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CHURCH BULLETIN January 6 through January 14, 2019

Archangel Michael Orthodox Bookstore
Hours: 1-7pm Wed.-Sat., 11am-2pm Sundays
For off-hours appointments call 310-849-9451
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**BOOKSTORE CLOSED JANUARY 1—8, EXCEPT AROUND TIMES OF SERVICES
OR BY APPOINTMENT; CALL 310-849-9451 TO MAKE A SPECIAL VISIT TO THE BOOKSTORE**

- Sunday, January 6** **Sunday of the Fathers**
 9:00 a.m. Confessions, Hours, and Prayers before Holy Communion
 10:00 a.m. **Divine Liturgy** **Tone: 7** **Gospel:** Matthew 1:1-25 **Epistle:** Heb 11:9-10, 17-23, 32-40
 9:30 p.m. **NATIVITY VIGIL, Followed by 12:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy**
- Monday, January 7** **NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST—MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!!**
 12:00 a.m. **Divine Liturgy, followed by Potluck Feasting & Fellowship**
 2 p.m.—8 p.m. **TOMASI OPEN HOUSE (Call Matushka Deborah at 310-849-9451 for Directions & Parking)**
- Wednesday, January 9** **Fast-free Week**
 9:00 a.m. **Divine Liturgy** (*Third Day of Nativity; Protomartyr Stephen*)
 6:00 p.m. *Vespers (20,000 Martyrs of Nicomedia)*
- Thursday, January 10**
 6:00 a.m. *Matins (20,000 Martyrs of Nicomedia)*
 6:00 p.m. *Vespers (14,000 Holy Innocents slain by Herod at Bethlehem)*
- Friday, January 11** **Fast-free Week**
 6:00 a.m. **Divine Liturgy** (*14,000 Holy Innocents slain by Herod at Bethlehem*)
 6:00 p.m. *Vespers (Saturday after Nativity; Saturday before the Baptism of our Lord/Theophany)*
- Saturday, January 12** **“Italian Dinner Night” Fundraiser postponed until Saturday, January 19, 2019**
 7:00 a.m. *Matins & Hours (Saturday after Nativity; Saturday before the Baptism of our Lord/Theophany)*
 8:30 a.m. **Divine Liturgy** “ “ “ “
 5:00 p.m. *Resurrection Vigil*
- Sunday, January 13** **Apodosis/Leave-Taking of the Nativity of our Lord**
 9:00 a.m. Confessions, Hours, and Prayers before Holy Communion
 10:00 a.m. **Divine Liturgy** **Tone: 5** **Gospel:** Luke 17:12-19 **Epistle:** Col 3:12-16
 12:15 p.m. **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**
 1:30 p.m. **VIGIL—GREAT FEAST: CIRCUMCISION OF THE LORD; ST BASIL THE GREAT**
- Monday, January 14** **GREAT FEAST: CIRCUMCISION OF THE LORD; ST BASIL THE GREAT**
 8:00 a.m. *Matins (Circumcision; St. Basil)*
 9:00 a.m. **Divine Liturgy** “ “
 6:00 p.m. *Vespers (St. Seraphim of Sarov)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **THEOPHANY—SCHEDULE OF SERVICES: VIGIL: 6:00 P.M., FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 2018**
SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 2018:
 8:30 p.m. **DIVINE LITURGY**
 1:15 a.m. **BLESSING OF THE PACIFIC OCEAN**
 (Take Washington Blvd. to the ocean; meet at the south end of the parking lot, south of the pier)
- ❖ **“ITALIAN DINNER NIGHT” Fundraiser! Saturday, January 19—FOR ALL AGES**
 5:30 p.m. & 8:30 p.m. seatings: \$30 adults/\$15 children—RSVP by call or texting Matushka Deborah at 310-849-9451.
- ❖ **THE CHURCH HALL OFTEN SERVES AS AN OVERFLOW DURING SERVICES,** and we must strive to keep all areas of the building clean, quiet, prayerful during the Divine Liturgy and any other services. Also, OCA policy states that *children must be supervised in and around the Church at all times.* This includes Children’s Room, the Church, the bookstore, and inside and outside the front & back doors.