

SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND



Icon of the Gospel of the Man Born Blind

Divine Liturgy Guide

Sunday, May 9, 2021

Sunday of the Man Born Blind

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

MON MAY 10: 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy For the soul of +Stefan Tutka

TUES MAY 11: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Yaroslav Matieshko by Family

WED MAY 12: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for Helen Pagnotti by John Mackar

THURS MAY 13: 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Ascension of our Lord
+Joan Wolfe by Jean & David Pedley

FRI MAY 14: 8:20 a.m. Divine Liturgy Private Intention by Lilik Family

SAT MAY 15: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy God's blessing for Phillis Snyder by Lilik Family

SUN MAY 16: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Sunday of the Fathers of the 1st Ecumenical Council

Collection Basket

5/1 & 5/2 \$1204

Thank you to last week's counters
Dorothy Kowalchick & Debbie Dommies

Next Week's Counters are
Dave Pedley and Linda Gerrity

Happy Birthday and Anniversary!

Birthdays May 8 - 14

Barbara Maslak - May 10
Valerie Dobushak - May 10
Jeffrey Robinson, Jr. - May 10
Sofiya Myronyuk - May 11
Karen Lilik - May 14

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. VEECHNAYA PAM'YAT. ETERNAL MEMORY!

Our parish family sends their deepest sympathies to John and Peter Tutka and their family. Our dear friend Stefan Tutka went to the Lord on May 2, 2021. Arrangements are by the Edward Chomko Funeral Home. Viewing is Sunday, May 10th from 4 to 7. Rosary at 6:30/ Panahyda at 6:45. Liturgy on Monday at 10 am. Burial in our cemetery on Kane St. we will miss his voice, his humor, and his presence. Veechnaya Pam'yat. Eternal Memory!

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. MOLEBEN TO THE MOTHER OF GOD ON WEDNESDAY

This Wednesday evening, May 12th, 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.

4. HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION ON THURSDAY

The Ascension of Our Lord Holy Day of Obligation is this Thursday, May 13th. Divine Liturgy will be held at 9:30am. Please come to Church on this Ascension Thursday to honor Our Lord and Savior.

5. WEEKLY VIGIL CANDLES AVAILABLE FOR SPONSORSHIP

Honor a loved one by sponsoring a Vigil Candle which will be lit for them for an entire week. These 7-day candles are available with your special intention starting at only \$5. Contact Helen Pagnotti to reserve yours today.

6. ST. VLADIMIR'S RECEIVES MEMORIAL DONATION

St. Vladimir's would like to thank Mrs. Loretta Marinchak for her generous donation of \$500 to our Church in loving memory of her dear husband +Edward. May his Memory be Eternal! Vichnaya Pamyat!

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7. EASTER DINNER RAISES OVER \$1,800!

Last month's take-out Easter Dinner was a Huge success for our Church. Thanks to the hard work of our Kitchen Staff, there was plenty of delicious food prepared for 125 Dinners. Income from Kitchen was \$1,629.50, Basket Raffle was \$578, 50/50 was \$123, and Bake Sale was \$21 for a Total of \$2,351. Expenses were \$496.97, for a Profit of \$1,854.03. Special THANKS to Jean and Dave Pedley for baking the delicious Easter Paska Bread served with the dinner. Also, Pat and Kristen Waznak for organizing the very successful Basket Raffle. Thank You, Maria Black, for handling the reservations and to all those who helped prepare and pack the dinners, donated baskets, baked goodies, or assisted at the various stations. Because of your teamwork, dedication, and love for your church, the event was a great success! May God Bless You for your efforts!

8. PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR INFIRM

Please remember to Pray for those who are Sick or Infirm. The list of names is in the back of the Bulletin. If you know of anyone to be added to the list, contact Fr. Myron or Maria Ruane. Your prayers are appreciated.

A MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER

I said a Mother's Day prayer for you to thank the Lord above for blessing me with a lifetime of your tenderhearted love. I thanked God for the caring you've shown me through the years, for the closeness we've enjoyed in time of laughter and of tears. And so, I thank you from the heart for all you've done for me and I bless the Lord for giving me the best mother there could be!



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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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Nadia Biloskirka

Green Ridge Living

Michael Stec

Kay Futrago

Home

Stella Patrick

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

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Doris Romancho

Mary Warholak

Dorothy Kowalchick

Irene Slangen

Michael McConnell

Vera Krewsun

VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning May 8, 2021

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| 1 | Hanging Eternal Lamp
\$10 | By: Marlene Laskowski
For: I. M. O. + Anna Marinchak & + Pearl Laskowski |
| 2 | 2 Altar Vigil Candles
\$10 | By: Pat, Frank and Kristen Waznak
For: I. M. O. + Lovie Kenjerski |
| 3 | Proskomedia Candles
\$10 | By: Kristen and Frank Waznak
For: Mother's Day blessings for Pat Waznak |
| 4 | 2 Tetrapod Candles
\$10 | By: Carol Tutka
For: I. M. O. + Caroline Krasulski and + Sarah Tutka |
| 5 | Jesus Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Maria Ruane
For: I. M. O. + Patricia Rivera |
| 6 | Mary Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Nadia Biloskirka
For: I. M. O. + Nicholas Biloskirka |
| 7 | St. Nicholas
\$5 | By: Sharmayne Tucker
For: Health and 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: Carol Tutka
For: I. M. O. + Ann Rose Tutka |
| 11 | Mother of God Statue
\$10 | By: Adam and Luke
For: Mother's Day blessings for Maria Ruane |
| 12 | Altar 7 branch Saturday
\$5 | By: Sophie Soniak
For: I. M. O. + Robert Locker |
| 13 | Altar 7 branch Sunday
\$5 | By: Fr. Myron & the Children (Pani's treasures)
For: Mother's Day blessings upon Pani Iryna Myronyuk |
| 14 | Blessed Mother (side altar)
\$5 | By: Walter, Jr. and Sharmayne Tucker
For: Mary Tucker - Have a blessed Mother's Day! |
| 15 | Jesus (side altar)
\$5 | By: Walter, Jr. and Sharmayne Tucker
For: I. M. O. + Betty Schwenk - Mother's Day remembrance |

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.

A Link to Baptism

The cure of the blind man also symbolizes mankind's means for its recovery from its blindness. It symbolizes the Sacrament of Baptism. Baptism is called holy enlightenment. Those who have been recently baptized are called the newly enlightened. This gospel from Saint John was read in the ancient Church on Holy Saturday when Catechumens were baptized. As this man is cured of his blindness when he washes in the waters of the pool of Siloam, as Jesus tells him to do, so are we brought out of darkness into a new life when we are baptized as Christ instructed us to be. Jesus restores His creation, mankind, with the potential to become what it was meant to be before the fall of Adam.

We also hear in the reading that after this man was cured many of those who knew him before did not recognize him. He is still the same man

but something has significantly changed about him. He is no longer blind. So when we are illuminated we are also new persons, though our outward appearance might be the same. To symbolize this newness a white garment is put on us to show the purity with which we start this new existence. We must, however, become different and unrecognizable in our inward and outward actions also. We must manifest our new existence to those around us through these actions. We must radiate this new found light to others by the way we live our lives. We must say to the world, "I am he who was blind but now my eyes are opened." Credit must be given to Him who has cured us of our darkness by living our lives according to the lessons of the illumination we have received and the continued guidance we get with the reception of the Holy Spirit.