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The Myrrhbearing Women



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*We invite you to a celebration of
the Resurrection of Christ each week.*



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Epistle: Acts 6:1-7

Gospel: Mark 15:43-16:8



**Bulletin is dedicated to All Mothers.
Both here on Earth and up in Heaven.**



Tone 2 Troparion (Resurrection)

When You descended to death, O Life Immortal,
You slew hell with the splendor of Your Godhead.
And when from the depths You raised the dead,
all the powers of heaven cried out://
“O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You!”

Tone 2 Troparion (Pentecostarion)

The noble Joseph, when he had taken down Your
most pure Body from the Tree,
wrapped it in fine linen and anointed it with spices,
and placed it in a new tomb.
But You rose on the third day, O Lord,///
granting the world great mercy.

Tone 2 Kontakion (Pentecostarion)

You commanded the Myrrhbearers to rejoice, O Christ God.
By Your Resurrection, You stopped the lamentation of Eve, the first mother.
You commanded them to preach to Your Apostles::/
“The Savior is risen from the tomb!”



Tone 6 Prokeimenon

O Lord, save Your people, / and bless Your inheritance! (*Ps. 27:9a*)
V. To You, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me! (*Ps. 27:1a*)

The Reading is from the Acts of the Holy Apostles

Now in those days, when the number of the disciples was multiplying, there arose a complaint against the Hebrews by the Hellenists, because their widows were neglected in the daily distribution. Then the twelve summoned the multitude of the disciples and said, “It is not desirable that we should leave the word of God and serve tables. Therefore, brethren, seek out from among you seven men of good reputation, full of the Holy Spirit and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business; but we will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word.” And the saying pleased the whole multitude. And they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and the Holy Spirit, and Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas, a proselyte from Antioch, whom they set before the apostles; and when they had prayed, they laid hands on them. Then the word of God spread, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith.

Alleluia and Verses Tone 8

*O Lord, You have been gracious to Your land; You have turned back the captivity of Jacob.
Mercy and truth are met together, righteousness and peace have kissed each other.*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

The reading is from the Gospel according to St. Mark

Joseph of Arimathea, a prominent council member, who was himself waiting for the kingdom of God, coming and taking courage, went in to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Pilate marveled that He was already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him if He had been dead for some time. So when he found out from the centurion, he granted the body to Joseph. Then he bought fine linen, took Him down, and wrapped Him in the linen. And he laid Him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock, and rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. And Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joses observed where He was laid. Now when the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, that they might come and anoint Him. Very early in the morning, on the first day of the week, they came to the tomb when the sun had risen. And they said among themselves, "Who will roll away the stone from the door of the tomb for us?" But when they looked up, they saw that the stone had been rolled away – for it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man clothed in a long white robe sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He is risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid Him. But go, tell His disciples – and Peter – that He is going before you into Galilee; there you will see Him, as He said to you." So they went out quickly and fled from the tomb, for they trembled and were amazed. And they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

Instead of "it is right in truth"

The angel cried to the Lade Full of Grace. Rejoice, Pure Virgin, Again I say: Rejoice. Your Son is Risen from His three days in the tomb. With Himself He has raised up all the dead: Rejoice, all peoples.

Irmos: Shine, Shine, O New Jerusalem, for the Glory of the Lord has shone on you. Exult now and be glad. O Zion and rejoice, Pure Birth-Giver of God in the Resurrection of Your Son.

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! (*Ps. 148:1*)

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!





MEMORY ETERNAL

Rev Fr Gregory Becker, Mary Ann Senedak,
John Nicholas Visa, Alexandra Prychodczenko,
Dr. Steven Sivulich,
All Who gave their lives during the war in Ukraine

... AND UPON THOSE IN THE TOMBS BESTOWING LIFE!

PRAYER LIST

PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALING, COMFORT, AND SPIRITUAL PEACE

Marianne Carmack,

Pauline Witkowsky, Eileen Maluk,

Joe Ewanish, Peter Anderson, Mary Ann Senediak,

Albert Auden, Michael Gino Maluk,

Charles & Margaret Senediak,

Boris & Kathleen Vuksanovich, Mykola

Prychodczenko, Kathy Zebel and all victims Suffering

from the Corona Virus together with nurses, doctors

and all who work for their recovery.

