

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF LUKE



Icon of the Holy Apostle Saint Andrew -- November 30th

Divine Liturgy Guide

Sunday, November 26, 2017

25th Sunday After Pentecost

SAT. NOVEMBER 25: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy + Ione Pagnotti by Walter Skula

SUN NOVEMBER 26: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy 25th Sunday After Pentecost
Gods blessings to all Parishioners

MON. NOVEMBER 27: James the Persian Martyr READ Luke 19:37-44

TUE. NOVEMBER 28: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Hnat & Kathryn Skula

WED. NOVEMBER 29: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Gods healing for sick parishioners

THU. NOVEMBER 30: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Gods blessings for Sosnovyj Family

FRI. DECEMBER 1: 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy Gods healing for Olha Trusz by Friends

SAT. DECEMBER 2: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy Gods Blessing for Iryna Berezovsky by Family

SUN DECEMBER 3: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy 26th Sunday After Pentecost
Gods blessings to all Parishioners

Collection Basket



November 18 & 19 \$ 1375

We thank last week counters:

Dave Pedley & Mike Stec

Next in Line

Mike Trusz & Olenka Chandoha-Knott

NOVEMBER 25-DECEMBER 1

Happy Birthday!

Helen (Lovey) Pietryka - Dec. 2

Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, may we humbly pray;

and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Divine Power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam throughout the world
seeking the ruin of souls.

Announcements

1. TENTATIVE CHURCH SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 2017

- DECEMBER 2 – PYROHY
- DECEMBER 3 – SAINT NICHOLAS PAGEANT
- DECEMBER 9 – BUS TRIP TO NYC
- DECEMBER 18 – DECORATING FOR CHRISTMAS

1. QUILTING CLUB OF ST. VLADIMIR HAVE SEVERAL HOME - MADE QUILTS FOR SALE

1 sizes:

- 90 by 108= \$150.00
 - They can be seen on Mondays from 10:00 to 1:00 in School hall. Contact:
Sophie Soniak- 570-343-4141 or Dorothy Fleck- 570-346-4164

2. COUNCIL MEETING RESCHEDULED

The next council meeting will be on November 28, 2017 at 6:00 pm, please inform father Myron if you cannot attend

3. UPDATE ON THE CHRISTMASTIME BUS TRIP TO NEW YORK CITY –

There are only 3 seats still available on our 55 passenger Martz bus on Saturday, December 9th. For information and reservations call Paul Ewasko at 570 563-2275

4. November Pyrohy Sale Raises over \$2,300!

This month's Pyrohy project was another successful fundraiser for St. Vladimir's. Thanks to the hard work of parish volunteers. Total sales were \$2,857 and expenses were \$523.95 for a profit of \$2,333.05. Thank you to all for making and purchasing Pyrohy!

Announcements

5. Christmas Decorating

REMINDER - Decorating will begin at 3:00pm Monday, December 18. If there are sufficient volunteers, we could finish the entire project that evening. Tuesday, December 19th at 10:00 a.m. if we need to continue. Please consider giving an hour or two of your valuable time to help dress our church with the beautiful indoor and outdoor Nativity scenes, trees, lights, poinsettias, etc. Do not assume that everyone needs to report at 3:00pm - come anytime you can. Please share this message with others in your family with the hope that the work will not fall upon a very few people.

Thank you for your usual helpfulness. Many hands make light work, please if you can attend let Dave Pedley know.

6. CANDLE SPONSOR REQUEST

Helen Pagnotti would like to ask any parishioner that would like to be kept updated with openings to the candle sheet for the upcoming week via email to contact her. Helen's telephone numbers are: 570-457-4736, cellphone 570-430-3159, email: pagnottiha@gmail.com. Helen is usually at Divine Liturgy on Saturdays or weekday liturgies. Helen sends a weekly reminder to allow parishioners to choose opened candles.

7. Christmas Carol Sing Along

YOU ARE INVITED to join Saints Peter & Paul Ukrainian Greek Catholic Parish for their 24th Annual Christmas Carol Sing Along in the church on North River Street in Wilkes-Barre, Sunday, December 10th, 2017 starting at 2 p.m. Join in the singing of some very sacred, joyful and inspiring Christmas Carols. Afterwards, please join us in the lower church hall for a Christmas Fellowship Social. Please bring a friend or family member, and share the joy of Christmas with them, as we all prepare to welcome the Newborn Son of God into our hearts and homes."

8. Children's Sunday

Please have all children sitting in the front of the church November 26th before Divine Liturgy begins for Children's Sunday. Thank you.

Give yourself fully to God. He will use you to accomplish great things on the condition that you believe much more in His love than in your own weakness.

~Mother Teresa~

Announcements

9. Harvest Dinner raises over \$1200

November's delicious Harvest Dinner was another success for St. Vladimir's Parish. Thanks to the hard work of our Kitchen Staff and volunteers. Sales totaled \$1,699.50. Costs were \$452.34, for a Profit of \$ 1247.16. Thank You to Everyone involved.

