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Served by Reverend Father Alex Shuter, Pastor

Sun June 4	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Afterwards	PENTECOST SUNDAY and 5th ALL SOULS  Acts 2:1-11 John 7:37-52 AND 8-12  Mr. Fergusson of Mary Immaculate Hospital speaking on "GRIEF"  + For the blessed repose of the souls of + JOSPEHINE AND COURTNEY HORVATH requested by Joseph Horvath POT LUCK LUNCHEON with 50/50 drawing Hospitality	Festal Tone Pg 203
Tue June 6	8:30 a.m. Afterwards 6:30 p.m.	Health and God's blessing for <u>CAROLINE &amp; JOHN WILLIAMS</u> on their 50 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary  Coffee Hour Discussion Group: Moleben to the Theotokos  Ladies Guild meeting @ Rocco's Smokehouse Grill	
Wed June 7	8:30 a.m. Afterwards	+ For the blessed repose of the soul of + ANDREW HERTZ requested by Betty Mae Hertz Rosary in church	
Thu Jun 8	8:30 a.m. Afterwards 10-2 p.m.	Health and God's blessing for the SICK, INFIRMED and THOSE REEQUESTING PRAYERS as listed in the Bulletin Church cleaning Quilters Bee	
Sat June 10	5-9 p.m.	Men's Club SPAGHETTI DINNER	
Sun June 11	11:00 a.m. Afterwards	SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS  HEBREWS 11:32-12:2A Mark 10:32-33, 37-38 & 19:27-30  + For the blessed repose of the soul of +MARY EDMONDS requested by Mary Jean Sotack Hospitality	Tone 8 Pg 159 & 211

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**CONGRATULATION TO MORGAN KELLY** on her graduation from Walsingham Academy this past Saturday June 3, from your Ascension parish family. Morgan will be attending the University of Delaware. God grant you many healthy, happy and peaceful years!

<u>**OLD TESTAMENT GRILLERS**</u> – are grilling up Italian Sausage and bratwurst and knockwurst marinated in beer. Side dishes are available to make this a true feast, and desserts to sweeten the lips. There is a gradution cake in Morgan's honor.

THIS COMING SATURDAY, June 10 the MEN'S CLUB will be hosting a "SPAGHETTI DINNER" at 5 to 9 p.m. See the guys at the back table after Liturgy to get your ticket and make your reservation. Tickets are \$8 for an adult, \$5 for children and children under 5 eat FREE. Mange!

**BATTER UP!** Get the baseball caps, sun glasses, sunscreen ready for the <u>Parish Baseball Outing</u> on Wednesday July 12. The **MEN'S CLUB** will sponsor the children and making sure they have the mandatory hot dog and soda pop! Adult tickets are \$5, seniors \$3. and are purchased at the gate. Car pooling will be arranaged and leaving from the church parking lot. The "team manager/umpire" is Eric Hunter 757-564-9541 email: madcowfarms@verizon.net

#### **IUNE 2017**

**Tuesday June 6 - LADIES GUILD** - social dinner and meeting at 6:30 at Rocco's Grillhouse **Thursday June 8- QUILTERS BEE** from 10-2 p.m. Bring your own equipment/project/brown bag **Saturday June 10-MEN'S CLUB** is having a **Spaghetti Dinner Sunday June 18- MEN'S CLUB** Breakfast Sandwich sale after Liturgy **Sunday-Tuesday June 18, 19, 20 - St. LUKE'S ICON GUILD** 

#### **IULY 2017**

Sunday July 2 – OLD TESTAMENT GRILLER'S Pot Luck Luncheon..hot dogs & hamburgers
Friday July 7 – OUTREACH meeting @ 11:30 @ Peking Restaurant
Tuesday July 11 – ADVISORY BOARD meeting 7 p.m. St. Philip's Hall
Wednesday July 12- Parish baseball outting in Hampton. First pitch is 7 p.m.
Thursday July 13- QUILTERS BEE from 10-2 p.m. Bring your own equipment/project/brown bag
Sunday-Tuesday July 16, 17, 18 – ST. LUKE'S ICON GUILD
Tuesday July 18 – MEN'S CLUB meeting 7 p.m. St. Philip's Hall

#### **AUGUST 2017**

**Thursday August 10 - QUILTERS BEE** from 10-2 p.m. Bring your own equipment/project/brown bag **Saturday August 12-** Kolachy baking

Thursday, Friday, Saturday- August 17,18,19 - YOUTH CHOIR GROUP CAMP Sunday August 20 - MEN'S CLUB Breakfast Sandwich sale Sunday-Tuesday Aug 20, 21, 22 - St. LUKE'S ICON GUILD Sunday August 27 - YOUTH CHOIR will lead the Liturgy

**<u>Finance:</u>** Alex Kaczur, Jeffrey Sotack, Myron Kotyk

<u>Ladies Guild</u>: Ann Merkley, Monica M. Ruscus, Donna Ross, Ory Stefaniw

**Liturgical:** Lisa Cifrulak, Don Merkley, Mary Jean Sotack

Men's Club: Eric Hunter, John Alexander, Mike Olson, David Efimetz

**Outreach:** Betty Mae Hertz

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#### **Schedule for Sunday Volunteers**

അൻ Our thanks to all of you who volunteer any day of the week! ഇട്ടെ

	This Week (June 4)	Next Week (June 11)
Ushers	Robert Linderman	Adithia Kusno
Lector	Patty Duttry	Don Merkley
Hospitality	Julia Komarov	Nadia Carden
Offertory Recorders	Ory Stefaniw & Fred Dingledy	Lisa Montgomery & Patty Duttry

#### Thank you for your contributions (May 28, 2017)

Offertory Recorders are reminded to complete an Operating Account (...401) deposit slip to be included in the Bank Bag.

