

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



*Icon of the Rich Young Ruler and Christ (Matthew 19:16-26)*



**Divine Liturgy Guide**

**Sunday, August 23, 2020**

**12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

SAT AUGUST 22: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy +Paraskevia Tutka by Peter & Catherine Tutka

SUN AUGUST 23: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for His people  
12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

MON AUGUST 24: Eutyches Bishop Martyr Read Mark 3:6-12

TUES AUGUST 25: 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for Msgr. Joseph Garvin by Friends

WED AUGUST 26: 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Leonar J. Curtis by Ronald & Tammy Curtis

THURS AUGUST 27: 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for Kulchycky Family by Friends

FRI AUGUST 28: 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for Sosnowyj Family by Friends

SAT AUGUST 29: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy +Joseph Kowalski by Tutka Family

SUN AUGUST 30: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for His people  
13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

**Collection Basket** 

8/15 to 8/16 \$923

Thank you to last week's counters  
Paul Ewasko & Pat Waznak

Next Week's Counters are  
Dorothy Kowalchick & Debbie Dommes

**Happy Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Birthdays August 22-28

Jean Chomko - Aug. 24

Teresa Dolan - Aug. 25

Michael Stec - Aug. 26

Helen Pagnotti - Aug. 28

Anniversary

John & Daria McDonnell - Aug. 21

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. ALL PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION DATES  
The religious education teachers are asking all parents and grandparents of perspective students for the 2020 and 2021 school year to please register your student/s on September 15<sup>th</sup> after 10:30 AM Divine Liturgy in the church Hall. Any questions please contact Father Myron or Olenka, looking forward to a great school year.
2. CATECHETICAL SUNDAY  
First Day of Sunday School & Children's Sunday: September 20 (Catechetical Sunday)
3. HOLY DAY NEXT SATURDAY  
The Beheading of St. John the Baptist Holy Day is next Saturday, August 29<sup>th</sup>. Holy Day Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 4:00pm. Come to Church on Saturday to Honor this Holy Saint.
4. ALUMINUM CANS CASHED IN LAST WEEK  
Aluminum cans that were brought in by Parishioners were cashed in last week. Thanks to the hard work of Mark Izak, a total of \$72 was received and will go toward Kitchen supplies. Thank you to everyone who continues to support our Aluminum Can Drive.
5. A CALL TO PRAYER PILGRIMAGE NEXT SUNDAY IN CENTRALIA CANCELLED  
The 5<sup>th</sup> annual Call to Prayer Pilgrimage at Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Catholic Church in Centralia scheduled for next Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup>, has been Cancelled due to the Coronavirus Pandemic.
6. SUMMER DIVINE LITURGY IN LEWES, DELAWARE  
Rev. Volodymyr Klanichka pastor of St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church will celebrate Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom at St. Jude the Apostle Roman Catholic Church, Lewes, DE at 5:30 PM on Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup>. For more information, please call at 302-762-5511. St. Jude The Apostle Roman Catholic Church is located at 152 Tulip Drive, Lewes, DE 19958.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 7. OVER \$134,000 RAISED FOR UKRAINE FLOOD VICTIMS

Our Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy in Philadelphia has collected \$134,000 in Donations from our Churches so far for the Victims of the devastating Floods in Ukraine. Besides the parish collections, individual donations are received daily by mail and on Facebook. According to Bishop Andrij, the Victims send their Sincere Appreciation to all those who have helped them in this time of need.

### 8. DIVINE LITURGY REQUESTS BEING ACCEPTED

Divine Liturgy Requests are now being accepted for the Fall. If you would like to have a Divine Liturgy celebrated for a Loved One, please fill out the Request Forms (Pink Sheets) available in the back of the Church and drop them into the collection basket or give them directly to Fr. Myron. Divine Liturgies are available Mondays through Saturdays.

