

## This Week's Calendar

**Tuesday, January 8th**

6:15p Youth Committee Meeting

**Wednesday, January 9th**

6p Vespers

6:30p-7:30p Wednesday Night Program

**Thursday, January 10th**

7p Women's Book Club at Weita's House

**Saturday, January 12th**

3p Homeless Ministry

6p Great Vespers

**Sunday, January 13th**

9a Sunday School

9:40a Hours

10a Divine Liturgy

Youth Starbucks Run



## Women's Book Club:

This Thursday, January 10th at 7p. At the home of Debra Weita. Please read and

come prepared to discuss our 1st book selection: Hind's Feet on High Places by Hannah Hurnard.



## Men's Coffee

**Hour:** Sunday, January 27th. Sign up is in the Fellowship Hall.

Three volunteers are needed. Please contact Mike Long or Darold Goodwin with any questions.

	COFFEE FELLOWSHIP	READERS	HOSTS	CANDLE STAND	TITHE USHERS/ PC LEADER OF THE DAY
<b>Jan 6</b>	Jean Shaw, Bethany Johnson & Mary Starr	Marvin Sindel	Kris Sedmera, Dee & Dave Butler, Troy Brown	Paul Keblish	Judy Greenberg, Daniel Rizea
<b>Jan 13</b>	Jill Pendarvis, Sandra Reeves & Julie Gullick	Kris Sedmera	Troy Brown, Andrea Davis, Bethany Johnson	Stu Greenberg	Bruce Humphrey, Andy Johnson *Greg Poe
<b>Jan 20</b>	Pat Henderson, Carol Humphrey, Donna Hesterman	Sub. Dn Brendan Taylor	Matt Augenstein, Troy Brown	Sal Barbieri	Greg Poe, Robert Levings
<b>Jan 27</b>	Men's Day w/ Mike Long, Darold Goodwin	Tom Wiswell	Troy Brown, Aaron Greenberg, Bethany Johnson	Rob Pierce	Jill Pendarvis, Kris Sedmera

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## ORTHODOX CHURCH

**32nd Sunday after Pentecost**

**January 6, 2019**

**Tone 7**

The Holy Theophany of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

**Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7** My son Titus, the grace of God that brings salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly desires, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, Who gave Himself for us, that He might deliver us from every lawless deed, and cleanse for Himself a chosen people, zealous for good works. But when the goodness and the love of God our Savior toward man appeared, not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy, He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit, which He shed on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Savior, that having been justified by His grace we should be made heirs according to the hope of life everlasting.

**Matthew 3:13-17** Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to John, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" But Jesus answered him, "Let it be so now; for thus it is fitting for us to fulfil all righteousness." Then he consented. And when Jesus was baptized, he went up immediately from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and alighting on him; and lo, a voice from heaven, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."



## Community Night!

Daily Vespers @ 6p;  
Dinner & Program @ 6:30-7:30p  
This Wednesday, Jan. 9th

Adults: Financial Peace w/ Julie Gullick & Sandy Reeves

Or Becoming a Better You: Self Care and Coping with Stress w/Fr. Jacob Hatch

Youth Program: ES activity in Youth Building  
(Nominal Donation to cover cost of food)

### Upcoming Dates:

January 23rd  
February 13

**Youth Committee Meeting:** This Tuesday, January 8th at 6:15p.

**Homeless Ministry:** This Saturday, January 12th at 3p. Please see Fr. Jacob with any questions.

**Sunday School Resumes:** Next Sunday, January 13th.

**Youth Starbucks Outing:** Sunday, January 13th during coffee hour.

**Parish Council Meeting:** Tuesday, January 15th at 6p.

**SJM Game Night:** January 27th from 5p-7p. For all ages. Join us for fun in the Fellowship Hall!



### Islands of Adventure Youth Trip

Fri. January 18th—Sat. January 19th

Cost: \$74 | Ages: MS & HS

Departure Fri. @ SJM 4p | Return Sat. @ SJM 8p

\*For more information see Daniel.

Sign up & payment by **Jan. 6th.**



### St. Anna Women's Bible Study

A 7-week study in Joshua

Fridays from 10a-12n (starting this Friday, Jan. 11th)

Material Cost:\$20

For more info contact Jill Pendarvis at [pendarvi@bellsouth.net](mailto:pendarvi@bellsouth.net)



From Fr. Ted

**Home Blessings sign up~** Each and everyone of us are *priests* (1Peter 2:9), and our homes are likened to a small Church. The dining table is where family members gather together to offer thanksgiving to God and partake in the “daily bread.” The home itself is where we live with each other, and work out our salvation in communion with our immediate family members, and it is a place where God is glorified in our prayers and daily actions. The home has a dedicated place for prayers, a family altar, and is like our Church, a sacred space. It is for this reason, at the time of Theophany, when we commemorate the *recreation of creation*, the sanctification of all things, through the blessing of water, that we invite the priest to our homes and have it blessed, to rededicate/re-consecrate to the Lord. If you have never had your home blessed, or it has been some time, please strongly consider having your home blessed. It costs nothing but time. If you are normally home during the day—a homeschooling family, work at home, retired, etc., please consider signing up for the Wednesday daytime slots.

**Please be careful and do not sign up on a date that Fr Ted is not in your designated area.** It makes it difficult to arrive at all the homes in a timely manner. Another time can be scheduled. Fr Ted tries to be flexible and appreciates everyone’s understanding. **Do not feed the priest!** Hospitality is always appreciated but he is fat. He appreciates a glass of water or cup of coffee and good fellowship!

Starting next week, please sign up in the Fellowship Hall, call the Church office or email Fr Ted. The home blessing calendar will be posted online next week, as well as an our app under “events”.

### 8th Annual Silver Stars Dinner

Sunday, February 10<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 6:30p



The Middle and High School youth of St. Justin Martyr will honor our Silver Stars citizen members with a white tablecloth dinner and entertainment. *Please RSVP no later than Sunday, February 3rd.* Youth can sign up on the bulletin board in the fellowship Hall, call the office at 904.880.7671, or email Daniel at [youthsjm@gmail.com](mailto:youthsjm@gmail.com). Please let us know if you would prefer a vegetarian entrée.

The theme is **Tunes of Life**. Please be prepared to share your favorite music, artist, song, or memory about music.