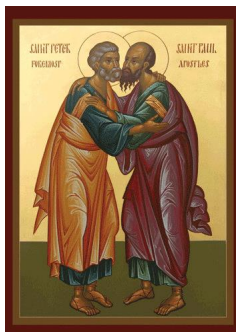




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Sunday, June 19th 2022

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SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK: (COULD BE CHANGED)

Sunday	06/19/2022	11:00 AM	<i>2nd Sunday after Pentecost/Father's Day</i>
Thursday	06/23/2022	06:30 PM	Liturgy for Birth of John the Baptist + Michael Drabik <i>By The Drabik Family</i>
Sunday	06/26/2022	11:00 AM	<i>3rd Sunday after Pentecost</i> 40th Wedding Anniversary to M&M Stephen Suchan <i>By Sts Peter and Paul Parish</i>

UPDATES

Joan Skinta is at Woodhaven Care Ceeter, Room 107, 2400 McGinley Rd., Monroeville PA 15146

Rose Petruska is at Concordia at Cranberry, 10 Adams Ridge Blvd, Mars PA 16046

DIVINE SERVICES ATTENDANCE

Liturgy on Monday June 8th was 5; on Sunday June 12th was 39.

LIVE STREAM VIEWING

Liturgy on Monday June 8th was 91; on Sunday June 12th was 90.

On June 19 th 2022	On June 26 th 2022	On July 3 rd 2022	On July 10 th 2022
Team C	Team D	Team A	Team B

SICK AND SHUT-INS



Please remember in your prayers our parishioners who are sick, homebound, hospitalized, living in nursing facilities, or need your prayers for their personal intentions:

Don Downey, Anna D. Fialkovich, Mark Fialkovich, Benjamin Kaefer, Jr., John Kopay, Jr., Sylvia Kopay, Richard Paloscko, Nancy Pcolar, Bob Newton, Rebecca McCullough, Will McCullough, Marie Churley, Joanne Skinta, John Gegick and Those serving in the Armed Forces, Emily Cox, Margaret Torbich, Mary Pat H, Gale Joscak, Mary Ann Badar, Robert Crowley, Rose Petruska, Gary Fall, Andrew Torbich, Judy Kosar, Mark Crowley, Mason Stern, Shawna Lynn Beluscak, Ronald Dusetzina, Gio Savko, Connie Leary, Jonathan Staton, Eleanor & Bob Rodrigues, Mary Anne Ference Mistick, Raymond Savko, Mario Peticca, Leah Fitchwell, Agnes McGuire, Matthew Dickun.

***If you have a family member in the hospital or other facilities, and would like us to remember them in prayer, contact Father Vitalii and we will be glad to publish their name in the bulletin – even if they are not a parishioner of Saints Peter & Paul Parish.*

ETERNAL MEMORY! Margaret "Peg" E. Torbich; September 15, 1931 ~ June 11, 2022 (age 90)



Margaret Eleanor Torbich was born September 15, 1931 and died peacefully in her home with family members by her side on June 11, 2022. She is preceded in death by her parents, Mary Pasterick and Andrew Torbich and her thirteen siblings: Mike, John, George, Edward, William, Irene, Dolores (Check), Theodore, Thomas, Patsy (Popovich), Marian, Robert and Albert.

Peg was a devoted Christian and a member of St. Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church. Peg received her undergraduate degree in education from Duquesne University and her Master's degree from the University of Pittsburgh. Peg spent most of her career as a reading specialist in the Woodland Hills School District. After retirement she was actively involved with the Pennsylvania Education Retirees where she served as president for 19 years.

Her commitment and passion for education was evident as she always championed for what she thought was best for both the students and the teachers. Peg loved spending time with family and friends. She would never tire of hearing stories and getting updates from her 27 nieces, nephews and their families. Included in this group were her Goddaughters: Dorothy Vavra and Kayla Early. Although she had unique relationships with several of them, Peg

was especially close to her nephew, Dan who happened to live on the same street. He checked on her daily and in recent years was her primary caregiver. They both loved Christmas and would spend the year planning for it. Shopping would start in January and end with the house being totally decorated by Dan in December. It was truly magical. When she wasn't with family you could find her shopping or dining with her friends. Although she lived alone, she always had the company of one of her furry friends, the most recent being a miniature poodle called Nacho.

