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Sunday, August 4th, 2024

The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Saint Mary Magdalene

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am

Blessing of Vehicles after Divine Liturgy

Panachida for***: +Colleen Parlock*** offered by Paulette Parlock: ***+Barbara Martyak*** offered by Marilyn Galbraith; ***+George Dzura*** offered by Pani Kathy Buczak; and ***+Larry Buksa*** offered by Kathy Feathers

Resurrection Tone 5 - Tropar & Kondak: pages 93-95

Epistle: Romans 12:6-14 Gospel: Matthew 9:1-8

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Services for the week of August 4th

Wed. 8/07 … +Anastasia and Peter Koban offered by their children; +Stephen Schaffer; and +Ruth, Paul, and Paul Denny Pavlik (Perpetual)..……8:00 am

Moleben to Saint Nectarios with holy anointing……6:00 pm

Thur. 8/08 …+Elizabeth Berezonsky, +John Sr. and John Lanko Jr. (Perpetual).……..8:00 am

Sat. 8/10 … Great Vespers……..6:00 pm

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Sunday, August 11th, 2024

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

The Holy Martyr Callinicus

Divine Liturgy/ Choir Sunday – 9:00 am

Panachida for ***+Kathryn Chupka and Nicholas Don, and John P. Chupko*** offered by Kathryn Oravec; ***+John, Helen, John, Anna, Mary, Mary, Stephen, Glenn, Stephen, Stephen and Ignaty*** offered by John Hobor; ***+Evelyn Kozar*** offered by Michael and Diana Pirich; +***Shirley Yurosko Koval (11th Anniversary)*** offered by daughter, Susan Koval; ***+Michael and Mary Pavlik (Birthday Remembrance)*** offered by Roger Pavlik; ***+Anthony and Eva Franchak*** offered by Eva O'savage; and ***+David, John, Agnes, Joseph and Sarah Lipnick*** offered by Mary Lipnick

Resurrection Tone 6 - Tropar & Kondak: pages 96-98

Epistle: Romans 15:1-7 Gospel: Matthew 9:27-35

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Services for the week of August 11th

Thur. 8/15 … +Komisar Family – Parents, Helen and Nicholas, Brothers - John and Michael, Sisters and Husbands - Mary and Stephen Chizmar, Helen and Samuel Smith, Olga Windmueller, Grandson Frank Rolley, Niece Gwendolyn Dutton; and Andrew and Theresa Kerestesy; and +Mary and Edward Tavalsky offered by their children ……..8:00 am
Sat. 8/17 … Great Vespers……..6:00 pm

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Sunday, August 18th, 2024

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

The Holy Martyr Eusignius of Antioch

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am

Panachida for ***+Michael and Mary Jagar; +Pani Mary Dutko*** offered by Msgr. Stephen Dutko; ***+James Buchkoski; +Catherine Dedianko*** offered by Patricia Dedianko; ; ***+John Homyak, Jr.*** offered by Carol Devine; ***+Olga Dzura*** offered by Pani Kathy Buczak; ***+Mary Muchesko*** offered by the Muchesko family; ***+Mary Horner, Michael and Mary Morochko, Ann Kmec and Mary Ruth Horner*** offered by Ruth Horner; ***+Andrew and Katherine Kesselak*** (Wedding Anniversary Remembrance), and the departed members of the Kesselak Family: ***+Mary John, Veronica, Andrew, Mary, Mark, Nicholas and Elizabeth, Steve, Mary, Pauline, Ruby and Michael, and Johnny*** offered by Kay and Nick Timko and the Kesselak Family; **+**Departed Cathedral Altar Society Members; ***+Daniel Korinko; +Nicholas and Julie Mosorjak***; ***+Alberta Hanak*** offered by Mr. and Mrs. John Barberio; and ***+Donna Zizan*** offered by Nick and Wendy Slachta.

