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Vol. 79 No. 1817 **Sunday, June 12th, 2022**

The Feast of Pentecost

Descent of the Holy Spirit



Epistle: Acts 2: 1-11 Tropar & Kondak: pages 213-216 Gospel: John 7:37-52; 8:12

The Kneeling Prayers of Pentecost – after Divine Liturgy

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June 13th, 2022

Pentecost Monday

Day of the Holy Spirit

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am

Epistle: Ephesians 5:9-19 Tropar and Kondak 213-217 Gospel: Matthew 18:10-20

Processional Gospels: Matthew 12:30-37; Mark 13:9-13; Luke 11: 9-13; John 16:1-13

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Services for the week of June 12th

Thu. 6/16 …+ David, John, Agnes, Joseph, and Sarah Lipnick offered by Mary Lipnick; +All Orthodox Christians offered by Julia Hamilla; +Mary and John Kindya offered by Lucy Tomko and family; +John Yurosko (Birthday Remembrance) offered by Family, Relatives and friends; +Michael Bock; Sister Nymphondora (Eleanor Dussling) (Perpetual).....8:00 am

Sat. 6/18 … ***Vespers at a Special Time - 4:00 pm***

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Sunday, June 19th, 2022

The First Sunday after Pentecost

The Sunday of all Saints

Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am

Resurrection Tone 8 - Tropar & Kondak: pages 217-218

Epistle: Hebrews 11:33-40; 12:1-2

Gospel: Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30

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Services for the week of June 19th

Mon. 6/20 … +Protopresbyter John Yurcisin; +Andrew and Theresa Kerestesy (Wedding Anniversary Remembrance) offered by their family; +John, Michael and John Yech offered by Mary Yech (Perpetual)…….8:00 am

Sat. 6/25 … Great Vespers……..6:00 pm

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Sunday, June 26th, 2022

The Second Sunday after Pentecost

Synaxis of Carpatho-Rusyn Saints

Divine Liturgy/ Choir Sunday - 9:00 am

Panachida for ***+William Dudak*** offered by Jeremiah Lasky; ***+Reader Andrew Talarovich*** offered by Fr. Robert and Pani Kathy Buczak; ***+Michael J. Hanak*** offered by Ms. Rilla Manno and Family; ***+Elsie Arendas*** offered by Sue Deitle and Family; ***+Donna Yarina*** offered by Dan and Dee Tvarozna; ***+Helen K. Heranic and Basil Kudzina*** offered by Michael Heranic***; +Steve Dedianko*** offered by Patricia Dedianko; ***+Anna, John, and George Havrilesko*** (Perpetual); and ***+John and Mary Ruth*** Horner offered by Rosalie Horner.

Resurrection Tone 1

Epistle: Romans 2:10-16 Tropar & Kondak: pages 81-83 Gospel: Matthew 4:18-23

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PANACHIDA SERVED

A Panachida was served on Sunday, June 5th, 2022 in memory of ***Donna Yarina (1st Anniversary of falling asleep)*** offered by her cousin ***Helen Penkosky***.

A Panachida was served Tuesday, June 7th for ***Mary Hanak*** offered by sisters ***Dorothy Hanak Bayconish and Margaret Hanak Blehi.***

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THE ETERNAL LAMP AND ALTAR CANDLES – are offered as a 70th Birthday Remembrance of ***Randy Horbal by his brothers and sisters***.

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SPECIAL THANKS – to ***Jon and Karen Littlefield*** for their kind donation of $260.00 to help our children go to summer camp this year.

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BIRTHDAY PRAYERS – are offered ***Jehan AlZreigat (6/14), Roger Pavlik (6/16), Tamara Benc (6/16).*** You were remembered in Proskomedia!

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ALTAR FLOWERS – The Altar and Tetrapod are beautified with flowers in honor of ***the Feast of Pentecost and the Birthday into Orthodoxy of Stephanie Kennedy by an anonymous donor***.

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HELP NEEDED

The Borough of Windber is celebrating its Quasquicentenial in July and our **Seminary Bookstore** will be selling items at the event. We are in need of some help. If you are able to help for a few hours on July 1st, 2nd or 3rd, please contact Pani Betty Jean Baranik at 814-790-2500.

