

Christ is Risen!

St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church

Indeed He is Risen!

Χριστος Воскресе!

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Воистину Воскресе!

Χριστός ανέστη!

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20 April, 2014: Great and Holy Pascha

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sun. Apr. 20 **10:00 AM: Resurrection of Our Lord and Savior**
Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom w/Mirovanije

Sat. Apr. 26 **5:00 PM: Sunday Vigil**
+Sarah Lipko requested by Anna (Polechko) Povlik

Sun. Apr. 27 **10:30 AM: Thomas Sunday: pro populo**
First Year Anniversary Panachida w/ Kollyva for Andrew LeBoeuf,
father of Elizabeth Prizzi.

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	Acolytes	Readers	Ushers	
Sun. Apr. 20	All Present	L. Cianciotti	C. Cianciotti, R. Knouse	
Sat. Apr. 26	M. Mihalko	J. Kontir	R. Garber, D. Mihalko	
Sun. Apr. 27	D. Cianciotti	B. Chirdon	C. Cianciotti, J. Knouse	

4/13/14 Collection: Adult \$1005; Student \$13; Candles \$ 93; **Total: \$1111.00**

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Ambon Prayer for Bright Monday: «Passover, Passover», and again I say,



«Passover», for Christ our Passover, has been sacrificed for us. He alone is immortal; He alone cannot be seen or grasped. The Angels and Principalities, the Authorities, Dominions and Powers, and the Cherubim and Seraphim praise Him. With these heavenly powers, we, your unworthy servants, praise, bless, and worship You, O Lord our God, for in these last day You came into the world, took flesh from our holy and pure Lady, the Mother of God and ever-virgin Mary, and suffered crucifixion that You might free us from the curse of the tree. For all this, how can we repay

you, O God according to nature and Father according to grace? We offer You praise from our lips: Glory to You Who were baptized! Glory to You Who were crucified! Glory to You Who were buried! Glory to You, for You are risen and raise us with You! Glory to You together with Your eternal Father and Your all-holy, good and life-creating Spirit, now and ever and unto the ages of ages. Amen.



Next Sunday's Readings:

Epistle, Acts of the Holy Apostles 5: 12-20

Many Signs and Wonders Performed; Persecution of the Apostles

Gospel, John 20: 19-31

The Appearance of Jesus to the Apostles; Jesus and Thomas



~ Announcements ~

- **REMEMBER:** Upon entering the Church during the paschal season, there is **NO KNEELING** at any time. Standing is a sign of the resurrection – ἡ ἀνάστασις – «the standing up» in Greek.
- **The Parish Office will be CLOSED during Bright Week!**
- We wish to acknowledge the **George R. Smalley Company, Inc.** for donating \$100 to St. Mary ~ Holy Protection in memory of **Michael Bankovich**. May God grant them many blessed years for their kindness.
- **Special thanks** to **Brook Prue** from Open Pantry for donating Easter Lilies to our church every year!
- **UPDATE:** The Steak Dinner sponsored by the Kecksburg VFD Ladies Auxiliary scheduled for **Saturday, April 26th** has been **CANCELLED** due to unforeseen circumstances. It will be rescheduled at a later date.
- **«EASTER EGG HUNT»** Sunday **April 27th**, at our Byzantine Catholic Seminary. The Byzantine Catholic Serra Club together with the Seminary invites the Faithful to come to the "First Easter Egg Hunt at our Seminary." The event will begin at 3:00 pm in the Seminary Chapel with the celebration of the Akathist Hymn followed by the Easter Egg Hunt. Bring a basket for your child and food items to share in an Easter picnic, to be held outside weather permitting. Register by April 11th at office@bcs.edu or call 412-321-8383. Provide child's name, age and parish.
- **11th Annual Women's Day of Reflection!** Saturday, **May 3rd** from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. at St. Elias Church in Munhall. \$25 includes lunch. Pre-registration is required by April 26th. See flyers and brochures in Narthex for more details.
- **14th Annual Saints Cyril and Methodius Lecture** sponsored by our Byzantine Catholic Seminary is **Monday May 5th** at our Cathedral in Munhall. **Time:** 7:00 PM with reception to follow. **No charge, but registration is required.**
Guest Speaker: Dr. Sister Vassa Larin, a nun of the Russian Orthodox Church Abroad
Her topic: *The Saints and the 'Communion of Saints' in the Byzantine Tradition.*

- **NEW EVENT:** GCU & the Byzantine Catholic Family Day at Idlewild Park --- **Saturday, May 31** from 10:30 am until park closing. The GCU is offering prepaid, discounted ticket sales. Ride-All-Day Tickets (ages 3+) = \$19; ages 2 and under are free. The tickets for the Catered All-You-Can-Eat-Lunch Buffet (ages 6+) = \$13; ages 5 & under = \$7. Lunch includes burgers, hot dogs, baked beans, cookies, chips, & soda. The deadline to purchase discounted tickets is Friday, May 9th. **No discounted tickets will be sold at the park.** Make checks payable to: GCU – IDLEWILD. The sign-up sheet and the schedule for the day are posted in the Narthex. We will need your reservations and remittance by Monday, May 5th. Questions – please contact Christine Petty at cpetty@gcuusa.com or call 724-495-3400 ext. 3923.



Mother's Day, May 11th, is swiftly approaching. The cards and Spiritual Bouquet Envelopes will be set out next week on the tables in the Narthex.