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#### THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST & BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

SAT. 5:00 p.m.

+Eugene Leson Sr. by children Eugene & Terri

June 25, 2017

SUN. 10:30 a.m

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MON. 11:00 a.m.

No Liturgy

TUE. 11:00 a.m.

+Dorothy Byers by Mr. Mrs. Harry Bobco

WED. 11:00 a.m

No Liturgy

THU. STS. PETER & PAUL APOSTLES

Holy Day of Obligation

11:00 a.m.

+Andrew Leson by wife, Jackie Leson

FRI. 11:00 a.m.

+Dorothy Tranovich by John & Peggy Spatar

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 2, 2017

SAT.

5:00 p.m.

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SUN. 10:30 a.m.

+Anna Hrina by Grand-daughter, Karen Muransky

St. George

1726 Canfield Road, Youngstown, Ohio 44511

### THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ...BIRTH OF JOHN BAPTIST

June 25 9:00 a.m.

+Richard Madden by Mrs. Elsie Kostyo

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+Peter C. Dubos by brother, William (5th Anniversary of passing)

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July 2. 9:00 a.m.

+Jeanette Czyrnik by Mrs. Elsie Kostyo

#### SAINTS PETER AND PAUL

The Feast of Saints Peter and Paul came to be observed early in the history of the Church.



Although they died at different times and places, their commemoration has universally been kept on the same day to highlight the central role they had in the foundation of the Church. It is for the same reason that they are called the "Leaders of the Apostles" in the Liturgy.

St. Peter, whose original name was Simon, was a fisherman in Galilee when Jesus called him to be His Disciple. "Come after Me and I will make you fishers of men." After Jesus' Ascension, Peter was the spokesman of the Apostles, and a witness of Christ's divinity. He delivered the first sermon on Pentecost and received the first pagans into the Church.

From Jerusalem he went to preach the Gospel in Antioch, then to Cappadocia, Galatia, Pontus, and finally Rome. He was crucified, head downward, most probably in 67 A.D.

St. Paul, known as Saul before his conversion, was born at Tsarsus in the Roman province of Cilicia. As a youth, he went to Jerusalem to receive his education in Judaism from the celebrated rabbi, Gamaliel. At the time of Jesus' ministry he had already left Jerusalem. Saul did not see the Lord during His earthly ministry. By the grace of God, Saul was miraculously converted on the way to Damascus around the year 34 A.D. After receiving baptism, Paul left for a long retreat in Arabia to prepare himself for his future mission. He was most zealous to preach the Gospel of Christ to the world. He established many churches and visited many other churches. To these he wrote numerous letters which form a significant part of the New Testament.

The Icon of Peter and Paul is simple and direct, striving only to present the holiness and wisdom of the two Apostles whose lives were totally devoted to witnessing the Good News of Jesus Christ and our salvation. They stand majestically, Peter with the keys, and Paul with the Scriptures, as pillars of the Church and teachers of the Lord Jesus.

The Liturgy hails the chief Apostles with beautifully composed hymns. Peter is called the "rock of faith" and Paul pride of the universe." Together they are celebrated as luminaries of those in darkness, two rays of the sun, pillars of divine doctrines, and friends of Christ."

#### CHURCH IN THE WORLD

The Church does not cease to be the Church when Sunday Liturgies are over.

On Monday morning, it is scattered in offices, schools, shops, factories, and homes, but it is no less the Church than it was the day before.

As someone has summarized it in an arresting sentence, the People of God come together in the Church in order that they may go out to be the Church in the world.

St. Mary's... 6/18/17 Offertory...\$ 905.00

St. George.... 6/18//17 Offertory.... \$503.00

## **SOCIAL GAMES**



Games are played every Sun & Wed. at 6:45 p.m. PLAYING ARE PROGRESSIVE PIGGY GAME THE HOG AS WELL AS Plan to stop by for GAME.... an evening of FUN !!! It is time to start planning that Summer vacation and if you swing by we will do our best to help you out some XTRA CASH for that **DREAM VACATION!!** 

#### **GOODWILL INDUSTRIES**

Volunteers are needed to visit preschools to test 3-5 year olds for lazy eye. Vision screening runs Mon- Fri. from Sept. –April; Training is provided and you can give as many or as few hours as you wish. If interested and for more info please call Barb at Goodwill 330-759-7921.

ST. GEORGE NEWS

Please note that when we have Mirovanije and

Blessing of oil we will not put out a basket for donations.

## 97<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL GCU BYZANTINE CATHOLIC FAMILY DAY

Will be held at Kennywood Park Thurs. July 27<sup>th</sup> ALL DAY RIDE PASS may be obtained by calling GCU by **July 10<sup>th</sup>** 724-495-3400.

**KENNYWOOD** BUS TO Jesus of Prague Infant sponsoring a bus Kennywood on July 27, 2017. There is NO CHARGE for GCU Members. Bus will leave at 9:00 a.m from their parking lot. They ask you to be there by 8:30 a.m. for a tailgate party. The bus will leave promptly at 6:00 p.m for the trip home. Call Dr. Tom Sopkovich 330-549-3814 you are interested. First come First serve.

# GCU THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING & PICNIC

Is scheduled for July 16<sup>th</sup> following the 10:30 a.m. Liturgy. All members and Guests are invited.

## **FIVE DAY CANDLES**

Please note as of August.1<sup>st</sup>. We will be charging \$3.00 per candle, due to the increase in price per case. St. George also charges \$3.00 per candle.