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SERVICES June 3, 2018 - June 10, 2018

**Sunday, June 3, 20189:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am –Divine Liturgy; Sunday School; Coffee Hr.; 12 noon - Adult Study
1:00 pm - Blessing of Graves at our Cemetery**

Wednesday, June 6, 2018.....6:00 pm - HEALING SERVICE

Saturday, June 9, 2018..... 5:00 pm – Vespers

Sunday, June 10, 2018.....9:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am –Divine Liturgy; Sunday School; Coffee H.; 12 noon - Adult Study

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EPISTLE: HEBREWS 11:33-12:2

who through faith subdued kingdoms, worked righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens. Women received their dead raised to life again. Others were tortured, not accepting deliverance, that they might obtain a better resurrection. Still others had trial of mockings and scourgings, yes, and of chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, were tempted, were slain with the sword. They wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins, being destitute, afflicted, tormented – of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, having obtained a good testimony through faith, did not receive the promise, God having provided something better for us, that they should not be made perfect apart from us. Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 10:32-33,37-38

Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven. He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me.

Then Peter answered and said to Him, “See, we have left all and followed You. Therefore what shall we have?” So Jesus said to them, “Assuredly I say to you, that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man sits on the throne of His glory, you who have followed Me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My name’s sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first.

NEXT WEEK: JUNE 10, 2018 ROMANS 2:10-16 MATTHEW 4:18-23

June 3, 2018

PRAYER LIST : We offer our prayers for all of our shut-ins who are unable to attend church services, especially:
Vera Tatusko and William Tellep Jr.

Also offer your prayers for those in need especially *Vladimir Alexeev, Helen Baburchak, Lawrence Barlow, Matushka Joanna Bohush, Lydia Boras, Laura Chapin, David Davies, Nadine Dranchak, Thanos Fotiou, Jack Francisco, Justin Garcia, Kathy Gregory; Marge Herciga, Natalie Kostyshak, Olga Kulasza, Robert Kushner, Alicia Laskowski; Linda Main; George Murphy, Tanya Pylypciw, Janeel Rahman, Sheila Ransom, Joni Mitchell, Jeannie Sura; Millie Sviatyla, Dorothy Tarasevich, Rachelle Vitale, Elayna Volock, Olga Warski & all of our parishioners who are ill.*

To add or remove names from the prayer list in the bulletin, please let Fr. Alexey or Fr. Timm know. **Thank you!**



COFFEE HOUR: Come downstairs and socialize with your brothers and sisters in Christ.

Today: Elaine Costello, Jeannie Sura, Mat. Michele Holowatch, Mike Pylypciw, Deanne Johnston, Lisa Dutcher
June 10: Tamara Sytnik, Ludmila Boychenko, Natalia Nikulin, Vera Yaremko, Marina Pomukchynsky
June 17: Rita Kushner, Nadine Fedones, Anne Sawchak, Ellen Baxendale, Patty & Dave Deamond
June 24: Babe Farbanish, Nettie Lukovich, Connie Devine, Natalie Kostyshak

****Adult Bible Study - Sundays at 12 noon.**** This is a new series on the Book of Acts and Romans from April 15 thru May 27 (Pentecost). Please join us in this journey of faith.

*****Kolachki Sale:** There is a limited amount of kolachki for sale @ \$10/bag. See Paul Farbanish.***

Upcoming Events - Please contact Paul Farbanish @ 754-0249 to let him know if you are interested.

- **Sight and Sound Theatre** - We are planning a trip to see the new show "Jesus" at the Sight and Sound Theatre, Lancaster, PA. The date is Tuesday, August 7, 2018. The date is a ways off but we would like to know what interest there is so we can open it up to guests. See Flyer in May Monthly Bulletin.
- **St. George's Church** - We are planning to visit St George's Church, Taylor, PA sometime in June or July, 2018. There have been a number of requests for a return trip.

NEW YORK STATE DEANERY PARISH COUNCILS CONFERENCE – The Parish Council Conference for our Deanery has been scheduled for Saturday, June 9, 2018 at our parish. The tentative schedule is to begin the conference at 10:00 am and conclude it at 3:00 pm with a break for lunch from noon – 1:00 pm. An excellent speaker on evangelization and parish growth, Fr. Thomas Soroka will be the conference presenter. Even though this conference is designed specifically for parish council members of all our parishes in New York State, we extend an invitation to all interested parishioners of our church.

CEMETERY BLESSING: *Dear brothers and sisters in Christ – Christ is Risen! As is a tradition in our parish, we will be going to our parish cemetery today @ 1:00 pm, weather permitting, to bless the cemetery, individual graves of our departed loved ones and to serve a General Panikhida with the reading of all the names of our parishioners who have fallen asleep in the Lord.*

PLEASE NOTIFY OUR CHURCH OFFICE OF ANY ADDRESS, PHONE # OR EMAIL CHANGES TO OUR MAILING LIST. THERE IS A FORM IN THE OFFICE AND ON THE STAND IN THE VESTIBULE OF THE CHURCH.

WELCOME to all our visitors and guests who participate in our celebration of the Divine Liturgy! While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Orthodox Christians, our non-Orthodox guests are welcome to join us in venerating the Cross & receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy. We invite all of our guests to join for our Fellowship Hour & to visit our Bookstore.

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