10. Potato Peeling Friday December 1

The peeling of potatoes for the making of Pyrohy will take place this Friday, December 1st, beginning at 10:00am. Workers are needed to help with this important task. Thank you to those who are able to come and help.

11. SAINT NICHOLAS CHILDRENS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PLAY AND PARISH SOCIAL

December 3rd there will be a special Saint Nicholas play and parish Social immediately following Divine Liturgy. Also a visit from Saint Nicholas himself! We hope to see everyone there to enjoy a great production from our talented children.

Christmas Anticipation Prayer

(Beginning on St. Andrew the Apostle's feast day, November 30th, the following prayer is traditionally prayed 15 times a day until Christmas. This is a very meditative prayer that helps us increase our awareness of the real focus of Christmas and helps us prepare ourselves spiritually for His coming.)

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born
of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight,
in Bethlehem, in the piercing cold.

In that hour vouchsafe, I beseech Thee, O my God,
to hear my prayer, through the merits of Our Saviour Jesus Christ,
and of His blessed Mother.

Amen.



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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.

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Linwood Nursing Home

Dolores Zapotochny

Mountain View

Sylvester Cybroski

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Antonietta Kohut

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VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning November 25, 2017

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| 1 | Hanging Eternal Lamp
\$10 | By: Marlene Laskowski
For : I.M.O. +Joseph Laskowski, Father-in-law (birthday remembrance) |
| 2 | 2 Altar Vigil Candles
\$10 | By: Fr. Myron and Faithful of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Health and God's Blessings Fr. Mark Fesniak |
| 3 | Proskomedia Candles
\$10 | By: Servants of God
For : +Souls in Purgatory |
| 4 | 2 Tetrapod Candles
\$10 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Health and God's Blessings upon Adam Ruane |
| 5 | Jesus Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Paul and Helen Ewasko
For: God's Blessings upon Joe Buchma celebrating 98 th birthday |
| 6 | Mary Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Nadia Biloskirka
For: I.M.O. +Nicholas Biloskirka |
| 7 | St. Nicholas
\$5 | By: Sharmayne Tucker
For: Health & God's Blessings for Walter Tucker, Jr. |
| 8 | St. Vladimir Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Marlene Laskowski
For: I.M.O. +Joseph E. Laskowski, Sr. |
| 9 | Jesus Entrance Vigil
\$5 | By: Stella Patrick
For: Health and God's Blessings for Stephen Patrick |
| 10 | Mary Entrance Vigil
\$5 | By: Walter Skula
For: I.M.O. +Dorothy Skula |
| 11 | Mother of God Statue
\$10 | By: Fr. Myron and Faithful of St. Vladimir's Church
For: God's Blessings upon the sick, disable and care-dependant |
| 12 | Altar 7 branch Saturday
\$5 | By: Servants of God
For: I.M.O. +Benefactors and +Founders of St. Vladimir's Church |
| 13 | Altar 7 branch Sunday
\$5 | By: Helen A. Pagnotti
For: Safe trip home for Thanksgiving Travelers |
| 14 | Blessed Mother (side altar)
\$5 | By: Regina Kozel
For: Health of Ihor Shablovsky |
| 15 | Jesus (side altar)
\$5 | By: Linda Pirritano
For: I.M.O. +Joseph Linko |

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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REVEREND MYRON MYRONYUK, PASTOR Email: myronyukm@yahoo.com

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

Divine Liturgies: Saturday 4 p.m., Sunday 10:30 a.m.,

Holy Days & Weekdays see bulletin

OUR MISSION PARISH: Saints Peter & Paul, 47 Rittenhouse Street, Simpson,
Pennsylvania

Sick calls / Communion calls / Home visits/ Emergencies: call parish office.

Hallowed Be Thy Name

How merciful the Lord is to us, how kind and richly compassionate! He wished us to repeat this prayer in God's sight, to call the Lord our Father and, as Christ is God's Son, be called in turn sons of God! None of us would ever have dared to utter this name unless He Himself had allowed us to pray in this way. And therefore, dear friends, we should bear in mind and realize that when we call God our Father we ought also to act like sons and daughters. If we are pleased to call him Father, let him in turn be pleased to call us sons and daughters.

We should live like the temples of God we are, so that it can be seen that God lives in us. No act of ours should be unworthy of the spirit. Now that we have begun to live in heaven and in spirit, all our thoughts and actions should be heavenly and spiritual; for, as the Lord God himself has said: Those who honor me I will honor, and those who despise me shall be de-

spised. And the blessed Apostle wrote in his letter: You are not your own; you were bought with a great price. So glorify and bear God in your body.

We go on to say, May your name be hallowed. It is not that we think to make God holy by our prayers; rather we are asking God that His name may be made holy in us. Indeed, how could God be made holy, He who is the source of holiness? Still, because He Himself said: Be holy, for I am holy, we pray and beseech Him that we who have been hallowed in baptism may persevere in what we have begun. And we pray for this every day, for we have need of daily sanctification; sinning every day, we cleanse our faults again and again by constant sanctification.

St. Cyprian of Carthage

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