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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, JUNE 11, 2017 DIVINE LITURGY 8:00 AM
GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST! GLORY FOREVER!
SLAVA ISUSU CHRISTU! SLAVA NA V'IKI!

THE SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS: Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Propers as given on pp. 217-218. There will be *Mirovanije* (festive anointing) at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy.

EPISTLE: Hebrews 11:33-12:2. GOSPEL: Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30.

SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES

For the week of June 11:

- Thurs., June 15:** (6:30 PM) Moleben to the Most Holy Theotokos at the Prayer Garden.
- Sat., June 17:** (6:00 PM) Great Vespers for the *Second Sunday after Pentecost*. Propers for Tone 1 and the Carpatho-Rusin Saints.

June 18: The 2nd Sunday after Pentecost
Synaxis of the Carpatho-Rusin Saints

9:30 AM: Preparation Prayers for Holy Communion.

10:00 AM: **Divine Liturgy** for the *Second Sunday after Pentecost and the Synaxis of the Carpatho-Rusin Saints*. Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Tropar for Tone 1 on p 81. Special Propers sheets for the Carpatho-Rusin Saints. Prokimen & Alleluia Verses for Tone 1 on p. 83.

THE ETERNAL LAMP burns in *Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered* for **Kendal McKeegan & Family**. Requested by *Cindi & Laney Ross*.

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

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

THE APOSTLES' FAST, also known as the Saints Peter & Paul Fast, begins **TOMORROW, June 12** and concludes with the Feast of Saints Peter & Paul on Wednesday, July 12. This is a time for more prayer, fasting, repentance and doing works of charity.

OUR BIBLE STUDY GROUP will meet *this coming* **Wednesday, June 14** at 6:30 PM in the church basement. If you signed-up or expressed interest, please try to come!

THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING for June has been *cancelled*.

THE 31'ST ANNUAL GRECIAN FOOD FESTIVAL will be held at *Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church* grounds in Steubenville *this* **Tuesday, June 13** through **Friday, June 16**. The festival will open each day at **11:00 AM** and close at **9:00 PM**.

THE SYNAXIS OF THE CARPATHO-RUSIN SAINTS, instituted in our Diocese in 2005 by His Eminence, +Metropolitan Nicholas, will be observed *next Sunday*. Special Propers sheets for this occasion will be available in the back of church.

NEXT SUNDAY, June 18 is also **FATHER'S DAY**. We will offer special prayers in honor of all of our fathers at the Liturgy *next Sunday*. We will also remember our departed fathers at the Panachida following Liturgy *next Sunday*.

FATHER'S DAY DINNER. Please plan to stay and join us here at the church after the Divine Liturgy *next Sunday, June 18* for a special meal in honor of the men of the parish on Father's Day. *Come and join your parish family next Sunday in honoring all of our Dads on their special day!*

THE NEXT LADIES' ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING will take place on **Sunday, June 25** afet the Divine Services.

MISSING TOOLS. If anyone knows the whereabouts of some pruning tools and a rake that were inadvertently left at our parish cemetery, please contact **Debbie Bartyzel**. Thank you!

ORTHODOX CHURCH FINDER. If you are traveling or vacationing, and need to locate a nearby Orthodox church, you can use this site to quickly and easily find a place to worship:

<http://orthodoxinamerica.org>

ICON PRAYER CARDS with a prayer for those who are traveling are again available in the back of church. Please feel free to take one!

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING. Our Church Cleaning Committee is asking everyone to please tidy-up the pew area where you sit in church. Also, please do not leave books and articles of clothing in the pews from week to week. Thank you for your cooperation!

CHURCH KITCHEN CLEANING. The Cleaning Committee is also planning a kitchen appliance cleaning for sometime in July. The ovens, stoves, mixers, sinks, etc. are in need of some TLC and attention. A sign-up sheet will soon be posted, and you can choose what you want to work on. Please see **Joni Turner** for more details.

A WARNING TO THE WISE
“A SURE SIGN OF THE DEADENING
OF THE SOUL IS THE AVOIDANCE
OF CHURCH SERVICES.”

— SAINT JOHN CLIMACUS

CHURCH ATTENDANCE

Saturday Evening Vespers (6/3) — 5
Pentecost Divine Liturgy (6/4) — 84
Liturgy for Spirit Monday (6/5) — 14
Moleben to the Theotokos (6/7) — 9

YOUNG LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: If you are interested in attending the annual Altar Boys' Retreat or the Young Women's Encounter, both events being held from **Sunday, June 25 thru Wednesday, June 28**, the time to register is **NOW**.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2017

Please mark your calendars now!

TODAY — 40'th Annual ***Family Day*** Celebration at Camp Nazareth in Mercer, PA. Father & Pan'i away.

Sunday, June 18 — Father's Day.

Sunday, June 25 thru Wednesday, June 28 — Diocesan Altar Boys' Retreat & Young Women's Encounter.

Sunday, July 17 to Saturday, July 23 — Tri-State Deanery Summer Camp Week.

DOING OUR PART

A brother said to Father Anthony: “Pray for me.” The elder said to him: “I will have no mercy upon you, nor will God have any, if you yourself do not make an effort and if you do not pray to God.”

DO NOT SIN, THINKING THAT
YOU CAN ALWAYS REPENT....

“Our frail nature would not be strong enough if God's justice were to rise up to take vengeance. Therefore, He employs mercy, since at all times we are held by debt. But do not sin, O man, expecting that you will repent; and do not succumb [to sin] being confident of forgiveness! Remember that death will not delay. Do not craftily seek means to draw nigh the pleasure of sin with a knavish mind! God is not mocked [Gal. 6:7]. His knowledge precedes your thoughts. Affliction will overtake you suddenly, and when you cry out, He will not answer you.”

+ St. Isaac the Syrian, *The Ascetical Homilies*, Homily 64