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Served by Reverend Father Alex Shuter, Pastor

Schedule of Services and Activities

Sun June 24		Fourth Sunday after Pentecost; Birth of Saint John the Baptist	Page 135
	10:00 a.m.	Adult Education: The History of Byzantine Christianity Presented by Dr. John A. Williams	
	11:00 a.m. Afterward	Health and God's Blessings for Our Parish Family Needlework Group	
Mon June 25		No Service	
Tue June 26	5:30 p.m.	For Health and God's Blessings for Gladys Strong by Maureen Baysura	
	Afterward	Coffee Group	
Wed June 27	5:30 p.m.	For the Blessed Repose of George and Michael Mornar and Mary Elaine Simchak and Seamus Keirney by Eugene Kokinda	
Thu June 28	5:30 p.m.	For the Blessed Repose of Theodore Mathews by June Mathews	
Fri June 29		No Service	
Sat June 30		No Service	
Sun July 1	11:00 a.m. Afterward	Fifth Sunday after Pentecost; Saints Peter and Paul For the Blessed Repose of Anna Fedokovitz by Julia Piszko Monthly Potluck	Page 141

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	8:00 a.m.	Health and God's Blessings for Kathleen Zavada by Jackie Basalla	
Wed June 20	6:30 p.m.	For Our Parish Family	
Sun July 1	8:00 a.m.	Fifth Sunday after Pentecost; Saints Peter and Paul Health and God's Blessings for Our Parish Family	Page 141

Food Basket - Please consider helping the less fortunate in our area by bringing nonperishable items for the food basket located in the Narthex. Thank you!

Upcoming Events...

There will be no intergenerational teaching during June or July
July 7 and August 4—Summer Picnics
August 5—Light Breakfast and Intergenerational Teaching—Transfiguration
August 15—Divine Liturgy for Dormition of the Theotokos

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Ascension Parish News

Schedule for Sunday Volunteers

Our thanks to all of you who volunteer!

	This Week (June 24)	Next Week (July 1)
Ushers	Robert Linderman & Anna Baysura	Morgan Kelly & Anna Baysura
Lector	John A. Williams	Jeffrey Sotack
Hospitality	Pierrette Gyor	Michelle Gioe
Offertory Recorders	Jeffrey Sotack & Laura Sotack	John Rayno & Don Merkley

Offertory Recorders are gently reminded to complete an Operating Acct. (...401) deposit slip to include in the Bank Bag. Thank you.

Trustees: Lee Alexander, Robert Linderman, and John Rayno;

Property Maintenance: Lee Alexander, Don Merkley, John Rayno, and Tom Postemski.

Finances: John Rayno, Jeffrey Sotack, & Tom Postemski; and Financial Secretary: Patty Duttry

Parish Secretary: Ann Kelly; Procurement of Sanctuary Supplies: Betty Mae Hertz

If you would like to become involved as a volunteer in any area, just tell a trustee.

Thank you for your contributions (June 17, 2012)

Offertory & Dues	\$548.00	
Candles	19.00	God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Corinthians 9:7
TOTAL	567.00	

Prayer Intentions for June

Sanctuary Lamp—The lamp burns for the Blessed Repose of Walter A. and Anne T. Kasica by Monica and John Ruscus.

Christ the Teacher—The candle burns for the Blessed Repose of Don Noonan by Chris Noonan

Theotokos & Child—The candle is burning for Health and God's Blessings for James Conroy by Mary T. Sullivan

Saint Nicholas—The candle burns sponsored by Libby Linn—"Truly unexpected tidings make both ears tingle." St. Basil.

Saint John the Baptizer—The candle is burning for Health and God's Blessings for John Paul Blascak and Justin Blascak by Joseph and Josephine Horvath.

Tetrapod—The candles are burning for Health and God's Blessings for Heather Murphy and Courtney Horvath by Joseph and Josephine Horvath.

✠ Icon candle sponsorship is \$11.00/month; Sanctuary Lamp sponsorship is \$20.00/month; Tetrapod \$22.00. ✠

Recurring Events Reminders

Last Sunday—June 24th--Needlework Group meets after Liturgy

1st Sunday—July 1st—Parish Picnic; Bring a Friend Sunday

1st Tuesday—No July Meeting--Ascension Parish Guild

2nd Tuesday of Alternate Month— Skip July, Sep 11th--Parish Advisory Board @ 7:00 p.m.; Nov 13

2nd Sunday—July 8th—Birthday Celebration

3rd Thursday—July 19th--6:00 p.m. Church opens for Private Devotions

3rd Sunday—July 15th --FISH--collection of non-perishable food, clothing and household goods for. For example: canned meats and stews, peanut butter, canned fruits, vegetables, and juice; shelf stable milk, beans, etc.

