Holy Land, retired religious, and various other worthy causes sponsored by our Archeparchy. Please give as generously as you can! Contributions can still be made throughout the month of November.
- This afternoon **November 19, at 3:00 p.m.** the parishioners of our Archeparchy are invited to the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, 210 Greentree Road, Munhall for the celebration of the **Moleben to Blessed Bishop-Martyr Theodore Romzha**. Bishop Nil Lushchak, the present Apostolic Administrator of our Mother-Eparchy in Mukachevo, Sub-Carpathia, Ukraine, will be the guest homilist. A reception with light refreshments will follow the prayer service.