



ST. GEORGE'S DIVINE SERVICE

Sunday, August 18 Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Readings: 1 Cor. 16:13-24; Mt. 21:33-42

9:10 A.M. Third Hour;

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Supplications will be offered for+ **Maria Pyptyk on the 40st day after her death, given by Alexandra & Michael Kozak.**

Supplications will be offered for+ **Lyudmyla on the 40st day after her death, given by friend Halyna Sibruk.**

Tuesday, August 20 The Holy prophet Samuel

Readings: 2 Cor. 12:20-13:2; Mk. 4:24-34

9:00 A. M. Divine Liturgy

Repose of Maria Pyptyk (By Eva Salo)

Repose of Anthony Fedyna (By LUC)

Thursday, August 22 St. Agathonicus and other Martyrs

Readings: gal. 1:1-10; Mk. 5:1-10

7:00 P.M. Moleben to the Mother of God

Saturday, August 24 The return of the relics of the Holy Apostle Bartholomew;

The Holy Apostle Titus

Readings: 2 Cor. 1:21-2:4; Mt. 22:1-14

5:00 P.M. Great Vespers

6:30 P.M. Vigil Divine Liturgy (McKees Rocks)

Sunday, August 25 Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Readings: 2 Cor. 1:21-2:4; Mt. 22:1-14

9:10 A.M. Third Hour; 9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Supplications will be offered for+**Leroy Engel JR, given by mother Rose Engel.**

Supplications will be offered for+**Eric Fuchs, given by godmother Mary Siwecky.**

Health, wellbeing on Debbie Label, By Michael & Victoria senko

What will the owner of the vineyard do?

Solve the math problems to fill in the blanks.

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15 time	14 the	13 will	12 him	
10 the	18 rent	9 tenants	7 other	
5 crop	17 vineyard	3 give	2 to	
11 will	16 share	6 harvest	1 at	

6+2	15-4	9+9	4+6	
19-2	5-3	4+3		
11-2	11+9	16-3		
9-6	9+3	25-4	8+8	
8-4	7+7	10-5	3-2	13+6
7-1	9+6			

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost



The Lord said this parable, "There was a householder who planted a vineyard, and set a hedge around it, and dug a wine press in it, and built a tower, and let it out to tenants, and went into another country. When the season of fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants, to get his fruit; and the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another..."

In this parable, the vineyard is Israel. The owner is God. Israel is hedged around with natural borders. The winepress is the altar, the tower is the Temple. The tenants are the Jews. The servants are those sent by God, the prophets and holy ones who reminded the Jews that Israel was not theirs but God's. But what did the Jews do? They beat and stoned and killed first the servants and then the heir, the Son of God. Why? Because they wanted everything for themselves. And so they ceased to be God's people, they ceased to be Israel and were cast out of their land and scattered over all the face of the earth. Israel was given to others: the New Israel, the Church, was born.

However, this parable is also addressed today to us Christians of the New Israel. The vineyard is the planet where we Christians live. It is hedged around by the presence of the Church. The wine-press is the altar. And the tower is the Church. And the servants are the saints. And we should ask ourselves what we have done with God's saints who have been sent for our repentance?

We, Christians, are the new people of God, and God wants us to bear the fruits of justice and holiness. On this particular Sunday we are to ask ourselves: Do we care to build the Kingdom of God as we care to build our material houses? Do we take care of God's vineyard as he took care of us? Are we growing in Christian stature? Are we more forgiving than we were in the past? Are we giving more to the Lord's work in our Churches? Do we attend Divine Services more often than in the past? Are we more concerned about other people than we used to be? Listen to what St. Paul says about the fruits of the Spirit: *"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control"* (Galatians 5:23-24). What are the fruits we are bearing in our families, in the society and in the Church? Are we spreading love or hatred? Are we peacemakers or trouble makers? Are we patient, kind, faithful, gentle with each others or always fighting each other? Let us remember always in every thing we do that we are responsible of the creation of God. Let us live up to this responsibility. Amen.



