

Ascension of Our Lord
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Schedule of Services and Activities

Sun Oct 7	9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Afterward	<i>Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost</i> <i>Eastern Christian Formation Class (Meet in nave of church)</i> <i>For the Blessed Repose of Mary O. Labanish by John and</i> <i>Betta Labanish on the first anniversary of her death</i> <i>Monthly Potluck</i>	Tone 2 Page 130
Mon Oct 8		<i>No service. Take time for Private Devotions</i>	
Tue Oct 9	5:30 p.m. Afterward 7:00 p.m.	<i>For the Blessed Repose of Ngoc K. Duong by John Rayno</i> <i>Coffee Discussion Group</i> <i>Property Committee Meeting in the Church Office</i>	
Wed Oct 10	5:30 p.m.	<i>For Health and God's Blessings for the Polansky and</i> <i>Kokinda Families by Lois K. Polansky</i>	
Thu Oct 11	5:30 p.m.	<i>For the Blessed Repose of the Deceased Members of the</i> <i>Polansky and Kokinda Families by Lois K. Polansky</i>	
Fri Oct 12		<i>No Service. Take time for Private Devotions</i>	
Sat Oct 13	9:00 a.m.	<i>Rectory Property Clean-up Day</i>	
Sun Oct 14	9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Afterward	<i>Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost</i> <i>Eastern Christian Formation Class (Meet in nave of church)</i> <i>For the Blessed Repose of John Colarich by Josephine and</i> <i>Joseph Horvath</i> <i>Monthly Potluck</i>	Tone 3 Page 135

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Sun Oct 7	8:00 a.m	<i>Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost</i> <i>Health and God's Blessings for Our Parish Family</i>	Tone 2 Page 130
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Food Basket - Please consider helping the less fortunate in our area by bringing nonperishable items for the food basket located in the Narthex. Thank you!

Festival Preparation: We have one more **baking day** scheduled, **October 21**. Please stay after liturgy and give us a hand - no experience necessary!

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Ascension Parish News

Schedule for Sunday Volunteers

☞☞☞ Our thanks to all of you who volunteer any day of the week! ☞☞☞

	This Week (October 7)	Next Week (October 14)
Ushers	Robert Linderman & Anna Baysura	Morgan Kelly & Anna Baysura
Lector	Jeffrey Sotack	John A. Williams
Hospitality	Ann Kelly	Ann Seniw
Offertory Recorders	Jeffrey Sotack & Laura Sotack	John Rayno & Don Merkley

Offertory Recorders are gently reminded to complete an Operating Acct. (...401) deposit slip to include in the Bank Bag. Thank you.

Trustees: Lee Alexander, Robert Linderman, and John Rayno;

Property Maintenance: Lee Alexander, Don Merkley, John Rayno

Finances: John Rayno, Jeffrey Sotack, & Bill Kelly; and **Financial Secretary:** Patty Duttry

Parish Secretary: Ann Kelly; **Procurement of Sanctuary Supplies:** Betty Mae Hertz

If you would like to become involved as a volunteer in any area, just tell a trustee.

Thank you for your contributions (September 30, 2012).

Offertory & Dues	\$979.00	
Candles	39.00	
Protection of the Theotokos	5.00	God loves a cheerful giver.
TOTAL	\$1023.00	

Prayer Intentions for September

Sanctuary Lamp—The lamp burns for Health and God's Blessings for Cpt. Jeremy Blascak by Josephine and Joseph Horvath.

Christ the Teacher—The candle burns for Health and God's Blessings for Jeffrey Sotack by Mary Jean Sotack.

Theotokos & Child—The candle burns for Health and God's Blessings for Robert G. Sotack by Mary Jean Sotack.

Saint Nicholas—The candle burns for the Blessed Repose of James N. Sotack, Jr. by Mary Jean Sotack.

Saint John the Baptizer—The candle burns for Health and God's Blessings for Nicholas J. Sotack by Mary Jean Sotack

Tetrapod—The candles burn for Health and God's Blessings for Courtney Horvath by Josephine and Joseph Horvath.

✠ Icon candle sponsorship is \$11.00/month; Sanctuary Lamp sponsorship is \$20.00/month; Tetrapod \$22.00. ✠

Recurring Events Reminders

1st Tuesday—Oct 2th-- Meeting--Ascension Parish Guild @ 7:00 p.m. in Church Office

1st Sunday—Oct 7th--Monthly Potluck; Bring a Friend Sunday

2nd Tuesday—Oct 9th—Property Committee Meeting

2nd Sunday—Oct 14th—Birthday Celebration

3rd Thursday—Oct 18th--6:00 p.m. Church opens for Private Devotions

3rd Sunday—Oct 21st---FISH--collection of non-perishable food, clothing and household goods for. For example: canned meats and stews, peanut butter, canned fruits, vegetables, and juice; shelf stable milk, beans, etc.

3rd Week—Oct 21st-23rd--St. Luke's Icon Guild in St. Phillip's Hall (3:00-6:00 p.m. Sunday, all day Mon/Tues)

Last Sunday—Oct 28th--Needlework Group meets after Liturgy

2nd Tuesday of Alternate Months-- Nov 13th--Parish Advisory Board @ 7:00 p.m.

Ascension Parish News Con’t

+If you would like to **become a member** of the Ascension parish family and need a **Census Form or need offertory envelopes**, ask for one of the **Trustees**. Census forms are located at the bulletin board/info table.

NOTE FROM MARY SULLIVAN—See the bulletin board for a lovely note from Mary Sullivan and how much she enjoys her time with us when she’s here instead of California.

