

**St. George Serbian Orthodox Church**  
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**Sunday, February 11 - 36<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost / The Translation of the Relics of The Hieromartyr Ignatius the God-Bearer**

*Epistle II Cor. 6:16-7:1 Gospel Matt. 15:21-28 tone 3<sup>rd</sup>*

3<sup>rd</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> hours at 9:40 am; Divine Liturgy at 10 am. Church school and coffee hour

**Monday, February 12 – Holy Three Hierarchs / Sveta Tri Jerarha** Divine Liturgy at 9 am

**Wednesday, February 14 – Holy Martyr Tryphon / Sv Trifun** Vigil/confession at 6 pm

**Thursday, February 15 – The Meeting of our Lord in the temple / Sretenije Gospodnje**

Divine Liturgy at 9 am

Vespers/confession at 6 pm

**Friday, February 16 – The Righteous Simeon the God-receiver / Sv Simeon Bogoprимac**

Divine Liturgy at 9 am

First Fish Fry from 4 pm to 7 pm. Please sign up and offer your help

**Saturday, February 17** Vigil/confession at 5 pm

**Sunday, February 18 - 37<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

*Epistle I Tim. 4:9-15 Gospel Luke 19:1-10 tone 4<sup>th</sup>*

3<sup>rd</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> hours at 9:40 am; Divine Liturgy at 10 am. Fr Alex will have a class with church school students and parents in church after the liturgy. Sarma Cook off

**Upcoming Feast days and events:**

February 25 – 40 days parastos for +Fr Nedeljko Lunich

March 9 – Memorial Saturday / Pokladske Zadusnice

**We are praying especially for:** Radovan Jovanovich, Richard and Nancy Jovanovich, Christopher, Sandy Grundy, Michelle Hognotes, Stevan Lunich, Craig Vercelote, Steva Iacsin, Nicholas Malinovich, Natalie Radakovich, Alexandra Starceвич, Genevieve Ostoich, Donald Laketa, Draginja Lukin, and all others in our parish who are ill, afflicted, suffering and/or unable to attend services. May Our Lord Jesus Christ Touch Them with His Healing Hand!

**Pomens (Litany)** +Dimitrije Sajić, given by Velibor Sajić & family; +Vlada Dmitrov, given by Steva Lukin family;

+ V Rev Nedeljko Lunich, given by Bill/Marty Seemann; +V Rev Nedeljko Lunich, given by Joseph Orlovich Jr family;

+Paul Shimek, given by Gayle Shimek and Nenad/Stephanie Jakovljevic;

+V Rev Nedeljko Lunich, given by Edythe Miller and family; +George, +Julia, +Mike, +Violet, +George, +Janice and

+ V Rev Nedeljko Lunich, given by Drs Mike/Nada Keer; +Kimbell Mancke, +V Rev Nedeljko Lunich and

+Ely Grubisich, given by Pat Mancke and family; +Vera Petrova, given by Pavel Petrov;

+Sofija Peters, given by Dr Howard Grundy; + V Rev Nedeljko Lunich, Fr Milos and

+Jelica Bugarin, given by John/Desanka Taylor;

**Fish Frys -**

- Our Church will hold 7 Fish Frys in our Social Center from Friday, February 16 through March 29. Dining hours are 4:00 – 7:00 pm. We need your help to make this a successful fundraiser for our Church. Assistance is needed during the day for food prep and during the hours of operation. We also need dessert donations each week to sell at the Pastry Table. To sign up to volunteer, please use the online system called SignUpGenius. The link to access this is provided here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4DA5AD2AA1F9C25-47497193-fish>

Questions? Call/text Danielle at 630-709-7437.

**Sunday, Feb 18**, after the Liturgy, the second sarma cookoff will be in the upper bar area of our Social Center. We are asking our parishioners to make sarmas using their recipes and bring them to the kitchen before the Liturgy on Feb 18. They will be given a number. After the liturgy a few parishioners will try every sarma, and we will announce the winner. Everyone can enjoy a sarma lunch with mashed potatoes, veggies, and desserts. A free-will donation will be collected. Please plan to stay and enjoy our church fellowship. This is a church fundraiser.

**This year, the Great Lent will begin on Monday, March 18.** The celebration of Pascha will be on May 5. This is the latest celebration of Pascha in our church calendar which rarely happen this late. With Pascha being so late, the Pentecost will be late in June and the Apostolic fast is only 10 days.

**During the celebration of certain feast days during the year**, you can bring cut flowers to make our church even more beautiful. If you choose to bring flowers, please contact Fr Alex a day or two before. Vases are available in the church.

**Сваког петка** од фебруара 16 до марта 29 имаћемо печену рибу у нашој сали. Треба нам Ваша помоћ, јавите о Александру кад можете помоћи. Помоћ треба за припрему, печење и кување и чишћење сале после.

**Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord!**  
**Идите у миру, волите и служите Господа!**