

SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN




Icon of Christ with the Samaritan Woman

Divine Liturgy Guide

Sunday, May 2, 2021

Sunday of the Samaritan Woman

- SAT MAY 1: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy +Olga Trusz by Jean & David Pedley
SUN MAY 2: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Sunday of the Samaritan Woman
MON MAY 3: Theodosius of the Cave READ John 10:9-16
TUES MAY 4: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Bill & Angie Seechock by John Mackar
WED MAY 5: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Scott Shastay by Lilik Family
THURS MAY 6: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for Stella Patrick by John Mackar
FRI MAY 7: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy +John Patrick Calvey by Regina Kozel
SAT MAY 8: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy God's healing & blessings for Toni & Dennis Lilik
by Lilik Family
SUN MAY 9: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Sunday of the Man Born Blind

Collection Basket 

4/23 & 4/24 \$2,934

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

Next Week's Counters are
Dorothy Kowalchick & Debbie Dommies

Happy Birthday and Anniversary!

Birthdays May 1 - 7

Olenka (Helen) Chandoha-Knott May 1
Harriet Duboshak - May 2
Kenneth Tucker - May 4
Carol Tutka - May 6

Anniversaries

Paul & Helen Ewasko - May 1
Peter & Maria Gaffney - May 1
Armand & Kim Nagle - May 7

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. CONGRATULATIONS

Father Myron and Iryna are proud to announce the birth of their son, Timothy on April 28th! Welcome to the parish family Timothy!!!! God bless you!

2. ST. VLADIMIR'S HOMEMADE BREAD SALE SATURDAY, MAY 29TH.

St. Vladimir's homemade bread sale Saturday, May 29th. \$8 per large loaf (2 lbs) Call Teri @ 570-851-7774 to preorder. Supplies are limited so get your order in early. Pick up is same day, Saturday, May 29th Between 4 and 6 (please do not come early as bread is being baked the same day.) THE LAST DAY TO PLACE AN ORDER IS TUESDAY, MAY 25TH.

3. ST. VLADIMIR'S PURCHASES NEW LAWN TRACTOR

Our Church has purchased a new Lawn Tractor to be used at our Kane St. Cemetery. The cost was \$2,600. If you would like to help defray this cost, mark an envelope "Tractor" along with your Donation and place it in the collection basket. As always, Thank You for your generosity to our Parish.

4. MOLEBEN TO THE MOTHER OF GOD ON THURSDAY

This Thursday evening, May 6th, we will have the Moleben to the Mother of God, at 6:00pm. Come and be a part of this Beautiful Spiritual Service that honors Mary during the month of May.

5. ST. VLADIMIR'S RECEIVES MEMORIAL DONATION

St. Vladimir's would like to thank the Family of +Anna Mychalak for their generous Memorial Donation of \$500 to our Church. May she have Eternal Memory. Vichnaya Pamyat.

6. APRIL COLLECTION FOR INSURANCE TOTALS OVER \$400!

St. Vladimir's collection for Insurance last month totaled \$402. Thank you to everyone who donated toward the Insurance costs of our buildings and property. The next collection for Insurance is scheduled for May 16th.



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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

Home

Stella Patrick

Stefan Tutka

Stanley Krupinski

Helen Ewasko

John Monsul

Jean Chomko

Home

Ceil Harrison

Charles Drumsta

Regina Kozel

Walter Tucker, Jr.

Mary Tucker

Ronald Kozak

Dr. Walter Dobushak

Sophia Soniak

John Ord

Kathleen Izak

Home

Sharon Selwocki

Doris Romancho

Mary Warholak

Dorothy Kowalchick

Irene Slagan

Michael McConnell

Vera Krewsun

VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning May 1,2021

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| 1 | Hanging Eternal Lamp
\$10 | By: Doris, Greg & Matthew Romancho
For: I. M. O. + Wasyl, + Catherine, + William & + Harry Romancho |
| 2 | 2 Altar Vigil Candles
\$10 | By: Your Mama and Family
For: Dear Helen -- Happy Birthday & God's Blessings MAY 1 |
| 3 | Proskomedia Candles
\$10 | By: Mark and Leslie
For: God's Blessings for Stefan Tutka |
| 4 | 2 Tetrapod Candles
\$10 | By: Regina Kozel
For: I. M. O. + Brother John Patrick Calvey TOR |
| 5 | Jesus Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Paul and Helen Ewasko
For: Health and God's Blessings upon Stefan Tutka |
| 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: Regina Kozel
For: I. M. O. + Ihor Shablovsky |
| 11 | Mother of God Statue
\$10 | By: Marlene Laskowski, loving sister
For: I. M. O. + Edward Marinchak, beloved brother |
| 12 | Altar 7 branch Saturday
\$5 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: God's Healing, Protection & Blessings upon Bishop Andriy Rabi |
| 13 | Altar 7 branch Sunday
\$5 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Congratulations & God's Blessings, Fr. Myron & Family - new baby Boy |
| 14 | Blessed Mother (side altar)
\$5 | By: Paul and Helen Ewasko
For: Health and God's Blessings upon Regina Kozel |
| 15 | Jesus (side altar)
\$5 | By: Helen A. Pagnotti
For: Easter Blessings - adherents of Julian calendar CHRISTOS VOSKRES!s |

CONFESSIO

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 Samaritan Woman

The Fourth Gospel, attributed to Saint John the Evangelist, is used exclusively from Easter until Pentecost for the Sunday readings. The first chapter of John's Gospel is the proclamation used for the Divine Liturgy on Easter itself. This week, we are reminded of the story of Christ's encounter with the Samaritan woman at the well of Jacob, and thereby Christ's fulfillment of the Old Testament. In one of the many unique stories of the Fourth Gospel not found in the Synoptics (Matthew, Mark or Luke), Jesus reveals himself as Messiah to this woman of Samaria and talks with her about the "water that I will give will become ... a spring of water gushing up to eternal life."

In the early days of His ministry, Jesus travels back and forth between Galilee and Jerusalem, and must pass through Samaria. The Samaritans

were outcast Jews because they were not subject to the Babylonian exile of the Israelites from other provinces. Therefore, when Jesus talks with this Samaritan woman, His disciples are surprised and in shock that He would carry on a conversation with a woman at the well, let alone a Samaritan. But as the story is explained, the woman's testimony about Jesus spreads through the nearby town, and because of her many come to hear His teachings. After hearing His word, they come to believe in Him, and proclaim Him "the Savior of the world." (Jn 4:42)

With water as the focal point of this encounter, we are once again reminded of our Baptism, and that Christ's Baptism is that of "eternal life" through "living water."

Archbishop Vsevolod of Scopelos