Peg's wish was to remain in her home which became more difficult in recent years. Her niece, Adrienne and nephew Dan spent endless hours making sure that her needs were met. The family is filled with gratitude for the special caregivers at Home Instead and Gallagher Hospice along with a very special and caring person, Ramona Santiago. She will be missed by many but her spirit, will and strength will stay with all of those whose lives she touched.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR: LITURGY ON JULY 17th WILL BE 9:00 AM

CANDLES FOR SOMEONE SPECIAL JUNE 5th 2022

Glady DelCorso	For Good Health Sharon & Gary
Bobbi Vaccaro	For Good Health
Roch Trankocy	Special
Myron Drabik	For Good Health
	For Special Favor
Myron Drabik	For Good Health
	For Special Favor
Barbara Martin	Special

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

06/03	Jerry Spynda
06/05	Mary Keafer
06/09	John Skinta
06/10	Stephen Krivda
06/27	Kimberly Krivda
06/27	Marlene Torbich
06/28	Jeremy Drabik

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

06/03	Ronald & Wanda Hodoba
06/28	Thomas & Shari Fialkovich

CATHOLIC TEACHING, THE SACRAMENTS OF HEALING

Through the sacraments of Christian initiation, man receives the new life of Christ. Now we carry this life "in earthen vessels," and it remains "hidden with Christ in God."¹ We are still in our "earthly tent," subject to suffering, illness, and death.² This new life as a child of God can be weakened and even lost by sin.

The Lord Jesus Christ, physician of our souls and bodies, who forgave the sins of the paralytic and restored him to bodily health,³ has willed that his Church continue, in the power of the Holy Spirit, his work of healing and salvation, even among her own members. This is the purpose of the two sacraments of healing: the sacrament of Penance and the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.

THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION

"Those who approach the sacrament of Penance obtain pardon from God's mercy for the offense committed against him, and are, at the same time, reconciled with the Church which they have wounded by their sins and which by charity, by example, and by prayer labors for their conversion."

CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

FURNITURE MOVING PROJECT AT THE BYZANTINE CATHOLIC SEMINARY:

Our Seminary in Pittsburgh is in need of some able-bodied individuals to help with some furniture moving on Saturday, July 2 beginning at 2 PM. Some hefty lifting up one or two flights of stairs can be expected. Workers will be offered dinner. If you can help, please contact (by June 28) Fr. Robert Pipta at rector@bcs.edu or 412-627-7892. Feel free to leave a spoken or text message with your name and contact information. Thank you.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

July 25th 2022 at 6:30 pm at Church Social Hall
October 24th 2022 at 6:30 pm at Church Social Hal

CHURCH HISTORY; Twelfth Century



The West

In Western Europe the great Cistercian monastic reform movement of the Benedictine Order (now known as the Trappists) arose. This movement's greatest representative, Bernard of Clairvaux (1090–1153), was an ascetical, mystical theologian and church activist of aristocratic background. He promoted the Second Crusade (of 1147), and theologically he fought against Peter Abelard (1079–1142), another important early Scholastic theologian and author of the famous *Sic et Non*. The Carthusian movement of intensely contemplative, semi-eremitic monasticism, founded in 1084 by Bruno, expanded rapidly in this era.

Together with the centralizing of Papal power and the victory of the Papacy over the secular rulers in the controversy over lay investiture, the 12th century also saw the rise of the Victorine school of Augustinian theology, led by Hugo (d. 1141) and Richard of Saint Victor (d. 1173). Another major Scholastic theologian, Peter Lombard (c. 1100–1160), wrote his very influential *Sentences* in the 1150s.

On the more popular level, the Waldensian movement arose in the 1170s, led by a merchant of Lyons named Valdes. This very energetic layman emphasized itinerant, Scripture-based lay preaching, voluntary poverty, and works of charity. The various Waldensian groups suffered various forms of persecution at the hands of the Roman Catholic Church during the succeeding centuries. Finally in the 16th century, most of them merged with various Protestant groups.

Also, the dualist heretical movement known as the Cathari arose in Germany around 1140, under the influence of Bogomilism from Eastern Europe. By around 1200 the Cathari had grown and spread to such an extent that they were the principal target of the Inquisition that was instituted in the early 13th century. In southern France these heretics were known as Albigensians.

In 1147, the Second Crusade was launched with the goal of winning back the Crusader Kingdom of Edessa which had fallen to the Muslims. Preached by Bernard of Clairvaux, this crusade was led by King Louis VII of France and Holy Roman Emperor Conrad III. These Crusaders further alienated the Byzantines by their uncouth behavior. At the same time, the Westerners had learned to hate the Greeks, considering them to be deceitful, and their Church heretical. The chronicler Odo of Deuil listed the various practices and beliefs of the Greek Christians now scorned by the Westerners, and he recorded their willingness to kill the Greeks as heretics. More and more, the Latins dreamed of seizing Constantinople for themselves, and they were urged to do so by some of their own clergy.

Meanwhile, the Greek Church's consternation at the extension of Papal claims was eloquently expressed in a letter by Archbishop Nicetas of Nicomedia written to Bishop Anselm of Havelberg, in Germany.

