

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of the Wicked Tenent Farmers (Matthew 21:33-42)

Divine Liturgy Guide

Sunday, August 18, 2024

13th Sunday after Pentecost

SAT AUG 17: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy +Brent Renaud by Richard M. Popeck

SUN AUG 18: 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 13th Sunday after Pentecost Blessings for His People

MON AUG 19: Andrew and Others Martyrs READ Mark4:10-23

TUES AUG 20: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Daniel W. Swift by Richard M. Popeck

WED AUG 21: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Blessings for David Pedley by Regina Kozel

THURS AUG 22: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Blessings for Sosnowyj Family by Family

FRI AUG 23: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Blessings for Nicholas Butovich & Family by Friends

SAT AUG 24: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy +Nicholas Biloskirka by Biloskirka Family

SUN AUG 25: 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 14th Sunday after Pentecost Blessings for His People

Collection Basket

8/10 & 8/11 \$ 1109

Thank you to last week's counters

Dorothy Kowalchick and Debbie Dommes

Next Week's Counters are:

Dave Pedley and Linda Gerrity

HAPPY BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY!

August 17 - 23

Birthdays:

John Knott, Jr. - Aug. 17

Matthew Myronyuk - Aug. 18

Anniversary:

John & Daria McDonnell - Aug. 21

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. ROTARY STANDS UP FOR UKRAINE -FUNDRAISER FOR UKRAINE

ROTARY STANDS UP FOR UKRAINE -FUNDRAISER FOR UKRAINE - Sunday, September 29th 2PM-4PM (takeouts from 12:30-1:30) -IN OUR PARISH HALL. Tickets are \$35. Advance sales only. No tickets will be sold at the door. Special guests include Ukrainian soldiers, Ukrainian entertainment, Ukrainian food and raffles. See Father Myron or Jean Pedley for details.

2. UKRAINIAN FESTIVAL THIS WEEKEND IN LEHIGHTON

The Ukrainian Homestead, 1230 Beaver Run Drive, Lehigh, will be celebrating 33 years of Ukrainian independence with a Festival this weekend, August 17th and 18th. Gates open at Noon. Savor the rich flavors of Traditional Ukrainian cuisine, featuring dishes like Pyrohy, Borscht and more. Enjoy captivating shows that showcase the country's rich heritage, from folk tales to modern performances. Feel the rhythm with live music ranging from classical compositions to lively folk tunes, and don't miss out on the energetic dance performances that will have you clapping along. Featuring Yuna Volya dance ensemble from Edmonton, Canada. Come and immerse yourself in the heartwarming spirit of Ukraine! More info. at UKRHomestead.com.

3. UKRAINE INDEPENDENCE DAY NEXT SATURDAY

Saturday, August 24th marks the 33rd anniversary of Ukraine's Independence. Ukraine's Independence Day commemorates the anniversary of the country's independence. Prior to 1991, Ukraine was a constituent republic of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (U.S.S.R.). On August 24, 1991, after a failed coup in Moscow, Ukraine declared its independence. About 90 percent of Ukrainians voted for their country's independence following this declaration.

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4. TRYZUB UKRAINIAN FOLK FESTIVAL NEXT SUNDAY IN HORSHAM

Everyone is invited to the Tryzub Ukrainian Folk Festival outdoor concert event next Sunday, August 28th beginning at Noon. Celebrating the 33rd anniversary of Ukraine's Independence. Ukrainian-American Sport Center, Tryzub. County Line and Lower State Roads, Horsham, PA. 1:30pm-4:30pm: Outdoor Summer concert in the Tryzub Park. Traditional Ukrainian ethnic foods and desserts. Ukrainian Folk arts and Crafts. BBQ and picnic foods. 4:30pm-8:00pm: Live music with Vox Ethnika Band, Pop star Iryna Lonchyna, Voloshky Ukrainian Dance Ensemble, Violinist Innesa Tymochko . Admission \$15. Kids under 15 free. Free parking. \$2 of each paid admission donated to Humanitarian Relief in Ukraine.

5. UKRAINIAN FESTIVAL FOOD DINNER WEDNESDAY IN WILKES-BARRE

Ss. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church in Wilkes-Barre will hold the 3rd and last of their Why Cook Wednesday Dinners for the Summer with an a La Carte, Ukrainian Festival Food, Take-Out Dinner on Wednesday, August 21st . Order from a menu of festival foods including holubtsi (piggies)...\$3/each, pyrohy (pierogies)...3 for \$3.00, kovbasa & kapusta (kielbasa & sauerkraut) ...\$6.00, halushki (cabbage & noodles) ...\$4.00/pint and Pagash (potato pizza) ...\$2.00/cut. Pick-Ups from 4:00 to 7:00pm are in their school hall on the corner of North River and West Chestnut Streets, near the General Hospital Parkade in Wilkes-Barre. Take-Out Only and Pre-Orders are strongly encouraged. Place your order by calling the School Hall Kitchen (570) 829-3051. Bake Sale items available and tickets will also be sold for a Basket Raffle. Remember...When Baba Cooks, Everybody's Happy



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PLEASE PRAY FOR

Please include in your prayers those members of our parish who are in hospitals, care homes, rehabilitation facilities & those who are not able to join us actively in our church community.

