



## ***St. John Chrysostom Church***

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### **June 2014 SJCC News**

My Joy in the Lord,

This Wednesday, June 4, I leave for Chicago to represent our Mission at a Special Archdiocesan Convention to nominate candidates for the office of our Metropolitan. Please be reminded that we are not electing a Metropolitan, only the Holy Synod can do that; we are nominating candidates for the Holy Synod to consider. No one can replace Metropolitan Philip. Whoever becomes Metropolitan will be his own person and we need to understand that his ways will not be Metropolitan Philip's ways- nor should they be. We are Christ's Church and each person, no matter how gifted, only contributes to that existence insofar as he or she follows Christ.

For our little community, be assured that a new Metropolitan will mean a new name to commemorate but no great changes to the way we do things.

As I travel and meet with the other members of the Archdiocese, please pray for me and for all of us to truly do God's will.

With love, in Christ,  
Fr. Seraphim

**The 3<sup>rd</sup> Brainstorming Session** will be this Sunday, June 1 during Coffee Hour.

**Parish picnic:** will be held on **Sunday, June 8**, after the Kneeling Vespers (there will be no Coffee Hour at church that day). There is a sign-up sheet at church for food to bring, please also bring any games to play. We will be meeting at Michael and Rebecca Ogden's House: 2378 S. Garrison Ct. Lakewood CO 80227. Less than 10 minutes drive from the church. (Go North on Kipling. Turn right on Morrison. Left on Holland and immediately right on Wesley to Garrison Ct.) **We will need help setting up and cleaning up, please do your part!**

**Coffee Hour:** Please note that the Parish Council is asking everyone to take a turn at providing for our coffee hours after Liturgy. Our budget includes money to reimburse you if you need it. Please don't hesitate to see Kara to get that reimbursement.

**There will be NO Vespers on Saturday, June 14.** I will return from the PLC too late to have services that day.

If you have not come to the Tuesday night "**A Different Bible Study**", you have been missing out on a treat. Paul Saieg is presenting a way to make a difference in your life and your faith. Every Tuesday, from 7 to 8:30

### PROSPHORA Baking Schedule

**REMINDER:** PLEASE make sure that you bring ONE (and only one) prospora with names for commemoration -this includes both living and departed, if some of the living or departed are not Orthodox, I want them anyway - to church at least the night before the date on which it is due. You can bring it up to three weeks before and we'll freeze it until the date, but don't try to bring it that morning. I usually start the Proskomedie early and need the prospora to be there. If it's not there by the night before, I will defrost a spare to use. Thank you for your consideration.

#### June

1 Open  
8 Open  
15 Kara Yakubik  
22 Jacque Gisetti  
29 Paul Saieg

#### July

6 Seraphim Rahe  
13 Fr. Seraphim  
20 Christina Veselak  
27 Joe & Joyce Mikita

**We will always need prospora.** I will be happy to come to your house and bake them with you if you're not sure about how to do it.

#### Parishioner Celebrations

**NOTE: If you don't see your day listed OR see your day listed on the wrong day  
PLEASE let Fr. Seraphim know – as soon as possible**

#### June

06/02 Anniversary Joseph & Joyce Mikita  
06/03 Namesday Paula Leshinski  
06/16 Birthday Kara Yakubik  
06/20 Birthday Rebecca Higgins  
06/27 Namesday Jacque Gisetti  
06/28 Birthday Aaron Gomez  
06/28 Birthday Jason Gomez  
06/29 Anniversary Christina Veselak  
06/29 Namesday Paul Saieg

#### July

07/02 Birthday Fr. Seraphim  
07/09 Birthday Seraphima Rahe  
07/17 Namesday Carolyn Baldwin  
07/19 Namesday Fr. Seraphim  
07/22 Namesday Kylee Gisetti  
07/24 Namesday Christina Veselak  
07/25 Namesday Joyce Mikita  
07/31 Namesday Joseph Mikita

## Schedule of Services and Events

### June

1	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>Frs of the 1<sup>st</sup> Ecumenical Council</b>
				<u>Brainstorming Session #3</u>
3	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
5	Thu	All Day		Special Archdiocesan Convention to nominate candidates for Metropolitan
7	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
8	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>PENTECOST</b>
10	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
11-14			DOWAMA Parish Life Conference (PLC)	
14	Sat		<b>NO Vespers</b>	
15	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>All Saints</b>
16	Mon		<i>Apostles (Ss. Peter &amp; Paul) Fast begins</i>	
17	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
21	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
22	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
24	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
28	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
29	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>SS. Peter &amp; Paul</b>

### July

1	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
5	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
6	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
8	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
12	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
13	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
15	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
19	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
20	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	Holy Prophet Elias
22	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>
26	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
27	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
29	Tue	7:00 pm		<u>A Different Bible Study</u>