

# *Holy Virgin Dormition Russian Orthodox Church*

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The Prodigal Son

8 February 2026

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 2)

1 Corinthians 6:12-20; Luke 15:11-32

Next Sunday, 1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2; Matthew 25:31-46

*Vigil every Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM*

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REQUIEM MEMORIAL FOR TODAY

ND William Wareham (40<sup>th</sup> Day)

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Services This Week

Meeting of the Lord – Sunday, February 15

Saturday evening, 5:00 PM – Vigil

Sunday Morning, Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM with blessing of  
candles. (Sunday School 9:00 AM)

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SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (Feb 8/Jan 26)-  
*Maria, Paula, Arkady, John, Simeon, Ananius, Peter, Theodore,*  
*Joseph, Gabriel, David. MON- John (Chrysostom), Dimitri, Titus.*  
*TUE- Ephraim, Palladius, Isaac, Theodosius. WED- Ignatius,*  
*Lavrenty (Lawrence), Roman, James, Filotheus, Iperichius,*  
*Avivus, Julian, Parigoros, Sylvan, Luke, Mokius, Dimitri, Afraatus,*  
*Herasim, Pitirim, Jonah, Andrew. THUR- Three Saints: Basil the*  
*Great, Gregory the Theologian, John Chrysostom; Ippolit,*  
*Kensorin, Savinus, Chryisia, Theophilus, Zinonus, Peter. FRI-*  
*Kyrr, John, Athanasia, Theoctista, Theodotia, Evdoxia, Trifena,*  
*Victorin, Victor, Nikifor, Claudius, Diodor, Serapion, Papius, Nikita,*  
*Elijah (Ilia). SAT- Trifon, Peter, Vendemian, Perpetua, Felicitata,*  
*Satyr, Evokat, Satornilus, Secundus, Basil, Peter.*

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February Luncheon/CPR Training

A luncheon will be held today after services. This luncheon is sponsored by Beth Bratkowski and Debra Schultz. Immediately following the luncheon will be the CPR training.

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Meatfare Sunday Luncheon

We are asking for covered dishes for our annual meatfare luncheon. The luncheon will take place immediately following Liturgy on February 15<sup>th</sup>. If anyone needs a cooler or oven, they will be available for use. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church. The only purpose of the sign-up sheet is so we can have a wide variety of foods.

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Church Clean-up

We will be looking for volunteers to help with general church clean up on Saturday, February 21<sup>st</sup> beginning at 9:00 AM. There will be a list of chores to be completed in the back vestibule of the church. If anyone has any questions, please see Dan Klipa or Michael Mezhinsky.

Anyone or any students needing community service, this is the perfect opportunity to complete those requirements.

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Blessings Box Donations/Food Drive

Many may not even be aware that we now have a "blessing box" located on our property to help those in need in our community. We are holding a food drive to supply the blessings box with nonperishable items such as canned food, pasta, etc. Also, donations of cold weather items will also be accepted such as hats, gloves, scarves, etc. but we ask that these are new items. If you have any questions, please see Zachary Conner or a council member.