Resurrection Tone 7 - Tropar & Kondak: Pages 99-101

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18 Gospel: Matthew 14:14-22

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ALTAR FLOWERS – The Altar is beautified with flowers on ***Sunday, August 4th in memory of +Coleen Parlock by her daughter Paulette Parlock.***

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THE ETERNAL LAMP & THE ALTAR CANDLES - Are offered as the ***40th Day Remembrance of +Barbara Martyak by Stella Nitkulinec.***

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BIRTHDAY PRAYERS – ***Clair Nash (8/4), Dorothy Hammers (8/8), and Anastasia Wisnosky (8/10).*** You were remembered in Proskomedia!

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ETERNAL MEMORY FUND -*In memory of Barbara Martyak*

Father Robert and Pani Kathy Buczak - $25.00
Thomas Fultz - $25.00
Nicholas and Wendy Slachta - $50.00
Vivian Slachta - $50.00
Rose Ann DeCoske - $25.00
Joye and Courtney Matolyak - $20.00
Christ the Saviour Cathedral A.C.R.Y. Chapter 20 - $100.00
Nicholas Bocher and Susan Kalcik - $25.00
Michael and Sandra Haschak - $25.00
Haschak Family - $25.00
Robin Nitkulinec and Kristin Cook - $25.00
Pani Betty Jean Baranik - $25.00
David and Sueann Barron - $50.00
Kenneth and Michelle Clair - $50.00
Gerald and Patricia Horvath - $50.00
Richard and Deborah Youchak - $100.00
Kevin and Daria Gerety - $100.00
David and Deborah Tvardzik - $250.00
Stephen Martyak - $500.00
Stephen Martyak - $500.00 (Seminary Building Fund)
Stephen Martyak - $500.00 (Cemetery Fund)

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ACRY News

The 2024 National ACRY Convention Booklet Ads are available until Sunday, August 4, 2024. A quarter page Memorial listing is $20.00, Patrons are $10.00, and Boosters are $5.00. Please see Rose Ann DeCoske or Melanie Dudak if you are interested.

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CHRISTMAS IN JULY – SATURDAY'S KITCHEN

As part of our fundraiser, a Love Tree, has been set up in the vestibule of the church. Please take an envelope from the tree and place your donation into the box located next to the tree. Your gift helps to provide the needs of the 24 food pantries in the Johnstown area, St. Vincent de Paul, the Salvation Army, and daily and weekend meals at the local soup kitchen. May God bless you!
With love and appreciation – ***Joan and Ron Bost and the entire Saturday's Kitchen board.***

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PARISH PICNIC – SUNDAY September 8th - Save the Date!

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FOR CONSIDERATION

Real, genuine joy and delight can only be found in Christ. If you unite with Him through prayer, your soul will find fulfillment. People with a secular sprit seek joy in self-indulgence. Some spiritual people seek it in theological discussions, talks and so on. But when these things have finished, they are left with a void, wondering what to do next. No matter what these activities are, sinful or indifferent, the bottom line is the same.

Satisfying the heart's worldly desires does not result in spiritual joy; it only brings anxiety. Worldly joy actually causes anxiety for spiritual people. Worldly joy is fleeting and untrue; a momentary joy… This is material joy; it is not spiritual. Material pleasure cannot satisfy the human soul. All they do is fill it with trash. When we experience spiritual joy, then we will no longer desire material joy. When I awake, I shall be satisfied with beholding Thy glory (Psalm 17:15). Material pleasures bring fatigue rather than rest to a spiritual person. If you place a spiritual person in a worldly-minded home, he will not be comfortable. Even those who have a worldly-minded or secular spirit may feel comfortable at first, but in the end they too feel uneasy. Their enjoyment is external, superficial; inside they suffer.

