



ST. GEORGE'S DIVINE SERVICES

Saturday, July 6

St. Sisoës the great venerable

Readings: Rom. 6:18-23; Mt. 8:5-13

(McKees Rocks)

6:30 P. M. Vigil Divine Liturgy

Sunday, July 7

4th Sunday after Pentecost/All Saints of Rus'-Ukraine

Readings: Rom. 6:18-23; Mt. 8:5-13

9:30 A.M. Third Hour

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Supplications will be offered for+ **John Papinchak, given by Jim Papinchak**

Supplications will be offered for+ **Yuriy Hohosha(9th day), given by family**

Wednesday, July 10

St. Anthony of the Caves, Venerable

Readings: Gal. 5:22-6:2; Lk. 6:17-23

(Sheptytsky Arms)

9:30 A. M. Roman Missal

Repose of Anthony, Antoni, Kateryna Fedyna

Thursday, July 11

St. Euphemia, Martyr

Readings: Rom.15:17-29; Mt. 12:46-13:3

(North Side)

7:00 P. M. Office of the Holy Oil/Anointing of the sick

Saturday, July 13

Synaxis of the Archangel, Gabriel

Readings: Rom. 6:18-23; Mt. 8:5-13

(McKees Rocks)

6:30 P. M. Vigil Divine Liturgy

Sunday, July 14

Sunday of the Fathers of the Six Ecumenical Councils

Readings: Rom. 10:1-10; Mt. 8:28-9:1

9:30 A.M. Third Hour

9:30 A.M. Divine Liturgy

Supplications will be offered for+ **Maria Pyptyk, given by Pyptyk family**

Supplications will be offered for+ **Mihaylo Kozak, given by Pyptyk family**



Jesus was sending His disciples out to do special work among the people.

Jesus prepared the 12 disciples to go out to the people of Israel. He gave them some specific instructions to heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those with leprosy and drive out demons.

Then He said,

Use this code and write what Jesus said on the lines below.

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POSTAL SURCHARGE

A little boy was upset with his parents' financial situation, so he decided to write God a letter.

Dear God,

My mommy and daddy need \$500 for bills and I don't know who else to ask. Could You please help?

Johnny

The letter was received by the local post office and put in the "dead" letters pile. The clerk, being curious of the letter addressed to God, opened to see what it said. As you can imagine, he was touched by the letter and decided to help. He asked all his fellow workers to 'chip-in' a few dollars to help a family in need. When all the money was collected, it came to \$300. The clerk sent a money order in an official Post Office envelope with the return address simply, GOD.

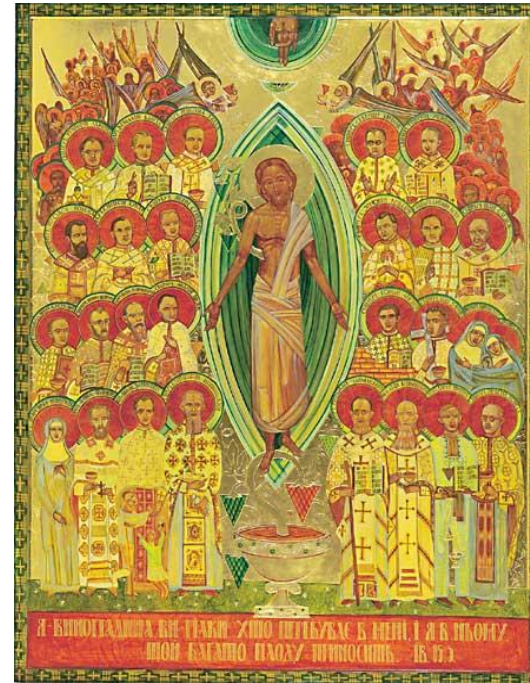
Several weeks later the same clerk found another letter addressed to God in the same writing. The letter said...

Dear God, Thank you for the \$300, but next time don't use the Post Office, they have a \$200 service charge.

Johnny

From the Monastic Fathers...

God is a fire that warms and kindles the heart and inward parts. Hence, if we feel in our hearts the cold which comes from the devil - for the devil is cold - let us call on the Lord. He will come to warm our hearts with perfect love, not only for Him but also for our neighbor, and the cold of him who hates the good will flee before the heat of His countenance.



July 7, 2019

**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost,
Sunday of All Saints of Rus'-
Ukraine Our Venerable Father
Thomas of Maleum; and Acacius
mentioned in The Ladder of Divine
Ascent of Saint John Climacus**

Octoechos, Tone 3;

Changeable Part: Pages 6-7

In the Booklet of Changeable Parts (Small white book)

Announcements:

Children's Outing-Sign-up sheet!

