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Served by Reverend Father Alex Shuter, Pastor

Sun		FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Sep 2		2 nd Corinthians 1:21-2-4 Matthew 22:1-14
	11:00 a.m.	Health and God's blessings for <u>ASCENSION PARISHIONERS, THEIR FAMILY, OUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS</u>
	Afterward	POT LUCK and Hospitality
Mon		
Sep 1		Happy Labor Day!
Tue		
Sep 4	8:30 a.m.	Moleben to the Theotokos
	6:30 P.M.	Ascension Ladies Guild meeting –St. Philips Hall
Wed		
Sep 5	8:30 a.m.	Moleben to the Theotokos
Thu		
Sep 6	8:30 a.m.	AKATHIST to the WONDER WORKING ICON of the MOST HOLY THEOTOKOS "PANTANASSA"
Fri		
Sep 7	11:30 a.m.	Outreach Meeting at Peking Restaurant. Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend
Sat		
Sep 8	7 a.m. 1 p.m.	Family Yard Sale in St. Philip's Hall. No food will be sold.
Sun		SUNDAY BEFORE THE EXATATION OF THE HOLY CROSS
Sep 9		Galatians 6:11-18 John 3:13-17
	9:45 a.m.	Eastern Catholic Formation classes begin today
	11:00 a.m.	+ For the blessed repose of the soul of + <u>ROBERT T. HARMEYER</u> requested by Ann Harmeyer
	Afterwards	Hospitality

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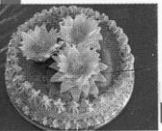
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Some items are hand-made and some are one-of-a-kind

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NOVEMBER 2018

Saturday Nov 3 – 6:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. YARD SALE

Sunday Nov 4 – TIME CHANGE AGAIN-fall back one (1) hour!!

Tuesday Nov 6 – Ascension Ladies Guild meeting 6:30 p.m.

Thursday Nov 8 – I Don't Give A Stitch Quilters 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Sun – Mon – Tue-Nov 11, 12, 13 – St. Luke's Icon Guild

Tuesday Nov 13 - Advisory Board meeting 6 p.m.

Saturday Nov 18 – Kolachi baking

Tuesday Nov 20 – Men's Club meeting 7 p.m.

Thursday Nov 22 – HAPPY THANKSGIVING

HAPPY “SEPTEMBER” BIRTHDAY

2nd Elisabeth Branden
6th Professor John Williams (Retired)
8th Jamie DeQuilanea
14th Robert “Danny” Montgomery
14th Lolly Vinson
20th Patty Piszko-Dunham
21st Deborah Kotyk
21st Sister Alphina Chepter
23rd Peyton Karlson
24th Zachary Karlson
27th Lydia Marin
28th Lisa Cifrlak-Edwards
29th Christine Noonan
29th David Efimetz

The **OLD TESTAMENT GRILLERS** made **Pulled Pork Bar-B-Que** for today's Pot Luck.

The “**I DON'T GIVE A STITCH QUILTERS**” have made a beautiful quilt as a gift to Ascension of Our Lord parish to raffle off as a fund-raiser for the parish in appreciation of the monthly use of St. Philip's Hall. The quilt is on display in St. Philip's Hall and some of the ladies are going around selling the tickets for ten dollars (\$10.00) each. The winner will be picked on the first Sunday in December. Yes, there is plenty of time but the number of tickets is limited.

There has been some misinformation regarding the annual **BON FIRE** 5-9 p.m., Friday October 26. **Danny & Matt Montgomery** will take care of the actual “fire” part of this event. **Dr. Mary Jean Sotack** has a business conference this weekend and will be back in 2019.

The important and vital information is anyone who is wanting to do this well need to contact **Mary Jean Sotack (757) 484-7503 FIRST**. She will let you know how to go about getting the permit and scheduling for the fire truck. We need a volunteer by **October 1st** in order to get the permit and fire truck for the date we have on the calendar, October 26.

Mike Olson has been looking for a volunteer to chair this parish family event, to no avail. Farmer **Tom McGraw** will be there with his hay wagon! Mike has asked the Men's Club to make Frogmore Stew and Chilie, and the Ladies Guild will do some baking.

If no one comes forward to take this event, it will be taken off the calendar because if the event is “winged” and a fire built without the fire department knowing, it will cause undo problems with the department, and for us.

SEPTEMBER 2018

Tuesday Sep 11 – Advisory Board meeting 6:00 p.m.

Thursday Sep 13- I Don't Give A Stitch Quilters 10 a.m. – 2p.m.

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.

OCTOBER 2018

Tuesday Oct 2- Ascension's Ladies Guild meeting 6:30 p.m.

Saturday Oct 6- Men's Club Italian Dinner

Wednesday Oct 10- Making Halupki

Thursday Oct 11 - I Don't Give A Stitch Quilters 10 a.m. – 2p.m.

Saturday Oct 13 - Ascension's Ladies Guild field trip – Charlottesville, VA

Friday Oct 19 – Eastern European Dinner 4 – 7 p.m.

Sunday October 21- Men's Club Breakfast sale. New item added this month!!

Friday Oct 26- Bon Fire 5 to 9 p.m.

Mondy Oct 29- Set-up for November Yard Sale begins

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, Dr. 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: Dr. 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 (Sep 2)

Next Week (Sep 9)

Ushers	Adithia Kusno	Bob Linderman
Lector	David Efimetz	Patty Duttry
Hospitality	Chris Noonan	Joan Ruszkowski
Recorders	Monica Ruscus & Jeff Sotack	Chris Noonan & Ory Stefaniw
Security	David Efimetz & Tom McGraw	Danny & Matt Montgomery

Thank you for your contributions (Aug 26, 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	1,563.17
Candles	232.25
St. Luke's Icon Guild	40.00
Holy Day	100.00
Special Gift Quilt raffle	<u>30.00</u>
	<u>1,965.42</u>

\$0. Mortgage Collection Fund Mortgage to date: \$ 59,835.05

Candle and Prayer Intentions for SEPTEMBER

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

Christ the Teacher—The candle burns for health and God's blessings for **MARY, MICHAEL, LILY and DAISY OLSON** requested by Kathy & Lee Alexander

Theotokos and Child— The candle burns for health and God's blessings for **JUNE ANN HALL** requested by Mary Ann Drumtra

Saint Nicholas— The candle burns unsponsored

Saint John the Baptizer— The candle burns for health and God's blessing for **LINDA and MICHAEL LECHMAN** requested by Monica M. Ruscus

Tetrapod— The candles are burning for the blessed repose of the souls of the + **MARY ANN KASICA-SCHEFF and JOHN RUSCUS** requested by Monica M. Ruscus

Protection of the Theotokos- The candles burn unsponsored

Information regarding 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.