OLD TESTAMENT GRILLERS will feature bratwurst and kielbasa TODAY at the potluck. Won’t you join us? **Thank you** everyone who prepared food either at the grill or in your kitchen.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE MEETING—**Tuesday, October 9th at 7:00 p.m. at church.**
The New Rectory **roof was rescheduled to be installed on 9 October**. Please pray that we find no further damage when we take off the old roof.

FINANCIAL COMMITTEE MEETING—**Tuesday, October 16th at 7:00 p.m. at church.**

COMMITTEE CHAIRS—Please submit your **projected expenses for calendar year 2013** prior to **October 16** to aid in budget development by the Financial Committee.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13TH AT 9:00 A.M. we will have a **Rectory yard cleanup** (clearing debris left by the storm and removing the old fence along the back property line in preparation for a new one).
Lunch will be provided (so **please let Lee Alexander know if you’re coming**). We really need your help. It’s a good time for new members to get to know each other too. Many hands make light work.

FISH needs your help keeping their shelves stocked. Please consider a donation of canned goods (baskets are in the back of the nave). Please avoid expired items.
As winter comes on gently used **mittens, gloves, scarves, hats, ear muffs, socks, and other warm woolies** would be much appreciated.

ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL will be held during **October**. This covers Eparchy expenses related to parish insurance, clergy retirement, seminary costs along with many other initiatives. Your donation directly benefits this parish helping to keep insurance premiums from increasing. Our parish goal is once again \$1,300.00. Pledge forms are being mailed from the Eparchy to each household this week. Please drop the pledge cards and/or donation into the baskets during the **second** collection.

CRAFT SALE AND BAKE SALE—**November 10th**
All parishioners are asked to **contribute baked goods** to the sale, they are very popular with our guests and contribute greatly to the bottom line. **Spread the word**, this is a great **early Christmas shopping opportunity**. **In the past crafts have included jewelry, hand knits, hand woven shawls, decorative items of all sorts, modern paper crafts, jams and jellies, the list goes on.** Coordinated by Ann Merkley; Tables \$20.00

Both Parishes

Stewardship Appeal Information will soon arrive in your post from the eparchy. Please read it and prayerfully consider your contribution for this year.

Information Regarding Sacraments

+Father Alex is available for the ***Holy Mystery of Reconciliation*** at **Ascension** before Divine Liturgy on Sundays (10:00 a.m.) or ½ hour before weekday liturgies. By appointment as well.
+Father Alex is available for the ***Holy Mystery of Reconciliation*** at **Our Lady of Perpetual Help** before Divine Liturgy on Sundays (7:30 a.m.). By appointment as well.
+Receiving the **Mystery of Holy Eucharist**: As you approach Father please tell him your name so that the prayer can be personalized for you; lift the cloth beneath your chin; next tilt your head back; widely open your mouth but do not extend your tongue. No response is required for the prayer. The body and blood of our Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ will be dropped into your mouth from a golden spoon.

Please keep in your prayers those who are ill or infirm:

Fr. Bob, Michael Dunham, Lea Hrasky, Don Merkley, Stephen Brown, Anthony Kass Jr., Josephine Horvath, Audrey Bill, Dn. Daniel Wolfe, Jesse Hall, Laura Michael, Tim Baker, Sherri Hokanson, Merle Phillips, Ryan Nichols, Michael Sotack, Jeffrey Sotack, Debbie Nyman, Kathleen Zavada, Eva Delgado, Joseph Miller, Robert Sotack, Willie Torres Jr., Christine Krulak, Steven Kass, Brian Hurtig, John Hessler, Nancy Ward, Chris Sheafe, Randy Powell, Marion Thurnher, Mark Lesko, Nicholas Dadonna, Jr., Phillip Johnson, Betty Backfield, Ronnie Gloria, Myrtle Mackerly, John Heffler, Elfriede Mielczarek, Elia Soriano, Courtney Horvath, Hope Van Alstine, Anthony Sandi, Veronica Williams, Cindy Steffens, Nicola and Bruce Kendall, Chelyse Miller, Walter Valley, George Karol, Joan Scull, Sophie Zavada, Bill Basalla, Rose Henger, Rose Dumaran, Isaac Pinon, Marty Felix, Fr. Ron Hatton, Michael Hatton

If you or someone you know is sick or needs prayer, please contact Patty Duttry at (804)725-0904 or email pmduttry@gmail.com or contact Dn. Dan or Reader Joe to add them to the prayer list. Likewise, if our prayers have been answered, let them know if someone can be removed from the list.

Please remember in prayer those who serve our nation:	<u>Stateside:</u>	Col. David DeMartino Captain Jeremy Blascak Cmdr. Carol Burroughs, USN Col. Ted Mathews, Jr. USAF Lt. Col. Nadia Shockley, USAF CPL Patrick Alexander, USMC Cmdr. (retired) Keith Shockley, USN Sgt Markus Svetahor, USMC 1 st Lt Peter Isajewicz, USMC
	<u>Afghanistan</u>	Sgt. Randy Harrison, USMC Maj. James Osuna PFC Justin Long Mike Caraballo Peter Boroch
	<u>Iraq:</u>	David Fraley, USN Sgt. Rebekah Champouillon
	<u>Kuwait:</u> <u>SW Asia:</u>	

Happy October Birthdays!

2nd

John Rayno

13th

Jeffrey Carden & Katarina Margan

16th

Justin Horvath

21st

Catherine Rayno

26th

Mary Ann Drumtra

28th

Anna Montgomery