

Saint Parascheva

Saint Parascheva Hears the Gospel

*Then He called the crowd to Him along with His disciples
and said: "Whosoever will come after Me, let him deny
himself and take up his cross, and follow me."*

Mark 8:34

1. She was born in about 1050 in Epivat (in Thrace) near the Marmara Sea.



2. Her parents were very wealthy and she had many beautiful clothes.

3. When she was 10 years old, she went to church and the Gospel reading she heard made her think, so she decided to change her life. She started giving away her beautiful clothes to poor people.

4. Her parents scolded her because they couldn't understand her, but she continued to give away her belongings to the poor. She joined a monastery and prayed.

5. After she died, her remains were brought to Iasi in Romania. Many people go to Iasi every year to celebrate her feast day. They believe she is a source of blessing for all those who call upon her in prayer.

October 14

Name: _____ Date: _____

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using the words
below.

Saint Parascheva was born in _____.

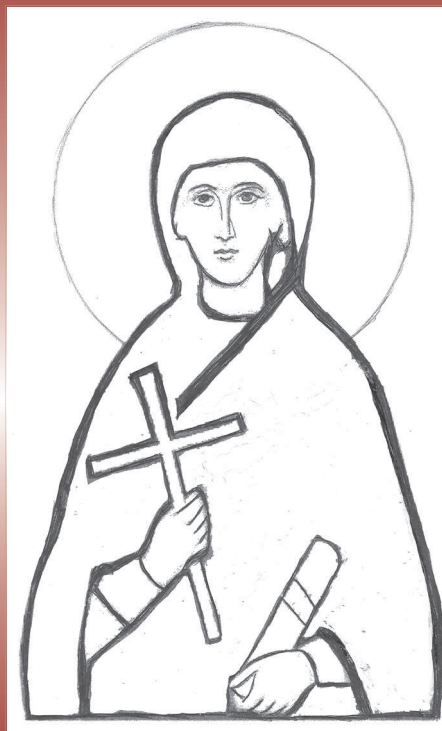
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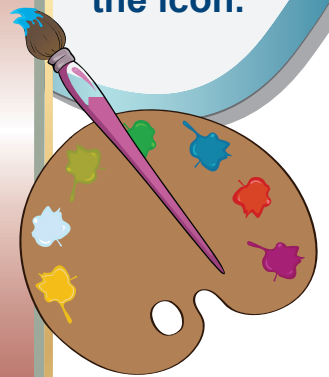
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After she died, her remains were brought to _____.

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PRAYER

*O Most Holy Trinity, have mercy on us, O Lord, blot out our sins,
O Master, pardon our iniquities. O Holy One, visit and heal our
infirmities for Thy name's sake.*