

The 14th Sunday After Pentecost



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Service Schedule	
Saturday-Vespers 5PM Sunday-Confession 10:30AM Divine Liturgy 11AM	Confession: Sunday 10:30 and by appointment. Feastdays-As announced.

Weekly Offering-<i>August 18, 2024</i>	
Sunday: \$0 Cash: \$0 e-Giving: \$309.3 Total: \$0	Average Monthly Expenditures: \$2767.32 Total this Month: \$1059.78 Shortage: -\$1707.54

Services This Week	
Wednesday, August 28-Vigil Beheading of the Forerunner	Vespersal Divine Liturgy. 7PM. For +Lory Kemner by Donor
Saturday, August 31	Vespers. 5PM
Sunday, September 1	Matins 9AM Confession: 10:30AM Divine Liturgy. 11 AM

August 25th 2024

FORTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Return of the Relics of the Apostle Bartholomew. Holy Apostle Titus

Tone 5. Matins Gospel 3

Sunday Antiphons

Troparion, Resurrection Tone 5 (pg.146)

Glory. Now and ever.

Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone 5 (pg.147)

Prokeimenon of the Resurrection, Tone 5 (pg148),

Epistle: 2 Cor. 1:21-2:4

Alleluia of the Resurrection, Tone 5 (pg 148)

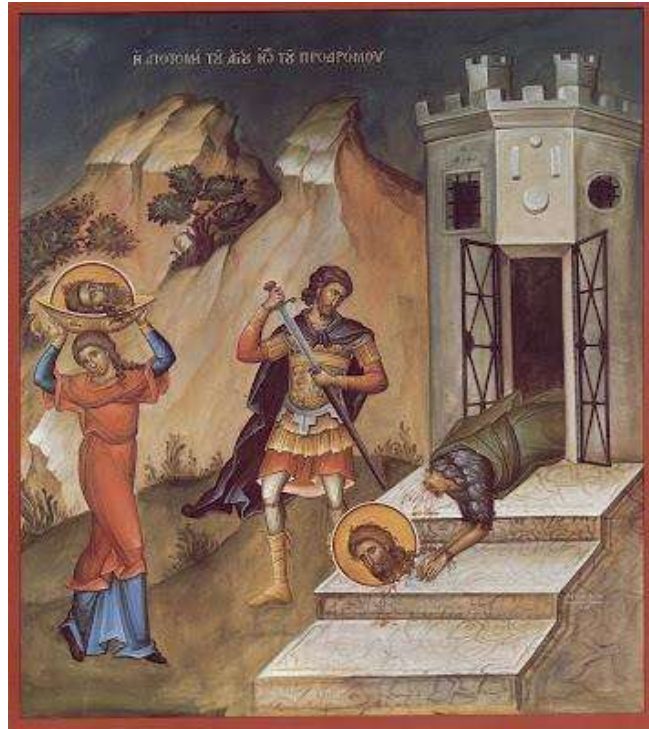
Gospel: Matt. 22:1-14

Communion Hymn, of Sunday

For Blessed Repose and Eternal Memory
Lory Kemner.

From the Desk of Father Bruce
<p>Glory to Jesus Christ!</p> <p>As I mentioned last week, I am in Northwest Indiana for my 50th High School Class reunion as well as the 125th Anniversary Liturgy for St. Mary Byzantine Church in Whiting (my parish of baptism). Bishop Robert will be the main celebrant. I will be back on Tuesday.</p> <p>August 29 is S Simple Holyday, the Beheading of John the Baptist. We will offer a Vesper Liturgy on the Vigil of the Feast.</p> <p>On Sunday I will begin my census work with each family in attendance. I will gather important information that will be held in confidence. Adam has everyone's address, phone number and e-mail. What I will be asking for is more along the lines of Sacramental data.</p> <p>I plan on holding "parish meetings" for the adults once a month after the Divine Liturgy. The first of which will be held September 8.</p> <p>I thank Fr. Joe Weber for making the trek from St. Louis to celebrate today's liturgy in my absence.</p> <p>Have a blessed week!</p>

Beheading of the Holy and Glorious Prophet John the Forerunner



Because John had denounced Herod Antipas for putting away his own wife and marrying the wife of his brother Philip, Herod imprisoned John. At a feast in honor of Herod's birthday, his stepdaughter Salome danced for him. Herod promised her anything; her mother Herodias told her to ask for the head of John on a platter. This martyrdom is commemorated on this day because a church was dedicated on this day to the Forerunner's beheading by the emperor Constantine and his mother Helena.