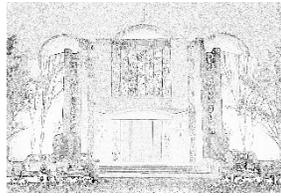




**Our Lady
of Perpetual
Help
Byzantine
Catholic
Church**



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**Liturgical Schedule
For the Week of June 30th, 2019**



Saturday, June 29th, Vigil, 3rd Sunday after Pentecost^{1,2}
5:30 PM +Faithful Departed
Sunday, June 30th, 3rd Sunday after Pentecost^{1,2}
9:00 AM For the Parish Family of OLPH
Friday, July 5th, Divine Liturgy
7:00 PM Gal 5:22-6:2; Lk 6:17-23
Saturday, July 6th, Vigil, 4th Sunday after Pentecost³
5:30 PM +Faithful Departed
Sunday, July 7th, 4th Sunday after Pentecost³
9:00 AM For the Parish Family of OLPH
¹Tone 2, pg. 125; Rom 5:1-10; Mt 6:22-34
²Festal anointing (Mirovanije) in honor of the Feasts of the Birth of John the Baptist and Peter and Paul, Preeminent Apostles
³Tone 3, pg. 135; Rom 6:18-23; Mt 8:5-13
General: After the singing of "Many Years", we will sing "Beneath Your Compassion", found on pg. 454 of the Green Pew Book.

Candle Intentions: Available, by month. The cost is \$25 per request which should be submitted along with the request form.
Holy Communion: As you approach the chalice to receive our Lord, please say your name to Father in a low voice.
Hospital/Home Visitation: Available upon request.
Liturgy Intentions: Available upon request. The offering is \$15 per request which should be submitted along with the request form.
Mystery of Forgiveness (Confession). Saturdays, from 4:45 to 5:15 and, Sundays, from 8:15 to 8:45. If these times are not convenient, please make an appointment with Fr Vasyl.

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Contact Number: (215) 334-5129**

Should you have any pastoral needs or, concerns, sick calls, funerals, liturgy intentions, etc. please call Fr. Higgins at 215-334-5129. Please leave a message if Father is not available and he will return your call as soon as possible. Father will then either address your request, concern, or, need or, he will forward it to Fr. Vasyl.

Offertory – June 29th & 30th, 2019

God is pleased by sacrifices of that kind." (Hebrews 13:16)

	Saturday	Sunday	Total
Regular	649	545	1,194
Holyday	10		10
Candles		8	8
Parish Fund Jar		20	20
Initial		5	5
Refund		260.70	260.70
Total	659	838.70	1,497.70
Attendance	30	29	59

**Candle Dedications for July, 2019
Sanctuary Lamps;**



In thanksgiving for the many blessings received by the Wislotsky, Kopcho and Wendel families by Nadia Kopcho

Tetrapod;

In memory of my friend Edward Kravcak by Robert P. Donatelli
Altar of Preparation;

In loving memory of those who have passed in the Figula and Macinsky families by the Macinsky Family

Vacation Season

Vacation season is upon us. As you head off to wherever your travels might lead you, please remember your parish and our critical need to maintain a consistent amount of income to offset our operating expenses. As always, we are most grateful for your ongoing support!



Happy Independence Day! God Bless The USA!

Feast Day Luncheon, Celebrating 65 Years!

Thank you to all who attended our Feast Day Luncheon at Gabrielle's, Levittown, celebrating our 65th year! A good time was had by all enjoying good food, friends and fellowship. A very special thank you is extended to those who made monetary donations to offset our costs!!

Upcoming Eparchial Events:

**Byzantine Woman's Day of Recollection
Women in the Bible and in the Church
Today**



This event will be held at Holy Dormition Byzantine Franciscan Monastery, Sybertsville, PA on July 13th, 2019. It starts at 8:30 AM with Divine Liturgy. Group activities end at 3:00 PM with the opportunity to stay on the grounds for more private prayer and quiet time. The celebrant and speaker will be **Father Jerome Wolbert, OFM.** Cost: \$40 which includes coffee and pastry in the morning and a light lunch. **For information or, to register,** call: Carol at (570) 969-1756 or, call or email Gina at (570) [9272/697](tel:5709272697)@ptd.net. The deadline to register is July 6th, 2019.



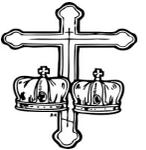
Altar Server Camp: Carpathian Village, Cresco, PA, July 21-24th, 2019. Register at www.eparchyofpassaic.com.



Saint Nicholas Pilgrimage: Carpathian Village, Cresco, PA, August 4th, 2019.

2019 Wedding Jubilarian Celebration

For the convenience of our parishioners, again this year the opportunity is being made available to attend the NJ Syncellate's Celebration at St. Mary Church, Hillsborough, NJ. This year's celebration is September 15th. Bishop Kurt will celebrate a Hierarchical Divine Liturgy at 3:00 p.m. followed by a dinner in the Parish's banquet facility.



Wedding Anniversary 2019

Names (please include both first names):

Address: _____

We are celebrating our _____ Wedding Anniversary.
(Number of years, example: 5, 10, 15, 20...)

We were married on: _____

Note: This form denotes attendance in Hillsborough only



Did You Know??? The Theotokos of the Passion is one of the most recognized icons of the Mother of God (Theotokos). Traditionally, it is said to be one of the icons painted by St. Luke the Evangelist, and it is known in the Western Churches (primarily the Roman Catholic Church) as **Our Lady of Perpetual Help.** The icon's commemoration is celebrated on April 30 and on the sixth Sunday after Pascha (Sunday of the Blind Man). (The Roman Catholic Church celebrates this memorial on June 27.)

Source: Orthodoxwiki

Volunteer Needed

Do you have an interest in compiling and communicating parish and diocesan news and events? Would you like to work with Frs. Higgins and Vasyl to establish the weekly liturgical schedule and report attendance and collection figures? If yes, a volunteering opportunity has become available regarding the preparation of our weekly bulletin. Basic computer skills (e.g create and maintain documents in Microsoft Word) are needed (or, training can be provided) as well as the ability to print, copy and .pdf. If interested, please speak with Fr. Vasyl. Thank you!!





**Slava Isusu Christu! Slava Na V'iki! - Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever!
Welcome Visitors! We are so glad that you joined us for Liturgy today!**



Prayer to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, you have been blessed and favored by God. You became not only the Mother of the Redeemer, but the Mother of the redeemed as well. We come to you today as you loving children. Watch over us and take care of us. As you held the child Jesus in your loving arms, so take us in your arms. Be a mother ready at every moment to help us. For God who is mighty has done great things for you, and his mercy is from age to age on those who love him. Our greatest fear is that in time of temptation, we may fail to call out to you, and become lost children. Intercede for us, dear Mother, in obtaining pardon for our sins, love for Jesus, final perseverance, and the grace always to call upon you, Our Lady of Perpetual Help!

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 neighbors who were raised Byzantine Catholic but, no longer actively participate in a parish. Please invite your friends or, those who used to be a member of our parish to come and enjoy again our parish family.

Remember, together we can accomplish everything! Sharing with one another always increases joy and diminishes sorrow! **Welcome Home!**

