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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 3, 2018

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| SAT. | 5:00 p.m. | Health & Blessings of Parishioners | Page 125 |
| SUN. | 10:30 a.m. | +Dr. Nicholas & Catherine Sopkovich by Dr. Mrs. Thomas Sopkovich | |
| MON. | 11:00 a.m. | +Josephine Hrina by Family | |
| TUE. | 11:00 a.m. | No Liturgy | |
| WED. | 11:00 a.m. | Intention of Giver | |
| THU. | 11:00 a.m. | No Liturgy | |
| FRI. | 11:00 a.m. | +John & Peg Bresko by children & grand-children | |



THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 10, 2018

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| SAT. | 5:00 p.m. | Health & Blessings of Parishioners | Page 130 |
| SUN. | 10:30 a.m. | +Theodore Edgar by wife, Joan | |

St. George

1726 Canfield Road, Youngstown, Ohio 44511

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June 3 9:00 a.m. +Steve & Margaret Haluska by Martha Ilko

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June 10 9:00 a.m. +Steven Ilko Jr. by Mr. Mrs. William Nagy



PRAYER...PRACTICAL

Prayer is the most practical force in the world today. It is the one way to invest your time that pays off because prayer has a strange and wonderful way of fulfilling its own purpose.

When you pray you acknowledge your belief in God and that belief itself answers your prayers. When you pray for courage, the very fact you are asking for courage gives you that courage and adds to your strength. When you pray for wisdom, you put yourself in contact with the fount of all wisdom and open your mind for answers. Even as you pray God is placing the answer in your heart.

GOD CAN ANSWER PRAYER

If God can make the earth spin just so, if He can cause the seasons that come and go, if He can govern the tides that ebb and flow, God can answer prayer. If God can teach a bird to build a nest, if He can turn the earth from east to west, if He can array lilies in gowns the best. God can answer prayer.

APOSTOLATE OF GOOD EXAMPLE

We live in a pluralistic society, one that is made up of Catholics, Protestants, Jews, and non-believers. Our neighbors are not going to ask to check our theology manuals to find what we believe and what we stand for. They will know that by the way we live. If our example is bright and shining, if we show a sense of justice and decency, if our charity abounds, then they will see the glory of God reflected in us.

On the other hand, if our example is a shabby display of selfishness, pettiness, and sensuality, then our lives will not reflect the glory of God. We shall than be judged by our neighbors for what we are. The Apostolate of Good Example is one that all of us can join. There are no dues, no meetings, and no programs. There is just the day to day effort to lead others, by our good example, to glorify God.

ASK GOD

I asked God to grant me patience. God said, No. Patience is a byproduct of tribulations; it isn't granted, it is earned.

I asked God to give me happiness. God said, No. I give you blessings. Happiness is up to you.

I asked God to spare me pain. God said, No. Suffering draws you apart from worldly cares and brings you closer to me.

I asked God to make my spirit grow. God said, No. You must grow on your own, but I will prune you to make you fruitful.

I asked God for all things I might enjoy in life. God said No. I will give you life so that you may enjoy all things.

I ask God to help me *LOVE* others, as much as God loves me. God said...Ahhhhh, finally you have the idea.

St. Mary's...5/20 2018
Offertory.....\$ 1,183.00
5/27/2018
Offertory...\$1,026.00

St. George....5/20/2018
Offertory....\$ 1,127.00
5/27/2018
Offertory....\$ 300.00

SOCIAL GAMES

Games are played every Wednesday and Sunday at 6:45 p.m. You do not want to miss out on all the **Great Prizes!**

ALSO....We have been very busy with some of the other halls closing and we can certainly use a little extra help. Please consider coming on a Wed. or Sunday for a few hours to help your hard working and dedicated fellow-parishioners.

CHURCH HISTORY

This week we are looking for anyone related to, or friends with Anna Zainiak Please call Dave Ragan at 614-370-0221 or Linda 792-1578

DIACONATE PROGRAM

The new cycle of this 4 year program will begin the Summer 2019. It requires 2weeks of classes each Summer at our Seminary in Pittsburgh along with 4 years of online study. If you feel called to serve at our Church as a Deacon, contact Fr. Richard or Fr. Kevin Marks 412-480-4508.

GCU LODGE NEWS

The Annual Flag Day Ceremony sponsored by Lodge #164 is planned for June 10th following the 10:30 a.m. liturgy

ALSO... Bingo Fundraiser, sponsored by Lodge #164 will be held June 17th , Father's Day. We are asking for Gift baskets for the Chinese Auction which will also be held that day. Please call the office and let us know if you are able to donate a basket.

GRADUATION



Divine Liturgy will be held Sat. **June 9th at 5:00 p.m.** for the intention of all 2018 Graduates. All graduates are asked to attend and receive the blessings of this Liturgy. Please call the office and let us know if you will be attending.

GRANT HER ETERNAL REST

Please remember in your prayers Mrs. Georgia (Ragan) Smith who passed on to her eternal reward. Divine Liturgy with Christian burial service for the repose of her soul was held Wednesday. Interment being at our cemetery. Grant eternal rest O Lord to your servant, Georgia and remember her forever. Vicnaja Pamjat !