3rd Week—July 15th-17th--St. Luke's Icon Guild in St. Phillip's Hall (3:00-6:00 p.m. Sunday, all day Mon/Tues)

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+If you would like to **become a member** of the Ascension parish family and need a **Census Form or need offertory envelopes**, ask for one of the **Trustees**. Census forms are located at the bulletin board/info table.

ADULT EDUCATION--Dr. John Williams will present a two week series on the The History of Byzantine Christianity. The next presentation will be held on Sunday, July 8, 10 a.m. in the parish hall.

ASCENSION PARISH GUILD—There will be no meeting in July.

JULY POTLUCK—July 1 we will have our Pre-Independence Day potluck/cookout with hamburgers and hotdogs from the grill. God Bless America!

NEWS FROM THE GRILL--If you would like to contribute to the grill for one of the upcoming monthly potlucks, see one of the Old Testament Grillers in the back of the hall after Sunday Liturgy. In July we'll be cooking up hamburgers and hotdogs.

BOOK STORE-- Did you know the Book Store welcomes **special orders**? Can't find what you want on our shelf? Then look through the catalogs and find that special item or gift. Shop at our book store and buy a gift that will always be treasured.

COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD--Parishioners are encouraged to make use of the community bulletin board in the church hall to advertise what you have for sale, things you are looking for, or just to say thanks for something or to someone. Please consider using it when you need to get the word out.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED—someone is needed to coordinate family needs when there is a **funeral**. For example activate the phone tree, arrange transportation if needed, find pall bearers, order food and set up for a repast, and help the family in whatever is needed. **See Betty Mae Hertz**.

FISH is in need of **Canned Meat & Fish, Baked Beans, Peanut Butter & Grape Jelly, Breakfast Cereal, Macaroni & Cheese, and Applesauce**. You might consider a **cake mix and frosting** too.

Both Parishes

Information Regarding Sacraments

+Father Alex is available for the **Holy Mystery of Reconciliation** at **Ascension** before Divine Liturgy on Sundays (10:00 a.m.) or ½ hour before weekday liturgies. By appointment as well.

+Father Alex is available for the **Holy Mystery of Reconciliation** at **Our Lady of Perpetual Help** before Divine Liturgy on Sundays (7:30 a.m.). By appointment as well.

+Receiving the **Mystery of Holy Eucharist**: As you approach Father please tell him your name so that the prayer can be personalized for you; lift the cloth beneath your chin; next tilt your head back; widely open your mouth but do not extend your tongue. No response is required for the prayer. The body and blood of our Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ will be dropped into your mouth from a golden spoon.

Please keep in your prayers those who are ill or infirm:

Dennis Piszko, Michael Dunham, Lea Hrasky, Don Merkley, Stephen Brown, Anthony Kass Jr., Josephine Horvath, Inga Schmit, Audrey Bill, Dn. Daniel Wolfe, Jesse Hall, Laura Michael, Tim Baker, Sherri Hokanson, Merle Phillips, Ryan Nichols, Michael Sotack, Jeffrey Sotack, Debbie Nyman, Kathleen Zavada, Eva Delgado, Joseph Miller, Robert Sotack, Willie Torres Jr., Christine Krulak, Steven Kass, Diana Hurtig, Brian Hurtig, John Hessler, Nancy Ward, Chris Sheafe, Randy Powell, Marion Thurnher, Mark Lesko, Nicholas Dadonna, Jr., Phillip Johnson, Betty Backfield, Ronnie Gloria, Myrtle Mackerly, John Heffler, Elfriede Mielczarek, Elia Soriano, Courtney Horvath, Hope Van Alstine, Anthony Sandi, Veronica Williams, Cindy Steffens, Nicola and Bruce Kendall, Chelyse Miller, Walter Valley, George Karol, Joan Scull, Sophie Zavada, Bill Basalla, Rose Henger, Rose Dumarán, Bobby Thomas, Isaac Pinon, Marty Felix, Fr. Ron Hatton, Michael Hatton

If you or someone you know is sick or needs prayer, please contact **Patty Duttry** at (804)725-0904 or email pmduttry@gmail.com or contact **Dn. Dan** or **Reader Joe** to add them to the prayer list. Likewise, if our prayers have been answered, let them know if someone can be removed from the list.

Please remember in prayer those who serve our nation:

Lord, please hold our troops
in your loving hands.
Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families
for the selfless acts they perform for us
in our time of need.
Amen.

Stateside:

Col. David DeMartino
Captain Jeremy Blascak
Cmdr. Carol Burroughs, USN
Col. Ted Mathews, Jr. USAF
Lt. Col. Nadia Shockley, USAF
CPL Patrick Alexander, USMC

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