Parish Council Member on Duty 12/08/24: Pete Politis, Jimmy Lambrinos, Evan Bofilios

**Prosforon:** Lisa Rondeau 12/08/24

**Coffee Hour:** Donation has been made to the Horry County Fire Fighters Pancake Breakfast, so please enjoy the

pancake breakfast in the hall after Church.

#### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND EVENTS:

### Friday, December 6th

Midnight Office 8:30 am

Matins 9:00 am

Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

# Sunday, December 8th - 10th Sunday of Luke

Midnight Office 8:30 am

Matins 9:00 am

Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

Parish Council Elections after Divine Liturgy

Church Christmas Dinner 5:30 pm

#### Monday, December 9th

Midnight Office 8:30 am

Matins 9:00 am

Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

#### Wednesday, December 11th

Byzantine Chant 5:30 pm

Bible Study & Catechism 6:30 pm

# Friday, December 13th

Holy Unction 6:00 pm

# Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Luke

Midnight Office 8:30 am

Matins 9:00 am

Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

#### OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS AND IMPORTANT DATES:

**Parish Council elections** will be held after Divine Liturgy on December 8<sup>th</sup>.

**The annual Christmas Party will be held at the Hall on December 8th starting at 5:30pm.** Dinner will be served; the children will sing carols, and Santa is expected to be among the quests.

St. John's 2025 New Years Eve Dinner will be December 31st at 8:30pm. See flyer.

*Prosforon Workshop* – There will be another prosforon workshop in the hall on Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am

Sunday School/Youth Information/Children's Greek Dancing – Please see the youth flyer for information.

Philoptochos – Deadlines are here for the Christmas Bake Sale, Poinsettias, and Community Christmas Card.

The Philoptochos Christmas Dinner will be December 10<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30pm at Giant Crab, \$30 per person. Please RSVP to Urania at 843-593-6930 or Mary at 843-254-1206. The next meeting is December 15<sup>th</sup> at 12:30pm.

**Daughters of Penelope** – Good news, all the Angels are gone off the tree and we sure appreciate all the participants making a child happy. Thank you to all! The gifts are due back by December 8<sup>th</sup> with the Angel tag attached. You can drop them off in the Church office. On December 22<sup>nd</sup>, Daughters of Penelope and AHEPA will have their Annual Christmas Dinner at Damons.

**Adult Greek Dancing (young adult/adult ages 17-90)** We are forming a young adult/adult (ages 17-90) Greek Dance Group for lessons. This dance group would perform at the Festival and other major holidays. Please contact Dena Paparis at 843-591-7623 for more information regarding the initial meeting to set up practice times.

#### Please do not leave children unattended in the Nursery.

If you would like to follow along with the liturgy service, you may do so on your tablet or smart phone at the following link: http://www.agesinitiatives.com/dcs/public/dcs/dcs.html

#### A NOTE TO OUR VISITORS

Please understand that Holy Communion is a sign of unity of our faith. Only Orthodox Christians that have prepared themselves through prayer, fasting, and periodic confession are permitted to participate in the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

We are glad to have you worshipping with us today.