On Saturday, August 17th or 24th (depends on whether), we will have this year's children's outing to the Sandcastles Water Park at West Homestead for both parishes, St. George and St. John. We will meet at the Park at 10:00 p.m. We have a sign-up sheet in the vestibule. If you are planning to go, put your name on that sheet along with the number attending. We are accepting donations for this trip. Thank you all for your generosity and support of our St. George's and St. John's children.

Scholarship Awardees

Again this year the Education Board of St. George Ukrainian Catholic Church is happy to announce this year's recipients of the Estina Franzak Scholarship. They are: Anna E. Forrest (St. Teresa of Avila, Pittsburgh); Yaryna Korenowska (Holy Trinity, Carnegie); and Irina Lutsiv (Holy Trinity, Carnegie). Sincere thanks, to the members of the Education Board for being part of this important selection process to help students in our communities.

Prayer Service and Anointing

On Tuesday evening, July 7th, we will continue with our monthly Moleben-Prayer Service which will take place at 7:00 p.m. During this Prayer Service you can all offer your prayerful intentions (for health, well-being, peace, comfort, etc.). As part of this Moleben-Prayer Service, Holy Anointing will also be administered. In the Church vestibule we have a special note pad where you can write down your prayerful intentions that will be included in this Prayer Service.

Pyrohy

Our total income from last week's sale was \$653.00. As a parish family we are truly blessed to have such dedicated workers who come faithfully week after week to work so hard on this important activity that helps meet the financial needs of our parish. We will now have our vacation break for two weeks and reopen on July 18, 2019.

Collection- May God bless you...

The grand total for the Sunday, June 16, 2019 was **\$2,085.00**

(Collection: \$1352.00, Loose & candles: \$15.00, Pyrohy: \$653.00, Peter's pence: \$ 65.00)

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



Pilgrimage to North Jackson, Ohio

This year as part of the festivities honoring the Dormition (Assumption) of the Mother of God, we as parish family would like to gather together for a pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Our Lady of Lebanon in North Jackson, OH. We would like to have a Charter Bus on Wednesday afternoon, August 14th, at 3:00 p.m., which will take us to the National Shrine in order to participate at 7:00 p.m. in the Divine Services led by Archbishop William C. Skurla, Metropolitan Archeparchy of Pittsburgh, PA. The Church and the Church hall are handicap accessible.

Upon arrival at the Shrine (around 4:30 p.m.) you will have ample time to visit the Tower Chapel, Prince of Peace Chapel, Martyrs Meditation Trail, Religious Gift Shop and enjoy home-made food which will be available for sale. Return to Pittsburgh is scheduled for 10:00 p.m.

In the Church vestibule we have a sign-up sheet available for this pilgrimage. Donation for this pilgrimage is \$15.00. If you are interested in joining us on this pilgrimage, please sign-up.

If we will not have enough people for bus we will use our own vehicles.

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost



But the centurion answered Him, "Lord, I am not worthy to have You come under my roof; but only say the word, and my servant will be healed. For I am a man under authority, with soldiers under me; and I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my slave, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard him, He marveled, and said to those who followed him, "Truly, I say to you, not even in Israel have I found such faith."

The Gospel story of the centurion tells us about a man whose faith exceeded that of the Jewish people, although he himself was a pagan. A person dear to him was ill and he came to Christ, asking for a miracle,

asking that the Lord should have mercy on him. Christ answered the man saying, "I will come, I will heal him."

This is where the amazing centurion's faith was manifested. So often when we pray, we ask the Lord insistently to come close to us, to make His presence felt, so that we may clearly feel His power. This man acted with great simplicity, saying to Christ, "No don't trouble yourself to come. I am a sinful man and not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but just say the word and my servant will be healed." One word from God - that was what the man asked for, not the joy of contact which we all long. We ask the Lord that He should fulfill our requests and, in addition to that, grant us the miraculous joy of His presence. The centurion appreciated in his heart how holy the Lord was, how great, and was ready to forgo this joy if only his friend, his servant would recover. Often we could turn to God and say, "Help me, Lord. I do not need to know what is happening, nor to feel Your action; only do Your will, silently, as it were from a distance, unnoticed by me." If only we were able to turn to God with such faith, with such a feeling of His holiness, how close the Lord would be. He is always close, He is always approaching us, but we can sense Him only with a loving and humble heart. A spark of love we sometimes have, but there is not much humility. So if we were to turn to God and say, "Lord, let the good, the holiness that my soul longs for be fulfilled for my dear ones, and me you can leave out. Pass me by on your way to them", how the Lord would rejoice at the love which is ready to lay down its life, its joy, for others. Amen.

-Metropolitan Anthony of Sourozh