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**Post-feast of the Dormition;
The Holy Martyrs Florus & Laurus**

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Sincere Thanks!

With faith and love, we gathered this past week to celebrate the Dormition-Falling Asleep of the Mother of God. We welcomed the faithful from our neighborhood parishes to come and celebrate with us, this feast honoring the Most Holy Theotokos. Sincere thanks to the members of our Chant Group for singing for the Divine Services. Thanks to our parishioner Michael Senko for preparing the refreshments we enjoyed following our evening celebrations. Thank you all for being part of this celebration which brought us together as a community of faithful to celebrate the Holy Dormition in faith.

Fr. Ihor Hohosha, pastor

Announcements:

CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING

On August 29, 2013, at 7:00 pm., Gail J. Brown, Education and Training Specialist, with *Pittsburgh Action Against Rape*, is going to provide 1 hour training, that will focus on Mandated Reporting and overview of sexual abuse, giving a basic and broad look at all kinds of abuse, including sexual abuse. Attendance at this training session is required by our St Josaphat Eparchy being mandatory for those whose names appear on the reports sent in by their pastor to the chancery. The session will occur at our parish of St. George.

Donations for new church linen for altar, tetrapod and small altars are needed!

We would like to order several sets of church linen for the altar, tetrapod and small altars. We need a set of green linen, and to replace white and blue, a total of three sets. Sister Mary Virginia, O.Cam will be able to order the materials and complete this work. If you would like to be a donor or donate a portion in memory of your beloved departed, please see Father Ihor.

Total was \$2500.00 (Labor & Materials). Donated \$1100.00. We still need \$1400.00.

St. George's Parish Picnic

Please start marking your calendars for our St. George's Parish Picnic which will take place on Sunday, September 15th following the Divine Liturgy. The picnic will be held on the parish grounds in front of the parish house. This will also be the official beginning of our new school year for our St. George's Church School. Every year this has been a happy event for our parish family so please plan to be here, to have fun and to enjoy that Christian fellowship.

Collection- May God bless you...

The total for Sunday of July 28, 2013 was **\$2044.00**

(Collection: \$1309.00, Loose & other: \$36.00, Pyrohy: \$349.00, Raffle: \$350.00)

Donations for flowers for the Tomb of our Lady:

Mark & Dorothy Spikula (\$25), Rose & Stella Shedno (\$20), Katherine Wyko (\$20), Michael Pyptyk (\$20) in memory of +Maria Pyptyk., Helen Pyptyk (\$5), Eva Salo (\$5), Andrew Salo (\$5), Michael & Alexndra Kozak (\$5) **Thank you so much!!!!!!**

Sincere thanks to all for your kindness and generosity to our Holy Church!

St. Georges Ukrainian Catholic Church

BUILDING FUND

Basket of Scratch Lottery Tickets

(5-\$20.00 Tick. 10-\$10.00 Tick. 20-\$5.00 Tick 50-\$1.00 Tick.)

SEPTEMBER 14, 2013

PA Lotto drawing 1st number at 7:00pm

\$5.00 Donation; Only 500 Tickets sold.

Tickets are available from our ticket sellers: Nick & Kathy Mikovitz or Darrell Chulack. If you can't sell tickets bring them back.

Sincere thanks again to Thomas P. Kunsak Funeral Home for sponsoring these tickets.



During the months of July & August, Nicholas Spak is collecting personal hygiene and first aid items to be sent to Ukraine as part of his Eagle Scout project. These articles include:

Aloe Vera gel, over-the-counter hydrocortisone cream,

Anti-diarrhea medicine, several sizes of adhesive bandages,

Alcohol wipes, sterile gauze (four inch squares are best),

Antiseptic hand sanitizer, thermometers in centigrade,

Bar soap, toothbrushes, and triangular bandages,

Calamine lotion, toothpaste, tweezers & scissors, exam glove.

Elastic bandage, triple-antibiotic ointment,

Instant cold packs, Medical adhesive tape.