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Sun Jul 1	11:00 a.m.	<p><b>SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST</b>  <b>Roman 12:6-14 Matthew 9:1-8</b></p> <p>+ For the blessed repose of the souls of + <b>WALTER, + ANNE and + ANITA KASICA</b> requested by Monica, Walter and Joan Marie Kasica</p> <p><b>Afterward Mirovanja</b>  <b>Pot Luck Luncheon and Hospitality</b></p>
Tue Jul 3	8:30 a.m. Afterward	<p><b>Moleben – Pray for our country</b>  <b>Coffee Hour Discussion Group</b></p>
Wed Jul 4	8:30 a.m.	<p><b>HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY – GOD BLESS AMERICA!</b>  <b>Moleben – Pray for our country</b></p>
Thu Jul 5	8:30 a.m.	<p><b>Moleben – Pray for our country</b></p>
Sun Jul 8	11:00 a.m.	<p><b>SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST</b>  <b>Roman 15:1-7 Matthew 9:27-35</b></p> <p>+ For the blessed repose of the soul of + <b>JULIE PISZKO</b> requested by Michael and Patty Dunham</p> <p><b>Afterward Hospitality</b></p>

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**HAPPY “JULY” BIRTHDAY**

1<sup>st</sup> Tom McGraw  
2<sup>nd</sup> Ory Stefaniw  
2<sup>nd</sup> Monica Ruscus  
6<sup>th</sup> Sasha Eckstein-Kusno  
6<sup>th</sup> Tony Kass  
13<sup>th</sup> Steven Margan  
13<sup>th</sup> Kevin Kelly  
14<sup>th</sup> John Alexander  
15<sup>th</sup> Maureen Baysura  
15<sup>th</sup> Hanh Falke  
16<sup>th</sup> Nadiya Carden  
19<sup>th</sup> Peter Margan  
28<sup>th</sup> Isidora Jane Collins

**DEADLINE FOR TURNING IN SCHOLARSHIP FORMS IS PAST.** Selection date to be determined.

**OLD TESTAMENT GRILLERS** will be grilling **Hamburgers (cheese too) and Hot Dogs today!**

The guys thank you for the great sides and desserts that go with these meals. Your support is very important to them and they like showing off their culinary skills. Any monetary or product donation to the Grill will be greatly appreciated. THE OTG’s will be taking off the month of August.

**JULY 2018**

Sunday July 1- Pot Luck Sunday – All American favorites-hot dogs & hamburgers

Tuesday July 10 – Advisory Board meeting 6 P.M. St. Philip’s Hall

Thursday July 12- I Don’t Give A Stitch Quilters 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Sun – Mon – Tue, July 15, 16, 17 – St. Luke’s Icon Guild

Tuesday July 17 – Men’s Club meeting 7 p.m.

**AUGUST 2018**

Sunday Aug 5 – Pot Luck luncheon – PARISHIONERS CHOICE – No grilling

Thur-Fri-Sat- Aug 16,17,18 - I Don’t Give A Stitch Quilters 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday Aug 19 – MEN’S CLUB Breakfast Sandwich sale

Sun – Mon – Tue- Aug 19, 20, 21 – St. Luke’s Icon Guild

Thur-Fri-Sat- Aug 23,24,25 – Youth Camp 5 to 8 p.m.

**SEPTEMBER 2018**

Sunday Sep 2 – OTG Pot Luck Luncheon

Tuesday Sep 4 – Ascensions Ladies Guild meeting 6:30 p.m.

Friday Sep 7 – Outreach meeting

Saturday Sep 8 – Family Yard Sale

Tuesday Sep 11 – Advisory Board meeting

Thursday Sep 13- I Don’t Give A Stitch Quilters

Friday Sep 14 – Kolachi baking 9 a.m.

Saturday Sep 15- Kolachi baking 7 a.m.

Sun – Mon – Tue- Sep 16, 17, 18 – St. Luke’s Icon Guild

Tuesday Sep 18 – Men’s Club meeting 7 p.m.

**Finance:** Myron Kotyk, Dr. Jeff Sotack, Dr. Marc Picconi

**Financial Auditor:** Dr. Marc Picconi

**Coffee Hour Discussion Group:** Linda Lechman

**Ladies Guild:** Ann Merkley, Donna Ross, Betta LaBanish, Monica M. Ruscus

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

**Men's Club:** Mike Olson, John Alexander, David Efimetz, Adithia Kusno

**Outreach/Cleaning:** Betty Mae Hertz

**Property:** Tom McGraw, Don Merkley, Ory Stefaniw

**Publicity:** Mary Jean Sotack

**Security:** Mike Olson

**Trustees:** Don Merkley, Michael Olson, Monica M. Ruscus

**Schedule for Sunday Volunteers**

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

**This Week (July 1)**

**Next Week (July 8)**

<b>Ushers</b>	Adithia Kusno	Bob Linderman
<b>Lector</b>	Don Merkley	Gloria Linderman
<b>Hospitality</b>	Delores Clinton	June Mathews
<b>Recorders</b>	Don Merkley & Myron Kotyk	Monica Ruscus & Jeff Sotack
<b>Security</b>	Ann Merkley & Jeff Carden	Dan Montgomery & Joe Hampton

**Thank you for your contributions (June 24, 2018)**

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

Offertory & Monthly Dues	711.77
Candles	29.00
Nativity of John the Baptist	<u>10.00</u>
	<b>\$750.77</b>

\$75.00 Mortgage donations this week  
Mortgage donations to date: \$58,285.05

**Candle and Prayer Intentions for JULY**

**Sanctuary Lamp**— The lamp is burning for health and God's blessing for the **MARGAN FAMILY** requested by Katarina Margan

**Christ the Teacher**—The candle burns for the blessed repose of the soul of + **MARY H. MEEVE** requested by Mary Sullivan

**Theotokos and Child**— The candle burns for the blessed repose of the soul of + **FLORENCE PHILLIPS** requested by Mary Sullivan

**Saint Nicholas**— The candle burns for the blessed repose of the soul of + **RICHARD ROBELLO** requested by Mary Sullivan

**Saint John the Baptizer**— The candle burns for the blessed repose of the soul of + **PATRICK J. CONROY** requested by Mary Sullivan

**Tetrapod**— The candles are burning for the blessed repose of the soul of + **JOHN J. CONROY** requested by Mary Sullivan

**Protection of the Theotokos-** The candles burn for the blessed repose of the soul of + **MICHAEL E. SULLIVAN** requested by Mary Sullivan

Information regard the **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 (8 a.m.) or by appointment.

**MIROVANJA** is 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, After kissing the hand cross, take a piece of the bless bread. You may offer a small donation.