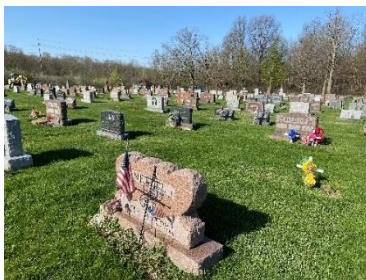
Also we pray for peace and justice in Ukraine!



Gr. Martyr and Healer St.
Panteleimon

Mark your calendar:

Pascha is the Feast not only to the living but also to those who have departed this life. As Christians we have to bring the Risen Lord to them also! It is the time to pray at their graves.



On **Memorial Day Weekend** this year there will **two days of blessing of the Graves** at our Cemetery for your convenience:

On Saturday May 28 – Blessing of the Graves from noon – to 4 PM

On Sunday May 29 - Divine Liturgy at Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery Chapel. Memorial Service. Blessing of the Graves after liturgy

*(If your relatives are buried at **other locations**, please contact Fr. Mykola at 330 799 3830 to schedule blessing of the graves.)*





Liturgical Schedule, Feast Days

Please contact Fr Mykola to schedule Prayer Services - 330-799-3830 (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Moleben, Confession, Blessing of houses, cars, etc.) to request Bulletin Dedications, Announcements or Prospora Offerings

SERVICE AND FEAST DAY SCHEDULE

- Sunday, May 8, 9:30AM – Divine Liturgy, 3rd Sunday of Pascha, of the Myrrh-bearing Women. Mother`s Day
- Saturday, May 14, 5PM – Great Vespers
- Sunday, May 15, Divine Liturgy, 4th Sunday of Pascha, of the Paralyzed Man.
- Saturday, May 21, 5PM – Great Vespers
- Sunday, May 22, 9:30AM – Divine Liturgy, 5th Sunday of Pascha, the Samaritan Woman.
- Saturday, May 28, from noon to 4PM – Blessing of the Graves.
- Saturday, May 28, 5PM – Great Vespers at the Church
- Sunday, May 29, 9:30AM – Divine Liturgy, 6th Sunday of Pascha, the Blind Man. At the Cemetery. Memorial Day. Blessing of the Graves after Liturgy
- Thursday, June 2, 9:30AM – Divine Liturgy, The Ascension of Our Lord



Please let us know!



Our parish Youth Ministry has applications available in the church office for the Very Reverend Father William Olynyk Merit Scholarship Award for 2022 high school graduates who will be pursuing post-secondary education. Applications are also available for High School/College Graduate Recognition. Both applications are due by Sunday, May 29, 2022. Please submit completed forms to Ann Woloschak.

Q&A: WHAT DOES THE MYRRH THAT THE WOMEN



CARRIED SYMBOLIZES TO US?

MYRRH WAS USED TO PRESERVE THINGS FROM CORRUPTION AND DRY THEM OUT. IT ALSO HAD A SWEET ODOR, AS DID THE OTHER OINTMENTS AND SPICES THAT THE WOMEN BROUGHT TO ANOINT THE BODY OF JESUS.

WE MUST UNDERSTAND THE MYRRH IN A MYSTICAL WAY IF WE ARE TO TRULY UNDERSTAND THE CHRISTIAN WAY OF THE LIFE. THE WOMEN CAME TO THE TOMB OF CHRIST IN ORDER TO BRING HIM MYRRH, THAT IS GOOD WORKS, AND A LIFE THAT IS PLEASING TO GOD AND FREE OF CORRUPTION. WE MUST NOT COME TO CHRIST EMPTY-HANDED.

Mission Strudel Sale

Profits will benefit UOC Mission Orphans who have been relocated to Poland. *Please consider giving a monetary donation!*
As always, all profits and monetary donations will be sent to the UOC of USA Consistory Headquarters and will then be forwarded to the Director.



Large Apple or Cherry Strudel \$9.00

Large Cherry with Cheese \$10.00

Order by Tuesday, May 10th

Call 330.792.6699 or 330.799.7911

Pick up on Saturday, **May 14th** 9th from 10 am to 12-noon
at the Orthodox Cultural Center

Please wear a mask at pickup. Thank you!

Thank you for your kind consideration to help the orphans with their most basic of needs, especially during this dire time.

