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**JANUARY 7<sup>th</sup> – The Nativity of Our Lord - BOZIC**  
(The Adoration of the Magi & The Commemoration of the Shepherds)

**Today's Epistle Reading:**

**EPISTLE:** Galatians 4: 4-7

**Today's Gospel Readings:**

**LITURGY:** Mt. 2: 1-12

**The Festal Antiphons will be sung instead of the customary  
Antiphons...**

**Festal Troparion: (Tone 4)**

"Thy Nativity, O Christ our God, has shown to the world the light of wisdom!  
For by it, those who worshipped the stars were taught by a Star, to adore  
Thee, the Sun of Righteousness, and to know Thee, the Orient from on high!  
O Lord, Glory to Thee!"

**Festal Kontakion: (Tone 3)**

"Today the Virgin, gives birth to the Transcendent One; and the earth offers a  
cave to the Unapproachable One! Angels, with shepherds, glorify Him! The  
Wise men journey with the star, since for our sakes the eternal God was born  
as a little child!"

**Festal Entrance Verse:** *"Out of the womb before the morning star, have I begotten  
Thee; the Lord has sworn and will not change His mind: Thou art a priest forever  
after the Order of Melchizedek!"*

**THIS MONDAY – Synaxis of Theotokos – 9:30AM!**

**Today's Special Announcements and Events In Our Parish:**

**(1) TODAY:** we wish ALL of you a Joyous and Blessed Feast-Day,  
And invite you to join us for the Open House in the Hall after the  
Festal Liturgy!

**(2) Please pray for the health & well-being of our loved ones:**

Susan Anastas Michael Repasky Petar Vukelic  
Xenia Vranesevich Melva Lugares Helen Trkula  
Melva Buzzelli-NH Dorothy Medic-NH Nancy Belich  
Helen Mochan Milan Drobac Stella Medich-NH Presv. Linda Cervo  
Protinica Mira Filipovic Peter Lihass Demetrius Yandrich

**(3) Also pray for those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:**

+Margaret (Tootsie) Ivkovich +Boyd Anastas +Gary Trbovich  
+Milan Ikach +Sara Greyno +Eva Orr +Betsy Cannon  
+Danijela Belo +Arc. Polycarp Ramaeus +AP Angelo Artemas  
+AP Paul Lazor +AP Adam Yonitch +Eli Vojnovich  
+Eugene Gould +Amelia Opacic +Marsha Cugalj  
+Olga Yandrich +Vlade Baskot +Joseph Stercula  
+Victims of the Middle East Conflict!

**(4) REMINDER: the Calendar of Events for the rest of the Month:**

- Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>: Circumcision of the Lord Liturgy!
- Thursday, the 18<sup>th</sup>: Eve of Theophany – 9:30 AM Matins!  
(Lesser Blessing of Waters after – Blessing of Homes Begins!)
- Friday, the 19<sup>th</sup>: Theophany – Festal Liturgy – 9:30AM!  
(Great Blessing of Waters after)
- Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup>: Matins of St. John the Baptist – 9:30AM!
- Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup>: Matins at 9:15/Liturgy at 10AM!
- Saturday the 27<sup>th</sup>: St. Sava Day – Liturgy at 9:30AM!
- Sunday the 28<sup>th</sup>: CHURCH SLAVA – Join us!