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Of Youngstown's West side

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SUNDAY OF THE PARALYTIC MAN

SAT. 5:00 p.m. Health & Blessings of Parishioners
SUN. 10:30 a.m. +Joseph Gerek by wife, Ann & Family

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MON. 11:00 a.m. No Liturgy

TUE. 11:00 a.m. +Mary Puskar by Sisters Bernarda & Leocadia

WED. MID-PENTECOST Page 183
11:00 a.m. +Helen Rinko by St. Mary's Rosary Society

THU. 11:00 a.m. +Dorothy Tranovich by Cheryl Tubic

FRI. 11:00 a.m. No Liturgy



SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN...MOTHER'S DAY

SAT. 5:00 p.m. Living & Deceased Mothers
SUN. 10:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Mothers

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St. George

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



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HEALING OF THE PARALYTIC MAN

It was your hand that fashioned man, O Christ our God, and to your boundless goodness you came to earth to heal him of his ills. By your word the paralytic was able to stand and work once more, you touched the son of the Canaanite woman with mercy. You did not deny the request of the centurion, and you healed all who came to you, O Lord, glory to you!

The Lord went up to Jerusalem at the time of the feast and walked along Solomon's porch, where a multitude of the sick lay beside the pool of Bethesda. Among the sick was a man who had been paralyzed for years, but he could never reach the pool when the water was stirred, so Jesus asked him if he wished to be healed. Telling him to take up his mat and go on his way, he warned him not to sin anymore now that he was healthy and whole.

MID-PENTECOST

In the middle of their feast, quench the thirst of my soul with streams of devotion. For you, O Savior, have exclaimed to all: Let anyone who thirsts come to me and drink. O Christ our God, Fountain of Life, glory to you!

RETURN IN KIND

We are naturally inclined to blame fortune or life when things are not shaping themselves well for us. This usually, however, is an unconscious process of nature to help us to retain our self-respect and self-worth. The real truth in most cases is that we are reaping the harvest of our own seeding and planting. We are getting back that which we are daily giving. *"If you would be loved.... love."*

LETTING GO

Maybe we can let go of our grudges: Let go of the idea that you are either not such a bad person and therefore not-so-much in need of confession, absolution, and God's mercy or such a bad person that you don't know where to start...and you reason.....God can't possibly forgive me anyway.

Maybe we can let go of anything that prevents us from accepting God's extraordinary mercy and inexplicable delight in us. Let's just "chill" and let go and let God.

LAUGH IN LIFE

Have you ever noticed that the things which bring us closer to the Infinite have a laugh in them? Behold the sunshine, the birds, the flowers, children...all laughing! Wherever you find goodness and beauty, you find laughter.

In the dark and stormy seasons of life, our days are better lightened by kindly smiles than by sun, better brightened by the kindly word than by the light of the day.

CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

St. Mary's... 4/30/17
Offertory...\$911.00

St. George.... 4/30/17
Easter..... \$367.52

SOCIAL GAMES

Games are played every Sun & Wed. at 6:45 p.m. WE ARE PLAYING A PROGRESSIVE PIGGY GAME AS WELL AS THE HOG GAME.... Plan to stop by for 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 with some **XTRA CASH** for that **DREAM VACATION!!**

BINGO FUNDRAISER

GCU Lodge #164 & St. Mary's are sponsoring a Fundraiser on Mother's Day, May 14th. to benefit The Rescue Mission, St. Vincent de Paul Kitchen, & The Beatitude House of the Tri-County area. Come join in the fun and at the same time help to support **our LOCAL CHARITIES.**

Doors open at 4:15 p.m. & Bingo starts at 6:45 p.m.

SLAVIC FEST

St. Michael Byz. Church, 2230 Highland Rd. Hermitage, PA. is holding a Slavic Fest May 21, from 11:00 a.m. - 7:00

p.m. at their Social Center. Ethnic foods and desserts will be available for eat-in or take out. Bands include The Cleveland Style Polka, The Zaps and The Chardon Polka Band. There will also be Vendors, religious items, and Chinese Auction and 50/50 Raffle. **FREE ADMISSION.**

RELIGIOUS ED. CLASSES

Thank you to our Sisters and Catechist for another productive year. We truly appreciate all the planning and time invested you put into the youth of our Churches to form and inform them about our beliefs.

God bless all of you!

100th ANNIVERSARY OF FATIMA CELEBRATION

Shrine of Our Lady, Comforter of Afflicted will pray the Rosary this Sat. May 13 from 10:30 a.m - Noon, followed by Mass. A procession and presentation of flowers will be held in the woods. Lunch will be served, compliments of the Shrine. All are invited.

ALSO....mark your

calendarsThe United Nations International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be in our church Aug. 16th from 11:00 a.m - 7:00 p.m. More info to follow.