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MYSTERY OF HOLY CONFESSION: Before & after Saturday evening Vespers. Other Sacraments by appointment.

GOING TO THE HOSPITAL? Please notify Father when you are admitted if you want him to visit. Kindly notify Father also when you are discharged.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2018 DIVINE LITURGY 10:00 AM
GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST! GLORY FOREVER!
SLAVA ISUSU CHRISTU! SLAVA NA V'IKI!

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Propers for Tone 2 on pp. 84-86. *"Zastupnice"* from the hand-out sheets.

EPISTLE: 2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9. GOSPEL: Luke 5:1-11.

SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES

For the week of October 7:

- Sun., October 7:** (After Liturgy) Panachida in memory of +**James Kovalcik**. Requested by Fausto Lazo.
- Tues., October 9:** (6:30 PM) Moleben to the Most Holy Theotokos at the Prayer Garden.
- Sat., October 13:** (6:00 PM) Great Vespers with Litija for the Feast of the *Protection of the Birthgiver of God*. Propers for Tone 3 and the Feast.

Sunday, October 14:
FEAST OF THE PROTECTION OF
THE BIRTHGIVER OF GOD (POKROV)

9:30 AM: Preparation Prayers for Holy Communion.

10:00 AM: Divine Liturgy for the Feast of the *Protection of the Birthgiver of God*. Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Tropar for Tone 3 on p. 87. Tropar for the Protection on p. 113. GLORY... Kondak for Tone 3 on pp. 87-88. NOW & EVER... Kondak for the Protection on p. 113. Remaining Propers are from the Feast on p. 114. There will be *Mirovanije* (festive anointing) at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy.

THE ETERNAL LAMP burns with prayers and best wishes for a *Happy Birthday* to Kaz & Trevor. Requested with love by *GG Marie*.

THE RIGHT SIDE ALTAR LAMPS (Diakonikon) burn with prayers for Laney J. & Anna Ross. Requested by *Cindi & Laney Ross*.

THE TETRAPOD LAMPS burn with prayers for *Special Intentions*. Requested by *Theresa Reese*.

TODAY'S SUNDAY BULLETIN is sponsored in *Thanksgiving* to all parishioners for all the cards, prayers & love. With love from *Arleen Koval*.

COLLEGE STUDENT SUNDAY. TODAY has been designated as "*College Student Sunday*." There will be a *special collection* TODAY to assist the campus ministry of "Orthodox Christian Fellowship." Please do what you can!

A.C.R.Y. MEETING will be held TODAY, after the Divine Services. All members are asked to attend.

OUR DEANERY 3-D DINNER will be held TODAY at the *Edgewood Country Club* in Pittsburgh, PA. Hors D'Oeuvres at 4:15 PM, followed by Dinner at 5:00 PM. Father and Pan'i will leaving for Pittsburgh after services.

OUR BIBLE STUDY GROUP will meet *this coming* Thursday, October 11 at 6:30 PM in the church basement.

OUR MONTHLY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING will be held *next* Sunday, October 14, after the Pot-Luck Coffee Hour. All Council members should be present for this meeting.

OUR ANNUAL CHINESE AUCTION is scheduled for Sunday, October 21, 2018. Please plan to donate a prize/gift valued at \$10.00.

CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT SALE. Our Church School students are selling laser-cut wooden ornaments now through October 28th. Proceeds from this sale will benefit The Zoe House Project as the childrens' annual advent outreach service project. Please see one of our church school children to place your order over the next couple of weeks. Ornaments are \$6 each with payment due upon ordering. Orders will be filled around December 1.

A WORKSHOP on "*Raising Believing Children*" will be held on Saturday, October 27 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM at Camp Nazareth in Mercer, PA. Child care will be provided by Camp Nazareth. Lunch and snacks will also be provided. A freewill offering will be taken at the door. Presentations and discussions will be led by *His Grace, Bishop Gregory of Nyssa* and *Very Rev. Stephen Loposky*. To register for this event, please go to acrod.org.

BAKING DAYS for the upcoming Craft Fair will be Tuesday, October 30 thru Thursday, November 1.

OUR CRAFT FAIR will be held on Saturday, November 3 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in the basement of the church. Proceeds will benefit our parish A.C.R.Y. Our famous Nutrolls will be available for purchase, while they last, on the day of the Craft Fair. **No pre-orders!** Lots of hand-made crafts. Various Crafters and Vendors will be present: *Tupperware, Scentsy, "31," Essential Oils* and more. Lunch items will be available. Hope to see you there!

CEMETERY CLEAN-UP. As you prepare to remove all old flowers and arrangements from the graves of your loved ones, we ask that you please do not dispose of these items by throwing them over the hillside. There is a special *disposal container* at the cemetery for your convenience. Please use this container for the disposal of all trash. *Thank you!*

APPLY YOUR EFFORT.....

“Of a certain orator of olden times it is said that he strove day and night to perfect his oratory. Someone said to him: ‘Demosthenes will never permit you to be the chief orator!’ To which he at once replied: ‘Nor will I permit him to be the only orator!’ If you can’t be a first-class saint, like Saint Anthony, don’t shrug your shoulders and say: ‘I can’t do anything.’ But apply your effort and double your talent. ‘In My Father’s house are many mansions,’ said the Lord. If you deserve only to find yourself in the smallest of these mansions, you will be more glorious and happier than any earthly monarch who has ever lived. To each according to his talent. You won’t be a Saint Anthony — but the Kingdom of God is not entirely populated by Saint Anthonies!”

— Saint Nikolai of Žiča

LOTS-O-LUCK CALENDARS are once again available for a donation of **\$25.00**. This important National A.C.R.Y. fundraiser supports “Diocesan Funds.” Please see *Marie Kovalcik* if you would like to purchase a calendar. Winning numbers and cash amounts will be determined by the 3-digit Pennsylvania Lottery, the first Lottery number drawn daily at 7:00 PM; and the amount listed on the calendar for that day.

These calendars will go fast! Get yours while supplies last!

CHURCH ATTENDANCE

Saturday Vespers (9/29) — 4
Sunday Divine Liturgy (9/30) — 52
Moleben to the Holy Cross (10/3) — 8

UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2018

Sunday, October 7 — Distinguished Diocesan Donors Appreciation Dinner at the Edgewood Country Club in Pittsburgh, PA. Hors D’oeuvres at 4:15 PM. Dinner at 5 PM.

Sunday, October 21 — Chinese Auction.

Tuesday, October 30 thru Thursday, November 1 — Bake Sale work days.

Saturday, November 3 — Craft Fair from 9 AM — 2 PM.

Friday, November 9 to Sunday, November 11 — Jr. A.C.R.Y. Fall Youth Encounter.

Sunday, November 11 — Yearly Congregational Meeting.

Sunday, December 16 — Saint Nicholas Dinner.