WE WELCOME YOU HOME!



There are often people who have been raised as Byzantine Catholics and through the years have become separated from the Church. Perhaps, there has been someone in your family or your friends or your neighbors who was raised Byzantine Catholic, but no longer actively participates in a Parish. Please invite your friends or who used to be a member of our parish to come and enjoy again our parish family. Together we can accomplish everything. Sharing with one another always increases joy and diminishes sorrow! With faith, hope, and love as we continue our journey together.



GCU Byzantine Family Day
at Kennywood Park-100
Years!!

EVENTS



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Father's Day – Sunday, June 19th



PLEASE JOIN US

Coffee and Donuts – Sunday, June 26th



Please Stop after Liturgy for some coffee, tea and donuts

Parish Picnic – Sunday, July 10th



Please Sign Up – Sheet in Vestibule – Event will be catered

2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

In today's Gospel we hear our Lord say *"Follow Me and I will make you fishers of men."* Our Lord said this to call the apostles. This is not just the apostles' call but it is our own. What this statement says is that if we follow Jesus Christ we will bring men to Him.

Following Jesus Christ means that we live our lives in the same manner that He lived His. That means that we are to be obedient to our Heavenly Father and take up the way of the cross. As our Lord said to His disciples: *"If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me."*

It also means that we must be one as the Son is with His Father. In order for us to be one with God as the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit are one we must be first be obedient to the will of God. Obedience to the will of God means that we must place God in charge of our lives. In other words, we must surrender our will to God's will. That is exactly what the apostles did when they forsook everything and followed Jesus.

To love God above all things is a difficult path to follow but, it is also a path of joy. This is because the path of the cross leads to the resurrection. Many people look at this path as without seeing the joy of the resurrection at its end. Saint Paul reminds us of this in his First Epistle to the Corinthians when he says *"For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God."* What the cross leads to is restoration of lives to that which we were created to be by God. When this happens, we become changed. We are at peace with creation. Accepting the path of the cross is something we do voluntarily. While our Lord calls us to the path of salvation through the cross, He leaves us to choose between the path of salvation and the path of destruction.

If we have made the choice to follow Christ, then we will become fishers of men. This means that as fishermen cast their nets into the dark depths of the sea for a catch of fish so, will we with Christ and the Gospel catch men from the dark depths of this world. As fishers of men we will fulfill the Lord's command *"Go therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit."*

All too often we abdicate this responsibility to someone else. If we do this then we must ask ourselves are we truly following Christ. The Gospel says *"Follow Me AND I will make you fishers of men."* One of the key ways that we are fishers of men is through the way we live our lives.

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ my prayer for you is that you may fight the good fight of faith following the way of the cross of Christ so that you may draw men into Christ's net through your profession of Him before men in the manner in which you live your lives.

PROJECT'S UPDATE

Later in June or early July, we will be having work done on our bell towers. The work will affect parking on George Street and likely will limit access to the street as well. We expect the work will take no more than one week. We hope it will not affect parking for Sunday liturgy

As soon as we have the exact dates and more details, we will share that with you. Also, we have alerted our neighbors about the work and the impact it will have on the street.

Father's Day Candles

David Savko
Paula Smolak
Audrey Schell
Monica Gazzo
Don Downey
Donna Torbich
Mark Fialkovich
Arleen Jama
Gerard Fialkovich
Myron Drabik
Mary Kaefer

In Memory of Albert Savko
Special
In Memory of Kenneth Schell
In Memory of Michael Volcheck
In Memory of Howard Schell
In Honor of Dan Gazzo
In Memory of Mark Gazzo
In Memory of Philip Fall
In Memory of Steve Liptak Sr
In Memory of Donald Downey Sr
In Memory of Andrew Dzama
In Memory of John Torbich
In Memory of Smokey Torbich
In Memory of Jesse Matta
In Honor of Daniel Torbich
In Honor of Thomas Torbich
In Honor of William Torbich
In Honor of Andrew Torbich
In Honor of Joseph Torbich
In Memory of Clarence Fialkovich
In Memory of Michael Fialkovich
In Memory of Nikolas Gladis
In Honor of Nicholas Gladis Jr
In Memory of Williwam A. Scanlon
In Memory of Willwiam D. Scanlon
In Memory of Andrew Bogatay
In Memory of Joseph Wiesen
In Memory of John Jama
In Memory of Clarence Fialkovich
In Memory of Vincent DelCorso
In Memory of Michael Drabik Sr
In Memory of Michael Drabik Jr
In Memory of Stephen Drabik
In Memory of Adam Charas
Michael Bellock
In Memory of William Trisch
In Memory of Joe Cinciripini
In Honor of Jeremy Drabik
In Memory of Ben Kaefer
In Memory of Mike Boras
In Memory of Al Andrascik
In Memory of Ben Kaefer Sr
In Memory of Joe Boros
Chuck Boros
Joe Andrascik
John Boros

