St. John of Damascus Orthodox Church

A Parish of the Orthodox Church in America, The Diocese of the West

December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours 9:00AM Divine Liturgy 10:30AM Church School	**2** 6:00PM Orthodox Christianity 101	**3** 9:00AM Auxiliary Cooking Day 6:00PM Great Vespers & Litya for St John of Damascus	**4** Patronal Feast Day St John of Damascus 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours & Divine Liturgy	**5** 9:00AM Auxiliary Cooking Day	**6** St. Nicholas of Myra 6:00PM Akathist to St Nicholas	**7** 4:30PM Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM Great Vespers for the Resurrection
8 Adopt a Seminarian 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours 9:00AM Divine Liturgy 10:30AM Youth Choir	**9** Fr Michael travels to MA to help his mother	**10** 9:00AM Auxiliary Baking/Cooking	**11**	**12** 9:00AM Auxiliary Baking/Cooking Day	**13** St Herman of Alaska	**14** 6:00PM Great Vespers for the Resurrection
15 Charity Collection 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours 9:00AM Divine Liturgy 10:30AM Church School	**16** 6:00PM Orthodox Christianity 101 8:00PM Parish Council Meeting	**17** 11:00AM Diamond Circle Meeting	**18**	**19**	**20**	**21** 11:00AM Auxiliary Christmas Ethnic Food & Bake Sale 4:30PM Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM Great Vespers for the Resurrection
22 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours 9:00AM Divine Liturgy 11:00AM Youth Christmas Program	**23** 11:00AM Sacrament of Confession 4:30PM Sacrament of Confession 6:30PM Sacrament of Confession	**24** Christmas Eve 10:00AM Vesperal Liturgy for Eve of Nativity 6:00PM Vigil for Christmas	**25** Nativity of Our Lord in the Flesh 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours 9:00AM Festal Divine Liturgy for Nativity	**26**	**27**	**28** 6:00PM Great Vespers for the Resurrection
29 8:30AM 3rd & 6th Hours 9:00AM Divine Liturgy 10:30AM Monthly Service for the Departed	**30** 6:00PM Orthodox Christianity 101	**31**	**1** Circumcision of Christ St. Basil the Great 10:30AM Father's Cafe (Hybrid)	**2**	**3** 9:00AM Royal Hours for Theophany	**4** 4:30PM Choir Rehearsal 6:00PM Great Vespers for the Resurrection

Greeters

Evening	Morning
	Dec 1 Valerie L
Dec 3 John/Iryna T	Dec 4 Viorica R
Dec 6 Valerie L	
Dec 7 Joe T	Dec 8 Marina S
Dec 14 Viorica R	Dec 15 John/Iryna T
Dec 21 Viorica R	Dec 22 Desiree G
	Dec 24 Viorica R
Dec 24 Joe T	Dec 25 Valerie L
Dec 28 John/Iryna T	Dec 29 Joe T

Divine Liturgy Readers

Dec 1 - Dale F

Dec 4 - Erik W

Dec 8 - Linda K

Dec 15 - Nate C

Dec 22 - Peter A

Dec 24 - Erik W

Dec 25 - Rdr John K

Dec 29 - Rdr Roman S

Questions? Bill Moision

Electronic Sign

John T

Koliva/Kutya

Sun Dec 29 - Viorica R

Candle Stand

Dec 1 Bill S	Dec 8 Vince P	Dec 15 James S
Dec 22 Michael G	Dec 25 - TBD	Dec 29 Art S

Questions? Contact Gene F

Counters

Dec 1 - Terry M, Dmitriy P

Dec 8 - Ed L, Margie H

Dec 15 - Mike W, Ken T

Dec 22 - Marina S, Elena S

Dec 29 - Terry M, Joe T

Scrip

Dec 1 - Gene F

Dec 8 - Carmen B

Dec 15 - Valerie L

Dec 22 - Erik W

Dec 29 - Erik W

Altar Servers

Evening	Morning
	Dec 1 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L, Uriel R Andrew C, Oliver C, Leo K
Dec 3 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L	Dec 4 Sbdn Ken, Mike W
Dec 7 Sbdn Ken, Mike W	Dec 8 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L, Uriel R Andrew C, Oliver C, Leo K
Dec 14 Sbdn Ken, Mike W	Dec 15 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L, Michael G Nicholas G
Dec 21 Sbdn Ken, Mike W	Dec 22 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L, Uriel R Andrew C, Oliver C, Leo K
	Dec 24 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L
Dec 24 Ed L, Mike W	Dec 25 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L
Dec 28 Sbdn Ken, Mike W	Dec 29 Sbdn Ken, Mike W, Ed L, Uriel R Andrew C, Oliver C, Matthew S

Handmaidens

12/1 - 2. Tessa 3. Sava	12/22 -1. Tessa 2. Sophia 3. Maggie 4. Peyton
12/8 - 1. Maggie 2. Alina 3. Layla 4. Tessa	12/25 - TBD
12/15 - 1. Alina 2. Peyton 3. Sava 4. Layla	12/29 - 2. Layla 3. Peyton 4. Sava

Prosphora

Dec 1 - Pdn George	Dec 8 - Pdn George	Dec 24 - George R
Dec 3 (litya) - George R	Dec 15 - Pdn George	Dec 24 (litya) - George R
Dec 4 - George R	Dec 22 - Pdn George	Dec 25 - Pdn George
		Dec 29 - Pdn George

Commemoration Loaves

Dec 1 - Pat S	Dec 8 - Pat S	Dec 15 - Ken T	Dec 22 - Mike W
Dec 29 - Freezer			