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Summer Break for the Parish Office

The parish office will be closed from July 30th to August 25th. While voicemail and e-mail will still be checked, please expect delays for non-urgent requests.

Upcoming Parish Events

August 19th: Baptism and chrismation of Layla Baho (daughter of James Baho), Fr. John Paul, S.J. presiding. Brunch to follow Divine Liturgy.

September 22nd and 23rd: Doors Open Milwaukee. Saturday, 10am-5pm, Sunday, noon-5 pm. Volunteers needed to greet visitors for as much time as you are willing – contact Ann or Benjamin.

September 23rd: Middle Eastern Dinner, will be held on Sunday, noon-2pm. This is the parish's main fundraiser. Please save the date!

Upcoming Young Adult Events

September 8th: Third annual YAL Milwaukee (Pan-Orthodox, 20s and 30s) lake cruise. Details to come, tentatively plan to gather for dinner or drinks at 6:30pm, and cruise at 8pm. For more info: Vivia Limberatos (414) 588-7969, vivianvivi007@gmail.com (or contact Benjamin).

October 5th to 7th: MAYA (Melkite, 18-30 and one year out of high school) annual retreat. Birmingham, Alabama. Free hotel and registration for the first thirty registrants. More info: [Melkite Association of Young Adults' Facebook page](#) (or Contact Benjamin).

Birthdays

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to Jane Ecks (8/8), Joe Makhlouf and Nicole Vukovic (8/10), Benedict Roxas (8/14), Chalres McShane (8/16) and Michel Aboul-Zelof (8/16). May God grant you many years!

Divine Liturgy on August 5th

Intentions: Peace, health, salvation and protection of Drew and Mary Michels (req. by the Michels family); Happy and eternal repose of Anthony Sr, and Mary Tomaz (req. by Kathy Tomaz)

Troparia:

1. *Resurrection (tone 2)*, p. 72
2. **Forefeast of the Transfiguration:** O faithful, let us celebrate in advance the joy of the Transfiguration of Christ; let us rejoice in this pre-festive time and cry out : “Here comes the day of heavenly joy, for the Lord goes up Mount Tabor, there to shine with the light of divinity.”
3. *St. George*, p. 25
4. **Kontakion:** Today the whole human race prepares to reflect the radiance of divine splendor brought about in the Transfiguration of Christ, and to cry out with Joy : “Christ is transfigured in order to save us all!”

Prokeimenon: My strength and my courage is the Lord,
and He has been my Savior.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 9:2-12 (Francisco Roxas)

Gospel: Matthew 18:23-35

Ushers: Anthony Geiger, Joseph Wahhab

August 6th: The Transfiguration

Divine Liturgy on August 12th

Intentions: Peace, health, salvation and protection of Kathleen Estrada (req. by the Fr. Philaret)

Troparia:

1. *Resurrection (tone 3)*, p. 73
2. *Transfiguration*, see insert.
3. *St. George*, p. 25
4. *Kontakion*, see insert.

Prokeimenon: Sing praise to our God, sing praise!
Sing praise to our King, sing praise!

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 (Marcelino Roxas)

Gospel: Matthew 19:16-26

Ushers: Mark Spankowski, Said Audi

August 15th: The Dormition

Divine Liturgy on August 19th

Intentions: Peace, health, salvation and protection of Fr. Frank Milienewicz (req. by Fr. Philaret)

Troparia:

1. *Resurrection (tone 4)*, p. 74
2. *Dormition*, see insert.
3. *St. George*, p. 25
4. *Kontakion*, see insert.

Prokeimenon: How great are your works, O Lord!
in wisdom you have wrought them all.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 16: 13-24 (Today: George Baho. Next Sunday: Gregory Zimmerman)

Gospel: Matthew 21:33-42

Ushers: Joseph Wahhab, Mark Spankowski (Next Sunday: Anthony Geiger, Said Audi)

After Liturgy: Brunch on the occasion of Layla Baho’s baptism and chrismation.

Weekday Schedule

Monday-Friday: 7:30am, Morning Prayer: 1st or 3rd Hour

Saturday: No Vespers until August 26th

Prayer List

Please remember—All those who are sick and in need: Mary Fisher (Benjamin Newman’s aunt and godmother), Alice & John Herro, Bill Koutris, Bill & Kathy Jones, Nick Langenfeld, Fr. Philaret, Henry Look, Fr. Frank Milienewicz (former pastor), Alice Nasr, Bob Peterson, Joe Radanovich, Beth Rodwell, Eva Saseen (Theresa and Janelle Herro’s niece), Kathy Tomaz, David L. Toepper (David Toepper’s father), Jennifer Whitmore, John Zambo, Kathy Zambo, and Dan Z.