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“Lord, increase our faith” Luke 17:5

SUNDAY JULY 20, 2014

6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5. HOLY GLORIOUS PROPHET ELIJAH. Repose of Ven. Abramius of Galich, disciple of Ven. Sergius of Rádonezh. Uncovering of the Relics of Ven. Afanásy (Athanasius), Abbot, of Brest-Litovsk.

Epistle: Romans 12:6-14

Gospel: Matthew 9:1-8

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

July 20, Sun: HOLY PROPHET ELIJAH. *Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Annual Vehicle Blessing following Divine Liturgy; Fellowship -11am*

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Lydia Mantle** · 6th Hour: **Chet Lubecki** · Epistle: **Chris Dupkanick**

July 22, Tue: Sight & Sound MOSES Outing -2:45pm

July 23, Wed: Bible Study (33 N 2nd St) –noon; **Vespers -6:30pm; Note:** No Choir Rehearsal

July 24, Thu: **BORIS & GLEB, PASSIONBEARERS**

July 25, Fri: FOCA National Convention in Gettysburg thru **Sunday, July 27th**

July 26, Sat: **ST. JACOB OF ALASKA. Vespers & Confession -5pm**

July 27, Sun: **MARTYR & HEALER PANTELEIMON. Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Fellowship -11am;**

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Sophia Katerman** · 6th Hour: **Vladimir Kellachow** · Epistle: **Chet Lubecki**

July 28, Mon: Men's Club Meeting -7pm; Last day to RSVP for the Pan-Orthodox VCS

● **ANCIENTFAITHRADIO.COM** - 24 hour Orthodox Internet Radio

● **OrthodoxyinAmerica.org** (Traveling or Going on Vacation?) **check it out!**

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS! Please join us for fellowship in the **church hall** following the service. If you are interested in becoming a part of our community please ask to speak to Fr. Stephen Vernak. Please note: Only those faithful who are Orthodox Christians and have properly prepared themselves by fasting (*from all food and drink*), prayer, and recent confession; and who were present for the reading of the Epistle and Gospel, should approach to receive the Holy Eucharist.

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

Please remember the following persons during your daily morning and evening prayers. **Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.** Submit names to the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

AILING: PARISHIONERS: Gloria Skirpan; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Mat. Mary Lynn Henry; Anthony Nicoloff; Mark Peters (Zarts & Lenkers friend); Ron Ziegler, Lydia Waggoner, Dave Arnold & Gill Clouse (friends of the Cain's); Michael Kobal (Chet Lubecki's uncle); Mat. Anna Marie Slovesko; Marsha Himic (Dana Watts mother); Wassil Boyko (Fr. Dan's family); Paul Evans, Louis Zang & Michalene Scheponik (Rapso), (M. Theodora godson & family); Mary & Frank Tonart (Sophia Katerman's parents); Diane Chambers & Helen Lanwehr (Anna Doray's family); Carrie Faust & Ellen Collins (Cole's friends); Theodore Demopolous (Sam's father); Keturah Faust (J. Barns & L. Shuga's friend); Matthew Kocsis & John Fatich (Kuzupas family); Joseph & Steven Demchak, (Suzanne's brothers);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: Suffering Christians throughout the world, especially, the people of Syria, Palestine, Iraq & Ukraine; and Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; **PARISHIONERS:** Kevin Herman, Jr. (Eleanor's son); Courtney Zeppuhar; Jim Krut; Jerry Cole; Gloria Maliniak; Sue Wolfe; Saba Ghebresalassie; Ghebremichael Habtegeorghis; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas **HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Betty Danko; Nicholas Essis; Ann Pusey; Agnes Risser; Millicent Russell; Shirley Sass; Salwa Shunnara; **EXPECTANT MOTHERS:** Jessica Bricker, and the child to be born of her; **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** David Ambartsumian, Jessica Drebot, Matthew Hadginske, Shreya Jacob, Zachary Koss, Alex Pankiw, DJ Pawlush, Sophia Ressetar, Jessica Shingara, Shane Staller, MaryAnn Wood. **MILITARY:** Michael Egan; Jeremy Fetsko; Steven Heberle; Evangelos Kanellakos; Stephanie King; Jim Mitnik; Matthew Pylpiciw; Thomas Shingara; Sean Slaughter; Michael Somple **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Cindy Peters; Dn. Joseph Kreta; child Maksim Sysak; Linda Lentz (Jacob & Courtney's mother); John Pellegrini; Valarie Gyrisco (John R. Barns friend); Marion Shortall (Cindy's mother); Faye Hake (Jesse's mother); Brian Yerby, Jr. (Christine Tartamella's godson); Linda Shue (Sharon Shingara's mother); Nancy Coles (John & Chris' mother); Ginny Ranck & Mike Frizzi (Keener friends); Timothy Cooney (Anna Doray's nephew); Fr. John & M. Stephanie Onofrey; Ben Morgan (Sally Marasco's son); Marie Cini (Bob's mother); Christine Kihm, Charles Klein, Margaret & Cecilia Hunt (Larry Smith's family); Willard Brown. **CATECHUMENS:** Jesse Hake; Matthew & Rachel Brubaker – *Anastasia*; Michael Loar

NEWLY DEPARTED: Ella Margaret Somerville (aunt of Debbie Hisiro) –July 16; Catherine, (grandmother of Michele Gopinath) –July 11; Met. Volodymyr of Kyiv & All Ukraine - July 5; Lu Ann Drebot (wife of Terry Drebot) – June 30; Robert Fatich (Janet Kuzupas' nephew) – June 29; John D. Babinski (Nora Lubecki's father) –June 25; V. Rev. Macarius Targonsky- June 25;