Mountain View

Irene Slagan

Clarks Summit Senior Living

Sophia Soniak

Home

Anastasia Korman

Andrea Geraghty

Shirley Nidoh

Helen Ewasko

Stella Patrick

Stanley Krupinski

Home

Katrina Izak Wilson

Jean Chomko

Julie Yevich

Charles Drumsta

Regina Kozel

Andrea Wells

Home

Mary Warholak

Dorothy Kowalchick

Mary Tucker

Michael Seechock

Steve Patrick

Bohdonna Sherpinkas

VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning August 17, 2024

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| 1 | Hanging Eternal Lamp
\$10 | By: Linda Pirritano
For: I.M.O. + Joseph and + Esther Linko |
| 2 | 2 Altar Vigil Candles
\$10 | By: Helen Chandoha Knott
For: Birthday Blessings for my husband John Knott |
| 3 | Proskomedia Candles
\$10 | By: Maria Ruane
For: I.M.O. + Patricia Rivera |
| 4 | 2 Tetrapod Candles
\$10 | By: Fr. Myron & the Faithful of St. Vladimir's Church
For: I.M.O. + Soldiers, + Civilians, + Refugees of Ukraine |
| 5 | Jesus Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Laskowski Family
For: Health & God's Blessings - John Lyden & family |
| 6 | Mary Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Biloskirka Family
For: I.M.O. + Nicholas and + Nadia Biloskirka |
| 7 | St. Nicholas
\$5 | By: Laskowski Family
For: Health & God's Blessings - Joseph Laskowski, Jr. |
| 8 | St. Vladimir Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Laskowski Family
For: Health & God's Blessings - Jeffrey Lyden & family |
| 9 | Jesus Entrance Vigil
\$5 | By: Stella Patrick
For: Health and God's Blessings for Stephen Patrick |
| 10 | Mary Entrance Vigil
\$5 | By: Regina Kozel
For: I.M.O. + Ihor Shablovsky |
| 11 | Mother of God Statue
\$10 | By: Lilik Family
For: Deliverance of Ukraine & Protection of her Defenders |
| 12 | Altar 7 branch Saturday
\$5 | By: Servant of God
For: + Founders, + Benefactors, + Parishioners of St. Vladimir's Church |
| 13 | Altar 7 branch Sunday
\$5 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Birthday Blessings for Matthew Myronyuk AUG 18 |
| 14 | Blessed Mother (side altar)
\$5 | By: Ruane Family
For: Thomas Ruane - Health & God's blessings |
| 15 | Jesus (side altar)
\$5 | By: Regina Kozel
For: Good Health & God's Blessings - Dave Pedley |

CONFESSION

For anyone that would like to receive the holy sacrament of confession you can let Father Myron know and set up a time either before or after Liturgy from Tuesday through Saturday.

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Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever! Slava Isusu Christu! Slava Na Viky!

Divine Liturgies: Saturday 4 p.m., Sunday 9:00 a.m.,

Holy Days & Weekdays see bulletin

OUR MISSION PARISH: Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church

He Who is not With Me is Against Me

When our Lord spoke in parables, He often used allegory familiar to His listeners. In today's Gospel reading, the vineyard represents Israel; the vineyard owner represents God; and, the managers (the tenants) of the vineyard represent the political and religious leaders of the time. Just as the responsibility of the vineyard managers was to produce a profit for the vineyard owner, so was it the responsibility of the religious leaders in the time of Jesus to bring God's people to fruitfulness in knowing, loving and serving God. But, they failed in this, just as the vineyard managers in the parable failed to bring a profit to the vineyard owner.

In response to this, the vineyard owner sent his servants to the vineyard, just as God sent the prophets into the world. However, like the

prophets, the servants in the parable were rejected, mistreated, ignored, even killed. Finally, the vineyard owner sent his son to reason with the managers, but they killed him out of jealousy. Jesus, too, was rejected and ultimately crucified at the hands of devious and jealous men.

Are we, at times, like the managers of the vineyard who rejected the Son? How often do we knowingly distance ourselves from God and His commandments? There is a pride in the human heart that urges us to take control of our own lives even if it means disobedience to all that we know to be right and true. Our Lord tells us that "he who is not for Me is against Me." (Matthew 12:30) When we act in such a way we really are no different from the tenant farmers in the parable.