The Sts. Peter & Paul UOC "Strudel Team"

June 5th

Our parish graduates will be honored on Sunday, June 5, after Liturgy at the Center. Please come and celebrate the accomplishments of our parish youth! If you have a high school or college graduate in your family. Please give a short biography and picture of the graduate to Father Mykola by Sunday, May 29th, so they can be included in the Sunday bulletin on June 5.



**WAYS TO SEND YOUR WEEKLY OFFERINGS
(Envelopes) and RENOVATION DONATIONS**

1. BY USPS MAIL TO THE CHURCH RECTORY
2. *DONATE ONLINE ON STS. PETER & PAUL WEBPAGE (SAFE AND SECURE)*
3. IN-PERSON AT SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY:
4. Click on the following URL or paste in your Browser
<http://www.stspeterpauluoc.org/> and CLICK ON the DONATE button.

OUR OFFERINGS TO THE LORD AS OF

	April 20
General:	6202.00
Renovation:	670.00
Online Donations on Tithe.ly	520.00
Renovation Fund Donations to date:	17,149.00*

LET'S HELP UKRAINE!
ДОПОМОЖІМО УКРАЇНІ!

**WAYS TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTIONS
TOWARDS AID TO UKRAINE**

1. BY USPS MAIL TO THE CHURCH RECTORY (Memo: AID FOR UKRAINE)
2. *DONATE ONLINE:*
https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=J6H8WN2ZJSY54

...be merciful just as your Father is merciful...



Orphanage Mission Ministry Raffle

10 tickets for \$5.00

All proceeds and any monetary donations will benefit UOC Ukrainian Orphans who were relocated to Poland. Money will be sent to the UOC Headquarters then forwarded to our trusted Director of the children.

Items on display at the hall.

Tickets will be on sale May 8th at the hall, on Saturday,
May 14 from 10-12 at the hal
and at Bingo on May 9th and May 16th from 4:30-6:30.

Winners will be called on May 20th.



Thank you to our parish family and friends for your continued support for these children.
In Christ, The OMM Members

(more items on display than pictured)





Happy and Blessed Birthday

Happy Birthday to our loved members of the parish, God grant you many and blessed years!
Многая літа!

May

- 2 Anna Anderson
- 7 Howard Ulbright
- 7 Julia Senediak
- 7 Ann Klein
- 8 Audrey Racz
- 9 Zenon Walkowiec
- 10 Michael Walkowiec
- 13 Douglas Dobransky
- 15 Steven Telischak
- 16 Katherine Anderson
- 19 Fr Andy Gall
- 22 Fr Mykola Zomchak
- 28 Stephanie Rimedio
- 30 Ken Senediak



H A P P Y

Mother's Day

Happy and Blessed Mother's Day to all moms, both here on Earth and up in Heaven. Blessed Mother's Day to all wonderful moms of our parish. We are grateful to you for your love, care and everything you do, because you are the ones who do so much and ask for so little. Happy Mother's Day to every Mother.



IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

The Sisterhood will be having a meeting after Liturgy on Sunday, May 15, at the Center.

Parish Activities:

On Tuesday May 3rd, on the World Press Freedom Day the Youngstown Press Club held a “Reading of the Names” ceremony to honor the memory of journalists killed in pursuit of a story at our Sts. Peter & Paul Church as many of the journalists were killed in Ukraine during russian invasion.

After the ceremony Fr. Mykola led a Memorial Service for all those who gave their lives in pursuing the truth.





2022 Upcoming dates & events

Local

- May 8 Mother's Day 9:30 Divine Liturgy, Festive lunch.
May 15 The Sisterhood Meeting on Sunday, May 15, after Liturgy at the Center.
- May 21 10AM Archpastoral Divine Liturgy
Remembering Metropolitan Constantine of Blessed Memory. 10th anniversary of repose.
St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Parish. 1810 Sidney St. Pittsburg, PA 15203.
- May 22 Welcome Lunch, greeting the new pastor and his family to Sts. Peter & Paul Parish
- May 28-29 Memorial Day Weekend
Saturday May 28 – Blessing of the Graves from noon – to 4 PM
Sunday May 29 - Divine Liturgy at Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery Chapel. Memorial Service. Blessing of the Graves after liturgy
- June 5 Recognition of Our parish graduates. After Sunday Liturgy at the Center

National

- July 27-31 75th UOL Convention at Sts Peter & Paul, Carnegie, PA.