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Mary Altieri, sister of Dottie Fedetz, July 20 -22nd; Mariya G. Arakelova Lavrova, July 21 -13th; Robert Angelo, brother-in-law of Elizabeth Hancher, July 22 -11th; Nicholas Anderson, July 22 -8th; Ross Barefoot, Jane Volscko's brother, July 23 – 1st; Harold Telep, cousin of Ann Cole, July 23 -9th; Anna M. Herzog, July 25 -35th; Marlene Kalenak, Anna Doray's niece, July 26 -2nd; Mary C. Cvijic, July 26 -18th; Mary Ann Prodanovic, Aunt of Lydia Mantle; July 26 -8th;

CANDLE OFFERINGS: To purchase commemoration candles, please go to the candle desk or speak with one of the vestrymen. Please note: offerings must be in the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

❖ **Seven Day Votive** is offered for the **Memory of the Fedetz Families**, from Dotty Fedetz

MANY YEARS: Please submit to ctsocahbg@aol.com by the preceding Wednesday.

BIRTHDAYS: Dr. David Pawlush – July 22; Dorothy Sysak - July 22; Yuresaliem Arefe –July 23; Salina Kidane – July 24; Bahliby Kidane – July 25; Jane Volscko - July 26

NEWLY MARRIED: Andrew & Sophia Katerman –July 13

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS:



The Annual St. Elijah Vehicle Blessing: will be held on **TODAY** after Divine Liturgy. Bring all cars, trucks, motorcycles, bikes, scooters, skateboards, etc... if you can ride it, we can bless it! Rain date will be next Sunday - July 27th.

Note of Thanks: Tim and Gail McMahon would like to offer our heartfelt thank you to the Parish Family for their thoughtful cards, prayers and support during the passing of his daughter Madeline. *Memory Eternal.*

Pan-Orthodox Vacation Church School: Will be held **August 4th – 8th** from **5:45pm to 8pm** at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral. The theme is "*Learning About Our Faith.*" The VBS is for children 4 years to 12 years (6th grade) and **RSVPs are due Monday, July 28th**. For more information please see the registration forms in the candle stand.



Congratulations: to our parish softball team on winning the league championship this year. This is their **4th straight championship** and 10th overall. Thanks for another great season!

Just Say Cheese! During Fellowship Greg Ressetar and Doug Cain will be taking **family photos** in the parish hall for our long awaited updated **PARISH PICTORAL DIRECTORY**. This will continue for the next several weeks - thanks in advance for your help and cooperation!

❖ **NOTE: There are no appointments or assigned times – please approach the stage area and our photographers will record your family name and take your photo.**

Save the Date: The Men's Club is sponsoring a Senator's game on **Thursday, July 31st against Akron Rubber Ducks at 7pm**. The Box Seats are in Section 204 behind home plate are **\$9.00 each**. Please sign-up in the vestibule or contact **Josh DiFlorio** 991-7644 to reserve your ticket.

Parish Yard Sale: Donations will start to be accepted this **Saturday, July 12th** in the Parish Hall basement for our parish yard sale being held on **Saturday, August 2nd**. We will accept children's or baby clothes, toys or other baby items; glassware, household & kitchen items; & tools. PLEASE, no electronics unless they are in working order. Questions? Please see **John & Jean Dotsey or Alice Mallick**

Summer Fellowship Hour Schedule: "O" Club members are asked to help by bringing at least 4 dozen of items, such as: soup, fresh fruit, vegetables, cheese, bagels or bread, baked goods and to serve them during their assigned fellowship hour. ***Please observe a "strict fast" (no meat or dairy products) during the fasting seasons.** If you are unable to be at church on your scheduled date contact **John Dotsey** at (717) 566-0395

July 27:	Joanne Wevodau	Sue Dotsey
Aug 3 *:	Christina Yerke	Elise Mosser
Aug 10 *:	Janice Zuro	Angie DeFloiro

LAST SATURDAY VESPERS: 35 • LAST SUNDAY LITURGY: 182

EVENTS AROUND OUR ORTHODOX COMMUNITY

Central PA District FOCA Baseball Game/Picnic: Will be held on **Sunday, August 17th** at the First Energy Stadium in Reading, PA. The Reading Fightin Phils will take on the Binghamton Mets. The Gates open at 4pm and the Picnic is from **4pm to 6:30pm** with the game to follow. Price is \$27.00 per person (which includes the game & all you can eat buffet) and children under 4 are free. Please RSVP to Nick Ressetar at nressetar@costopoulos.com ortsarnick3@aol.com or via phone at 717-761-2121. For more information please see the flyer in the candle stand.

FOCA Happenings: The FOCA will host their 88th National Convention in Gettysburg, PA on **July 25 – 28th** and the FOCA Summer Sports Tournament will also be held in Gettysburg on **July 24 -25th**. For more information please visit www.orthodoxfellowship.org or see Bill or Joan Dupkanick.

Panera Bread Pick-Up Volunteers: We are looking for families willing to assist with this "Daily Bread" ministry by picking up on Saturday evenings between 10:15-10:30 at the **Hummelstown Panera** (1178 Mae St., Hershey Square). Please contact **Sophia Katerman** (jmkellachow@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining a rotation or have any questions.

Looking for Volunteers: Agia Sophia Coffee House & Bookstore is seeking parishioners to volunteer. Please see Joanne Wevodau at jwevodau@verizon.net with any inquiries.

To learn more about Agia Sophia check out our web page at www.agiasophiaharrisburg.com