April 4, 2021 - Tone 2 Cross Veneration Sunday Hebrews 4:14-5:6 Mark 8: 34-9:1

### **Upcoming Services:**

Sun. Apr. 4 9:00am- Divine Liturgy-Hours at 8:45 Cross Veneration

Wed.Apr. 7 9:30am- Divine Liturgy-Annunciation of Mother of God

Fri. Apr. 9 6:30pm- Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

Sun. Apr. 11 9:00am- Divine Liturgy-Hours at 8:45 St. John Climacus

Wed. Apr. 14 6:30pm- Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

Fri. Apr. 16 9:30am- Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

Sun. Apr. 18 9:00am- Divine Liturgy-Hours at 8:45 St. Mary of Egypt



### The Great Lenten Prayer of St. Ephraim the Syrian

O Lord and Master of my life, take from me the spirit of sloth, despair, lust of power and idle talk. But give rather the spirit of chastity, humility, patience, and love to thy servant.

Yea, O Lord and King, grant me to see my own sins, and not to judge my brother, for Thou art blessed unto ages of ages. Amen

# Before Your Cross, we bow down in worship O Master, and Your Holy Resurrection We Glorify!!!

### The Cross Room

The young man was at the end of his rope. Seeing no way out, he dropped to his knees in prayer. "Lord, I can't go on," he said. "I have too heavy a cross to bear." The Lord replied, "My son, if you can't bear its weight, just place your cross inside this room. Then open that other door and pick out any cross you wish." The man was filled with relief. "Thank you, Lord," he sighed, and he did as he was told. Upon entering the other door, he saw many crosses, some so large the tops were not visible. Then he spotted a tiny cross leaning against a far wall. "I'd like that one, Lord," he whispered. And the Lord replied, "My son, that is the cross you just brought in."

- Submitted by Sharon Perry

#### Reader Schedule:

Sun. Apr. 4 - Greg Kuzmenchuk Sun. Apr. 11 - Wesley Hatch Sun. Apr. 18 - Greg Kuzmenchuk Sun. Apr. 25 - Wesley Hatch

### **Birthdays**

April 5- Lewis Branson, Matthew Shemonski April 8- Avelino Teijaro

## Anniversaries None this week

### Support the Church

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March 14th attendance: 24

### **April Charity**

Ukrainian Orphanage of Znamyanka

Please contact Father Nick to make an appointment for the Sacrament of Holy Confession

during Great and Holy Lent 484-786-8009 or ndilendorf1@gmail.com

Thank You to Ambrose and Linda Kozlowski for preparing the Holy Cross with flowers for this 3rd Sunday in Great and Holy Lent...Cross Veneration Sunday!!

Mr. E's, 313 W. King's Hwy in Coatesville will be having a benefit Community Night on April 8th from 5-10 pm for fire victim families. Our Sub-Dean Kurtis Lauser suffered damage in the fire several weeks ago! 15% of all sales will benefit the families. You can contact Mr. E's for more info about donations at 610 384-4356.

### ໝາຍ Prayer Corner ໝາຍ

For the Health of: Nancy Foreman, Lou Branson, Chris Mican, Gayle & George Gannon, Helen Domsohn, John Ruzchak, Brenda Euler, Marianne Kuzmenchuk, Amy Gindin, Michael & Dorothy Panaski, Darrell Kinney.

Names will be posted on Prayer Corner for 1 month. If someone's condition changes, please notify Father Nick ASAP!

For bulletin additions contact Father Nick by Friday 6 pm