

SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

BULLETIN – SUNDAY BEFORE ELEVATION OF THE CROSS & NATIVITY OF THE THEOTOKOS

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Bulletin Submissions Deadline – **10 am Wed.** ♦ church website: <https://ssppaoc.org>

Ss Peter & Paul Mission: preserve, practice, and proclaim the Gospel of our Lord, God, & Savior Jesus Christ
in order to glorify God in the parish and wider community.

This Week @ Ss. Peter & Paul–Sept. 9–Sept. 15, 2024

- 9/9 Mo 7:00 pm – Bible Study
- 9/10 Tu 7:00 am – Readers Orthros
- 9/11 Wd 8:00 am – Divine Liturgy
6:00 pm – Vespers
- 9/12 Th 7:00 am – Men's Reading Group
- 9/13 Fr 5:00 pm – All About the Feasts
6:00 pm – Great Vespers w/Litua
- 9/14 Sa 8:20 am – Orthros & Divine Lit. –
Elevation of the Cross *followed by*
festal meal
6:00 pm – Great Vespers w/Litua
- 9/15 Su 8:20 am – Orthros
9:30 am – Divine Liturgy – Sunday
after the Elevation of the Cross
10:20 am – Church School
Annual Meeting of the Parish

Looking Ahead—

- September 16 Bible Study
- September 17 Morning Divine Liturgy
- September 19 Koffee w/Khouria
- September 22 Harvest Festival
- September 23 Bible Study
- September 24 Akathist of Healing
- September 25 Paraklesis
- September 26 Morning Divine Liturgy
- September 29 Youth choir practice
Community Dinner
- September 30 Bible Study
- October 1 Morning Divine Liturgy
- October 5 Men's Breakfast
- October 6 Youth choir sing Divine Liturgy

Many Years – Birthday

Janelle Machnee September 9
Monica Zweers September 13

Many Years – Anniversary

Matt & Amy Swagerty September 8

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH

The Annual Meeting of the parish will be on **Sunday, September 15** immediately following the Divine Liturgy. Please make plans to attend as we need a quorum. We will vote on the proposed budget and draw new PC members' names.

*Feast of the
Elevation of the Holy Cross
Saturday, September 14
8:20 am Orthros
9:30 am Divine Liturgy
Followed by festal meal*

KOFFEE w/KHOURIA

Come fellowship around a cup of coffee at the rectory with Khouria Claire and others on Thursday, September 19 at 10:00 am.

NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY

Update your vital statistics and photo at sspeterandpaulorthodox.breezechms.com in Breeze so that our new directory will be complete.

*Fall Gathering ~ October 11-13
St. Mark Orthodox Church in Irvine*

45th ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL

The 45th Annual Harvest Festival begins immediately following the Divine Liturgy on Sunday, September 22. There will be a tug of war competition, a three-legged sack race, a jump house, a homemade pie auction, and apple pressing. Please save your apples to bring to the event. Call the church office if you will make a pie for the auction. Contact Dn. Dave Newberry (831-431-3080) if you hear apples dropping in your neighborhood and to volunteer.

To Our Dearest Church Family,

Your love, care, and concern for us has been overwhelming and touches our hearts in a deep and lasting way. We cannot thank you enough, and rest assured that, if the need ever arises, we will be there to help every one of you as we are able. Having a church family and community like this is such a blessing. We honestly don't know what we would have done without you!

Lynne's biggest lesson from this ordeal is to be thankful for even the small and mundane things in life (like being able to walk across a room!), let alone the bigger things (like being able to go to work!). It is a hard way to learn this big lesson, but worth it in the long run.

Your prayers are helping Lynne get through this with a speedy recovery and a minimum of pain! She is back home now and still welcomes visitors, phone calls, emails and text messages. Lynne can be reached at almoritz@sbcglobal.net or (831) 246-1958.

Roger says "thank you" for all the very fine meals and wants you to know that our refrigerator and freezer are full!

With love from your brother and sister in Christ,
Roger Sack & Lynne Moritz Sack

**Divine Liturgy – St. Sophia &
Daughters Faith, Hope & Charity
8:00 am – Tuesday, September 17**

MEALTRAIN FOR MARILYN SPURGEON

Marilyn is recovering from pneumonia and continuing her chemotherapy treatments. Please keep her in your prayers. Sign up at <https://mealtrain.com/yr2lmy> to bring a meal to the family.

AKATHIST OF HEALING

At 10:00 am on the last Tuesday of the month there is an Akathist of Healing in the Sanctuary. All are welcome to come and pray.

*Divine Liturgy – Falling Asleep of St.
John the Evangelist & Theologian
6:00 am – Thursday, September 26*

ARRANGING SACRAMENTS: INFANT BAPTISM, MATRIMONY & ADULT INITIATION

Contact the church office and set up an appointment with Fr. Christopher to discuss the arrangements for these sacraments.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

Please contact the church office with the names of the sick and hospitalized of the parish so they may receive pastoral care.

*Bible Study on the
Book of Philippians begins
tomorrow night at 7:00 pm
in the sanctuary*

Memory Eternal

September 9

Ellen La Follette

September 9

Jim Wilkinson