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Бюлетень – Bulletin

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**January 22, 2023** 

# Sunday of Zacchaeus; The Holy Apostle Timothy; the Holy Venerable-Martyr Anastasius the Persian (628). Tone 8

#### Schedule of Sunday Services

<u> 1.22.2023 – Неділя Закхея.</u>

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь 10:00 a.m. - Служба Божа

Святковий обід і Прощання з колядою

<u>1.29.2023 – Неділя про Митаря</u> і Фарисея

9:30 а.m. - Вервиця і сповідь 10:00 а.m. - Служба Божа 1.22.2023 - Sunday of Zacchaeus

9:30 a.m. - Rosary and Reconciliation

10:00 a.m. - Divine Liturgy

Farewell to Christmas Potluck and Caroling after Liturgy

1.29.2023 – Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee

9:30 a.m. - Rosary and Reconciliation 10:00 a.m. - Divine Liturgy

Святковий обід і Прощання з колядою сьогодні.

Farewell to Christmas Potluck and Caroling after Liturgy today.

## Prayer list of the sick or aged parishioners & friends of the parish



George Wasyliw, Lola Woloch, Nadia Kusznir,
Charlotte Scheuer, John Lackhouse, Georgia
Sosnowski, Olga Wasylowsky, Stephanie Babij,
Myroslava Iwachiw, Irene Karpinec, Teodozia Shyika
Lucyk, Howard Vaughn, and young Samuel Rocha.
Remember those who have suffered due to Covid 19.
Please pray for those who have been killed,
injured or displaced due to war in Ukraine.

If you know of someone who should be on this list, please let me know the name of the individual. Our intercessory prayer for the sick and aged is truly helpful and comforting. Father Volodymyr would like to visit our sick and elderly parishioners, especially those who cannot be with us for liturgies. Please call him at 773-979-4737 to let him know who would like a visit. О. Володимир бажає відвідати хворих та старших парафіян, які не можуть приходити до церкви. Просимо повідомити його за номером 773-979-4737.

#### Парафіяльні Оголошення

- 1. Якщо ви бажаєте, щоб священник відвідав ваш дім з Йорданським благословенням, будь ласка, виповніть форму, яка є при вході до храму.
- 2. Запрошуємо долучатись усіх бажаючих для приготування вареників. Просимо приходити у четвер вранці для підготовки продуктів і у п'ятницю для ліплення.
- 3. Щиро вітаємо всіх сьогодні присутніх.
- 4. Ми закликаємо всіх наших парафіян молитися за мир у світі, особливо про закінчення війни та мир в Україні.

#### **Parish Announcements**

- 1. If you would like to have your house blessed with Yordan Holy water, please, fill out form by the church entrance.
- 2. We need additional volunteers for our pyrohy ministry, especially in the food preparation area (Thursday morning) and in the cooking area (Friday).
- 3. A warm welcome to all our visitors today.
- 4. Please pray for peace in the world, especially for the end of the war and peace in Ukraine.

#### Sunday Collections for January 15, 2023:

Envelopes: \$335.00 Circumcision of Our Lord: \$30.00 Initial Offering: \$5.00 Candles: \$42.00 Theophany of Our Lord: \$10.00 Parish Dues: \$75.00 Loose Cash: \$138.00 Mission Fund: \$15.00 TOTAL: \$648.00

Please mail your donations to: St. Josaphat, 8624 White Oak Ave, Munster IN 46321. THANK YOU!

### Who is Holy Apostle Timothy?

The Holy Apostle Timothy was from the Lycaonian city of Lystra in Asia Minor. Timothy converted to Christ in the year 52 by the holy Apostle Paul (June 29). When the Apostles Paul and Barnabas first visited the cities of Lycaonia, St. Paul healed one crippled from birth. Many of the inhabitants of Lystra then believed in Christ, and among them was the future St. Timothy, his mother Eunice and grandmother Loida (Lois). The seed of faith, planted in St. Timothy's soul by the Apostle Paul, brought forth abundant fruit. He became St. Paul's disciple, and later his constant companion and co-worker in the preaching of the Gospel. The Apostle Paul loved St. Timothy and in his Epistles called him his beloved son, remembering



his devotion and fidelity with gratitude. He wrote to Timothy: "You have followed my teaching, way of life, purpose, faith, long-suffering, love, and patience". The Apostle Paul appointed St. Timothy as Bishop of Ephesus, where the saint remained for fifteen years. Finally, when St. Paul was in prison and awaiting martyrdom, he summoned his faithful friend, St. Timothy, for a last farewell. St. Timothy ended his life as a martyr. The pagans of Ephesus celebrated a festival in honor of their idols, and used to carry them through the city, accompanied by impious ceremonies and songs. St Timothy, zealous for the glory of God, attempted to halt the procession and reason with the spiritually blind idol-worshipping people, by preaching the true faith in Christ. The pagans angrily fell upon the holy apostle, they beat him, dragged him along the ground, and finally, they stoned him. St. Timothy's martyrdom occurred in the year 93. In the fourth century the holy relics of Saint Timothy were transferred to Constantinople and placed in the church of the Holy Apostles near the tombs of St. Andrew (November 30) and St. Luke (October 18). The Church honors Saint Timothy as one of the Apostles of the Seventy.

Please remember those who have less. We will be collecting food items to be given to the local food pantry. Please show your thanks to God for what you have by sharing generously with others.

#### Welcome Christ in Your Hearts and Homes

The Lord, who already welcomed Zacchaeus in his heart, was now ready to be welcomed by him in his house. He said, "Zacchaeus, hurry up and come down, since I have to stay in your house." He thought it was a marvelous piece of good luck to see Christ. While imagining it was a marvelous piece of good luck quite beyond words to see him passing by, he was suddenly found worthy to have him in his house. Grace is poured out, and faith starts working through love.

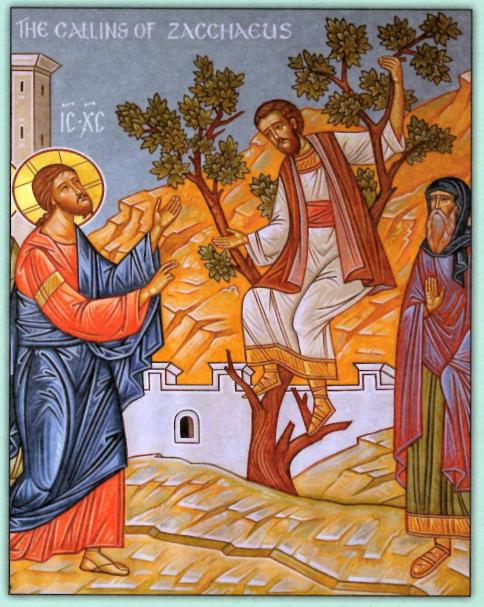
Christ, who was already dwelling in his heart, is welcomed into his house. Zacchaeus says to Christ, "Lord, half my goods I give to the poor, and if I have

cheated anyone of anything, I am paying back four times over." It is as if he were saying, "The reason I am keeping back half for myself is not in order to have it, but to have something from which to pay people back."

There you are. That is really what welcoming Jesus means, welcoming him into your heart. Christ was already there. He was in Zacchaeus and spoke through him. The apostle says that this is what it means, "For Christ to dwell by faith in your hearts" (Eph 3:17).

St. Augustine

#### SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS



Icon of Christ and Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1-10)