Elder Paisios the Athonite

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QUOTES FROM THE HOLY FATHERS

Time is short, and it is unknown when it will expire. Therefore, let us struggle and be careful and expel every evil thought with anger and fervent prayer. And if we shed tears we shall benefit greatly, for tears cleanse the soul and make it whiter than snow. Let us stand ready for battle courageously, for we wrestle against powers of darkness, which never make allies and never lessen their attacks. Therefore, let us rouse ourselves not to be drowsy, for our eternal life is at stake. If we lose the victory, we have lost our soul, have utterly lost eternal rest and joy in God, and have condemned ourselves to the second death, which is separation from God – may this not come to pass.

Elder Ephraim of the Holy Mountain

You must pray not only with words but with the mind, and not only with the mind but with the heart, so that the mind understands and sees clearly what is said in words, and the heart feels what the mind is thinking. All these combined together constitute real prayer, and if any of them are absent your prayer is either not perfect, or is not prayer at all.

St. Theophan the Recluse

There is only one right path. It is narrow and constricted. It doesn't have any way to turn on one side or the other. No matter how we step away from it, there is always the danger of straying hopelessly away. As a result, we must correct the habit many people have gotten into as much as possible. I mean those who fight strenuously against the more wicked pleasures, yet who still hunt for pleasure in worldly honor and position of power. They act like slaves who longed for freedom, but, instead of working to get away, they only change their masters.

St. Gregory of Nyssa

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PRAYER CHAIN

Thomas Buczak	Judith Rowlands	Dwight Nugle	Paul Kalinyak	Matushka Mary Margaret
Steve Martyak	Angeline Komara	Rose and Terry Fyock	John Rosiak	Remona Blunt-Wall
Veronica Buczak	Arianna Risso	Rosalia Horner	Louis Pocchiari	Patti Sweeney
Michael Sakmar	Charlie Erisman	Beverly Mayo	Ed and Christine Sakmar	Samantha Salway
Joseph Muchesko	Rachael Costlow	Al Kuzmyak	Julie Locher	Joan Bost
Roberta Kovalik	Marshall Rosenow	Michael Paul Gost	Denise Stroud	Cheryl Reese
Kira Pronin	Shirley Mazurak	Brooklyn Balamuto	Brianna Thompson	Sheri Smay
Alexxa Lowery	Lloyd Broadwater	Matushka Helen Jasiukowicz	Elijah Groff	Geroge Kuzmiak
Romayne Laichak	Nick Timko	Joanne Democko	Michael Mehalacki	Jackson Enhro
Zachary Rogina	Erin Demich	Robert and Barbara Stokes	Matthew Hanak	Lisa Luterman
Ron Kuzmyak	Mary Ann Muchesko	Marcia Matthews	Carol Labad	Jeanne Norris
Paul Kalcik	Joella Hamlin	Jolene McClain	Carter McAuly	Kristo Burkett
Henry Laichak	Donna Martyak	Georgene Coulter	Michael Yaremenko	Amanda May
Ronald Kmet	Michaela Miller	Tanya Britan	Alex Yarementko	Jean Romesburg
Barry Gilchrist	Arianna Jade Miller	Frank and Daniel Porembka	Pauline and Margaret Blehi	Michael and MaryAnn Savering
Robert Janeway	Taylor Miller	Dr. Rose Ann Jordan	Lauri LaBuda	Marilyn Stolzfus
Andy Walls	Jennifer Gardenhour	Demetra Mavrophilipos	Dorothy and Kathy Bayconish	Spenser Kreger
Eva Zeleniak-Whitak	Valentina and Olga Yaremenko	Rose Conjelko	Nicholas and Carole Blitva	Zander Marshall
Malcolm Barnes	Steve Prieber	Cindy Birth	Lorie Joseph	Kara Dorsey
Ann Koehnlein	Aberdeen Rudge	Roger Zankey	Mary Frances Dutko	Ronald Patrick
Larry Eisenhauer	Pat Hanuska	Jess Ambrose	Clarabella Knight	Lisa Daugherty

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