Marie Bumba
Barbara Martin
Kristin martin
Andrew Novotny
Marie Fitzgerald
Richard Trankocy
Anna Fialkovich
Vicki Vargo
Michael Fialkovich
Beverly Ronallo
Marcia Salada
Joy Kovalycsik
Dolores Tomko
Mary Mistick
Kennedy
John Fisher
Rob Kennedy
Cathy Savko

In Memory of Ray Bumba
In Memory of Edward Kruszka
In Memory of Johnn Potemra
Joseph Simchak
Richard Martin
In Memory of Andrew Novotny
In Memory of David Griffiths
In Memory of John J Holub
In Memory of James F Fitzgerald
In Memory of John Whitehead Jr
In Memory of John Holub Jr
In Honor of Jim Fitzgerald III
Special
In Memory of Michael E Fialkovich
In Memory of Michael Fialkovich Jr
In Memory of Rafael Carleo
In Memory of Michael Vargo
In Memory of Frank Meklas
In Honor of Mike Vargo
In Memory of Michael Fialkovich
In Memory of Charles Thomas Sr
In Memory of Wayne Thomas
In Honor of Jeremy Ronallo
In Memory of John Salada
In Memory of Bob Harrison
In Memory of Andrew Kovalycsik
In Memory of Michael Kovalycsik
In Memory of John Kovalycsik
In Memory of Stephen Kovalycsik
In Memory of Andrew Kovalycsik
In Memory of John Sovich
In Memory of John Warchol
In Memory of Donald Popowich
In Memory of Michael Tomko Sr
In Memory of Michael Tomko
In Memory of John Pulit
In Memory of Martin Pulit
In Memory of John Chassar
In Memory of Jon Dzuro
In Memory of Stephen Ference
In Honor of Rich Trankocy
In Memory of John Trankocy
In Honor of Steve Kennedy
In Memory of Joseph DelleDonne
In Memory of Joseph Fisher
In Memory of Will Kennedy
in Memory of Charles E Lang

WHAT IT MEANS TO CELEBRATE FATHER'S DAY

This weekend we celebrate Father's Day. A wonderful tradition that most families will celebrate with a family BBQ, a visit to the folks house, and gifts for dad. Its a day we use to say thank to our Fathers for all they do to support us in life. The role of Father has changed some in these modern times. There is still the traditional role of father but there are other male role models like step-fathers, grandfathers, brothers, godfathers, and special friends that are honored this day. It really doesn't matter how they step in to show guidance, love and help we take the time today to say thank you. While looking up about Fathers Day I found some interesting articles. Did you know that Father's day is celebrated on Saint Joseph's Day, or Feast of Saint Joseph (Festa di San Giuseppe), which is observed on March 19 in most Catholic Countries. This day honors the husband of the Virgin Mary and father of Jesus Christ. This day was dedicated to St. Joseph as early as the 10th century and many customs and celebrations were established for this celebration over the years. Here in America we celebrate Father's Day on the third Sunday of June. The tradition though of Father's Day has only been officially recognized in the United States since 1972. We just want to say "Thank You" to all the wonderful dads, grandfather, godfathers, priests and to the Holy Father today for all you do to bring the light of Christ to your children.

Prayer:

GOD OUR FATHER, WE GIVE YOU THANKS AND PRAISE FOR FATHERS YOUNG AND OLD. WE PRAY FOR YOUNG FATHERS, NEWLY EMBRACING THEIR VOCATION; MAY THEY FIND COURAGE AND PERSEVERANCE TO BALANCE WORK, FAMILY AND FAITH IN JOY AND SACRIFICE. WE PRAY FOR OUR OWN FATHERS AROUND THE WORLD WHOSE CHILDREN ARE LOST OR SUFFERING; MAY THEY KNOW THAT THE GOD OF COMPASSION WALKS WITH THEM IN THEIR SORROW. WE PRAY FOR MEN WHO ARE NOT FATHERS BUT STILL MENTOR AND GUIDE US WITH FATHERLY LOVE AND ADVICE. WE REMEMBER FATHERS, GRANDFATHER, AND GREAT GRANDFATHERS WHO ARE NO LONGER WITH US BUT WHO LIVE FOREVER IN OUR MEMORY AND NOURISH US WITH THEIR LOVE. AMEN

H A P P Y
Father's Day
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FATHER'S DAY

WORD SEARCH PUZZLE

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