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## SUNDAY AFTER THEOPHANY

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SAT.	4:00 p.m.	Health & Blessings of Parishioners
SUN	10:30 a.m	+Joseph Leshnack by James Lynn
MON.	11:00 a.m	No Liturgy
TUE.	11:00 a.m.	No Liturgy
WED.	11:00 a.m.	Health & Blessings of Rosary Society Members
THU.	11:00 a.m.	Health & Blessings of GCU Members
FRI.	11:00 a.m.	+John Puskar by Family



## THIRTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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SAT.	4:00 p.m.	+Ann Leson by Mr. Mrs. Edward Kohl
SUN.	10.30 a.m.	55th Wedding Anniversary of Don & Diana Danko by children & grand-children

# St. George

1726 Canfield Road, Youngstown, Ohio 44511  
CONFESSIONS 8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

## SUNDAY AFTER THEOPHANY

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Jan. 8 9:00 a.m +Wilma Kopp by Julia Vasel

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Jan. 15 9:00 a.m. Health & Blessings of Parishioners



## TWAS THE MONTH AFTER CHRISTMAS

"Twas the month after Christmas and all through the house nothing would fit me, not even a blouse. The cookies I'd nibbled, the eggnog I'd tasted. All the holiday parties had gone to my waist. When I got on the scales, there arose such a number! When I walked to the store (less a walk than a lumber.) I'd remember the marvelous meals I'd prepared; the gravies and sauces and beef nicely rared. The wine and the rum balls; the bread and the cheese and the way I'd never say, "no thank you, please." As I dressed myself in my husband's old shirt and prepared once again to do battle with dirt...I said to myself, as only I can "you can't spend all winter disguised as a man!" So, away with the last of the sour cream dip. Get rid of the fruit cake, every cracker and chip. Every last bit of food that I like must be banished till all the additional ounces have vanished. I won't have a cookie; not even a lick. I'll want only to chew on a long celery stick. I won't have hot biscuits or corn bread or pie; I'll munch on a carrot and quietly cry. I'm hungry. I'm lonesome, and life is a bore; But isn't that what January is for? Unable to giggle, no longer a riot.

*Happy New Year to all and to all a good diet!*

## TO OVERCOME EVIL

The temptation that besets us every day is to repay evil with evil; to be hateful when we are hated; to be vengeful when we are offended. It is the old "eye for an eye, tooth for a tooth" method of living. Life can never be improved that way. It can be improved only by confronting the spirit of evil with the spirit of good.

***THE LIFE YOU LIVE DAY BY DAY IS THE RELIGION YOU TRULY POSSESS.***

# 2017

## A NEW YEAR RESOLUTION FOR EVERYDAY

I got up early one morning and rushed right into the day. I had so much to accomplish that I didn't have time to pray. Problems just tumbled about me, and heavier came each task. "Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered. He answered, "Because you didn't ask." I wanted to see joy and beauty, but the day became grey and bleak. I wondered, "Why didn't God show me?" He said, "Because you didn't seek." I woke up early this morning and paused before entering the day. I had so much to accomplish that ***I HAD TO TAKE TIME TO PRAY!*** This year make it your New Year's resolution to spend more time in prayer. "Ask and you shall receive, seek and you will find, know and it will be opened to you."

***HAPPY NEW  
YEAR!***

*St. Mary's... Jan.1, 2017*  
*Offertory... \$1,158.00*  
*Christmas \$ 50.00*

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*St. George. Jan. 1, 2017*  
*Offertory..... \$480.00*  
*Christmas..... \$100.00*  
*Building Fund...\$275.00*

### **SOCIAL GAMES**

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!**  
*Thanks to all our loyal patrons for attending our games in 2016...We hope to see all of you throughout 2017.*

Games are played every Sun & Wed. at 6:45 p.m. **WE ARE PLAYING A PROGRESSIVE PIGGY GAME AS WELL AS THE HOG GAME....**

Stop by for an evening of **FUN** and hopefully we can help you alleviate all the expenses you incurred during the holiday season.

### **CALENDARS**

The 2017 calendars are now also in for *St. George*. Please take one and check it regularly they are a wealth of information. We are truly grateful to The Kinnick Family for sponsoring these calendars every year for our Parishioners.

### **BLESSED WATER**

As is customary water was blessed on The Feast of Theophany. If

you would like to take water home with you bring a container with you next week when you attend Liturgy.

### **GCU LODGE #164**

First Quarterly Meeting is planned for Jan. 15<sup>th</sup> in our Center following the 10:30 a.m Liturgy. A continental breakfast will be served. All members are urged to attend.

### **LITURGY REQUEST**

*St. Mary's & St. George*

...Please call the office 792-1578 if you would like to schedule liturgies for the New Year.

### **ALL SOULS HRAMOTY**

The All Souls envelopes are in with your Jan. envelopes. If you would like your loved ones remembered at these liturgies please fill out the envelope and drop in the collection basket. *First names* only please. The First All Souls will be in mid-February. Check your calendar for the other dates.

### **GRANT HER**

### **ETERNAL REST**

Please remember in your prayers Mrs. Ann Sinko who passed on to her eternal reward. Divine Liturgy with Christian Burial Service for the repose of her soul was held Thursday. Interment being at Calvary Cemetery. Grant eternal rest O Lord to your servant, Ann and remember her forever.