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HELP OFFERED

The Cathedral parish is starting a new service called **"Orthodox Strong Men - Help Needed, Help Offered."** There are those among us who on occasion need a strong man to help with certain small tasks around the house. There is a sign-up sheet in the Cathedral Auditorium to connect those who need some help with those who are willing and able to offer it. Please consider this useful new Orthodox Stewardship Committee to make your life useful and easier.

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BLUE BERRY SALE

We are selling 10-pound boxes of delicious New Jersey blueberries. Send check or money order at $30.00 per box to Dee Tvarozna, 1504 Mary Drive, Johnstown, Pa. 15905. Deadline to order is Friday, June 24th, 2022; pick-up Thursday, July 7th 2022 between 1 and 3 pm at Christ the Saviour Cathedral – Butler Avenue side.

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ALTAR BOY RETREAT

The Annual Altar Boy Retreat will take place Sunday, June 26th (Registration is from 6- 8 p.m.) until Wednesday, June 29th. This year's outing will be a visit to the Flight 93 Memorial where we will serve a Panachida and have lunch before proceeding to Caddie Shak adventure park for the rest of the afternoon. Our faithful Altar Servers join other Altar Boys from across our Diocese.

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EDUCATIONAL CENTER NEWS

The Educational Center invites all members to join us for an "Appreciation Luncheon" Sunday, June 12th after Divine Liturgy at the Center. The Center's officers and directors are working diligently toward achieving the goal of keeping the Center within our membership. We appreciate and ask for your continued help with the operational building cost of the Educational Center by contributing to the following: The Educational Center Maintenance Envelopes, The Giving Tree Plaque (to purchase a leaf or dove in celebration or memory of a loved one please contact Rose Ann DeCoske at 717-925-9041), Gertrude Hawk Candy and Tony's Subs (sold in the Cathedral Hall after Divine Liturgy by Justin and Amanda Dutko 814-525-4425).

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CAMP NAZARETH SUMMER CAMP 2022 REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

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QUOTES FROM THE HOLY FATHERS On the Descent of the Holy Spirit!

"Why did He (the Holy Spirit) appear in the form of tongues? It was to demonstrate that He shared the same nature as the Word of God, for there is no relationship closer than that between word and tongue. It was also because of teaching, since teaching Christ's Gospel needs a tongue full of grace. But why fiery tongues? Not just because the Spirit is coessential with the Father and the Son – for, 'Our God is a consuming fire' (Hebrews 12:29), a fire consuming wickedness – but also because of the twofold energy of the apostles' preaching, which can bring forth both benefit and punishment. As it is the property of fire to illuminate and burn, so Christ's teaching enlightens those who obey but finally hands over the disobedient to eternal fire and punishment…Why did the tongues appear to be divided among them? Because the Spirt is given by measure by the Father…Each one obtained different gifts, lest anyone should suppose the grace given to the saints by the Holy Spirit was theirs by nature." **– *St. Gregory Palamas***

The Holy Spirit is correctly called a Paraclete (Comforter) because, by producing a desire for the heavenly life, He raises up and restores the hearts of believers lest they should falter amidst the adversaries of this age. Hence, as Holy Church increased, it was said in Acts: 'Then, indeed, were churches throughout all of Judea and Galilee and Samaria having peace, being built up and proceeding in fear of the Lord, and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit they were multiplied. (Acts 9:31).'" – ***St. Bede***

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PRAYER CHAIN

Thomas Buczak
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Annie Mishurda
Steve Martyak
Joan Wine
Jessica McLaughlin
Michael Sakmar
Joseph Muchesko
Roberta Kovalik
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Alexxa Lowery
Romayne Laichak
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Arianna Risso
Charlie Erisman
Rachael Costlow
Marshall Rosenow
Shirley Mazurak
Donna Babble
Richard Barnes
Michael Logan
Lloyd Broadwater
Nick Timko
Erin Demich

Mary Ann Muchesko
Joella Hamlin
Donna Martyak
Veronica Ronchak
Mary Jane Matolyak
Michaela Miller
Arianna Jade Miller
Taylor Miller
Jennifer Gardenhour
Margaret Blehi
Valentina Yaremenko
Olga Yaremetko
Steve Prieber
Aberdeen Rudge
Pat Hanuska
Dwight Nugle
Rose and Terry Fyock
Rosalia Horner
Beverly Mayo
Al Kuzmyak
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Victoria Bennett

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Julie Locher
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Aniee Himes
Michael Mehalacki
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