Thank you

Offertory & Monthly Dues	\$1,849.00	\$100. Mortgage donations this week
Candles	50.00	
Ascension Feast Day	30.00	Mortgage donations to date: \$53,011.05
St. Luke's Icon Guild	220.00	
	\$2,149,00	

#### ~~ASCENSION GIFT SHOP ~~

Come in and browse the Gift Shop/Bookstore
There are <u>unique</u> items available...some are handmade and one-of-a-kind!

# Information regarding SACRAMENTS and SACRAMENTALS

Father Alex is available for the **HOLY MYSTERY OF RECONCILIATION** before Divine Liturgy on Sunday (10 a.m.); or a half hour before weekly Liturgy; or by appointment.

**MIROVANJA**, a sacramental blessing with holy oil which is applied to the forehead in the sign of the cross by the priest while proclaiming the appropriate greeting of the season. Proclaim the appropriate response and then take a piece of blessed, leavened bread.

### **Prayer Intentions for JUNE**

<u>Sanctuary Lamp</u>—The lamp is burning for health and God's blessing for <u>MARGAN FAMILY</u> requested by Katarina Margan

<u>Christ the Teacher</u>—The candle burns for the blessed repose of the souls of the <u>+ CHISMAR FAMILY</u> requested by Mary Ann Drumtra

<u>Theotokos & Child</u>—The candle burns for health and God's blessing for <u>MADELINE NOONAN</u> requested by Christine Noonan

<u>Saint Nicholas</u>—The candle burns for the blessed repose of the soul of <u>+ ANITA R. KASICA</u> requested by Walter S. Kasica

<u>Saint John the Baptizer</u>—The candle burns for the blessed repose of the souls of <u>+ WALTER A. and ANNE T. KASICA</u> requested the Kasica children

<u>Tetrapod</u>—The candles burn for health and God's blessing for <u>NICHOLAS COUCH</u> requested by Gia and Jim Hoolan

<u>Protection of the Theotokos</u>—The candles burns for health and God's blessing for <u>MICHELE AND</u> <u>AIDEN PARK</u>

Please keep in your prayers those who are ill and/or infirmed or in need of prayers: NORRIN

Sweeny, LISA Margan, JOE Catania, JOAN MARIE Kasica, ED O'Donnell, BRAD, ELIZABETH and baby

JACK Veschio, ANGELITA Quan, BOJANA Dobrovic, BETH Kirsch, ARI Simon, MARTHA Kim, CAROL

Simon, CHARLOTTE Castleberry, REBECCA Mayata, AIDEN and MICHELE Park, PEARL Baysura,

NICHOLAS Couch, ALEXANDER Sherman, SHELLY Compton, FE Mendoza, DANIEL Anderson, DAVID

Quinn, VIRGINIA Henry, STEVEN Margan, JOAN Chismar, NOAH Cross, MARIE Robredo, JUNE &

DAREEN Hall, BILL McGraw, Col. TED Mathews, Jr., KATHY Alexander, MYRON & DEBBIE Kotyk, RAY

& PAMELA Williams, LARRY & MARY ANN Drumtra, MARY Sullivan, JOAN Griffin, KAREN & GEORGE

Sperry, MONICA Ruscus, JANIE Young, BRIAN Hurtig, DON Merkley, RON Radda, Fr. BOB Chope,

PATTY & MICHAEL Dunham, JOE Horvath, MERLE Phillips, ROBERT Sotack, Prof. JOHN A. Williams.

Contact Monica Ruscus 259-5890 or email: secretary@ascensionva.org to add/delete someone

from this list

## For our Military and their Leaders

Lord, please hold our troops in Your loving Hands, especially when they are in harm's way. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our country's time of need. Amen.

Lt. Cmdr. Alexander Kaczur, USN
Captain Jeremy Blascak, USA
Col. Ted Mathews Jr., USAF
Capt. Carol Burroughs, USN
SFC Theodore Cason, USA
Col. Michaella Munger-Dulong, USA
SS Johann Weller, USAF
PvtE2 Jose Ramirez

# Happy <u>IUNE</u> Birthday

- 1 Michael Dunham
- 2 Melissa Karlson
- 9 Ann Merkley
- 9 Matthew Montgomery
- 11 Patty Duttry
- 12 Anna and Sofia Carden
- 14 Nancy Losteter
- 14 Lisa Montgomery
- 16 Holly Gilman
- 19 Jennifer Slivka-Ramos
- 23 Marc Picconi
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- 25 Mary Alexander Olson
- 26 Robert Losteter
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