### 9. TRYZUB HAS POSTPONED ITS UKRAINIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY FESTIVAL

In order to safeguard the precious health and safety of its members, member families and volunteers, the communities that it serves, and the general public, Ukrainian American Sport Center – “Tryzub” has postponed this year’s Ukrainian Independence Day Festival – the 29th annual, from Sunday, August 23, to Father’s Day, Sunday, June 20 of next year, 2021. In addition to celebrating Ukraine’s independence, the rescheduled festival promises also to celebrate freedom from the constraints and restrictions, with which the Coronavirus Pandemic has ensnared the community. Note also that Tryzub’s 30th Annual Festival celebrating Ukraine’s Independence will still take place on its originally scheduled date of Sunday, August 22, 2021.





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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

Nadia Biloskirka

Green Ridge Living

Michael Stec

Kay Futrago

Allied Health

Harry Romancho

Home

Stella Patrick

Stefan Tutka

Stanley Krupinski

John Monsul

Home

Ceil Harrison

Charles Drumsta

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Dr. Walter Dobushak

Walter Skula

Sophia Soniak

John Ord

Kathleen Izak

Home

Sharon Selwocki

Doris Romancho

Mary Warholak

Dorothy Kowalchick

Irene Slagan

Michael McConnell

Olga Trusz

Ihor Shablovsky

Vera Krewsun

Bridget Knott

**VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning August 22, 2020**

1	Hanging Eternal Lamp \$10	By: Teri Dolan For: God's help & protection for those affected by the coronavirus
2	2 Altar Vigil Candles \$10	By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church For: Health and God's Blessings - Dorothy Kowalchick
3	Proskomedia Candles \$10	By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church For: Health and God's Blessings - Ron Kozak
4	2 Tetrapod Candles \$10	By: Fr. Myron & the Faithful of St. Vladimir's Church For: Commemoration - Independence of Ukraine AUG 24, 1991
5	Jesus Vigil at Iconostas \$5	By: Mr. & Mrs. John Knott For: Health and God's Blessings for Ihor Shablovsky
6	Mary Vigil at Iconostas \$5	By: Nadia Biloskirka For: I. M. O. + Nicholas Biloskirka
7	St. Nicholas \$5	By: Marlene Laskowski For: I. M. O. + Joseph E. Laskowski, Sr
8	St. Vladimir Vigil at Iconostas \$5	By: Sharmayne Tucker For: Health and God's Blessings for Walter Tucker, Jr.
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: Paul and Helen Ewasko For: God's Blessings upon the sick of our parish
12	Altar 7 branch Saturday \$5	By: Marlene Laskowski For: Birthday Blessings for Helen Pagnotti AUG 28
13	Altar 7 branch Sunday \$5	By: Regina Koziel For: Health of Ihor Shablovsky
14	Blessed Mother (side altar) \$5	By: Olenka Chandoha-Knott For: Health and God's Blessings for my mother
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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*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.

### *The Danger of Riches*

One day, an Indian boy found a large pearl. It represented the fulfillment of all his hopes and dreams. His days of hardship and toil would be over. He would never have to work again. But, when he tried to sell the pearl, his real problems began. Buyers tried to trick him, bandits tried to attack him, and even his friends tried to manipulate him. Possessing great wealth was nothing like he expected it would be, so he took the pearl and threw it back into sea.

The boy in this story is quite a contrast to the young man of whom Jesus spoke in the Gospel reading for this Sunday. Jesus spoke of a young man who desired to be justified by God. He had faithfully kept all the commandments, but Jesus told him that there

was one thing he still needed to do: sell all he had and give to the poor. With that, the young man went away saddened because he was not able to easily part with all his possessions. Jesus then spoke one of His most enduring statements, "It will be easier for a camel to pass through the needles eye, than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." (Matthew 21:24)

What type of hold do our possessions have on us? Are we willing to share what we have with others, including our time, our talents, as well as our treasure? Everything that we have is a gift from God, which must be freely shared with others as a gift. Our Lord Himself tells us, "The gifts you have freely received, now give as a gift." (Matthew 10:8)