

Glory to Jesus Christ! St. Mary ~ Holy Protection Byzantine Catholic Church Glory Forever!  
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## 1 November 2015 / 7524: 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

*The Holy Unmercenary Thaumaturga Cosmos and Damian*

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE:

Sat. Oct. 31 **17:00 Vigil of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost.** Suffrages for + **Thomas Krynicky** – *His parents Fran and John; for + Michael and Anna Brehun* – *Mary Lezo*

Sun. Nov. 01 **10:30 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost.** Suffrages for **the parish;** for + **Mary Ann Davis** – *Ken & Pat Gillotti.* **Memorial Service for Mary Miscik** – 1 year anniversary.

Sat. Nov. 07 **17:00 Vigil of the 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost.** Suffrages for + **Walter Furwa** – *Jack Kaputa*

Sun. Nov. 08 **10:30 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost.** Suffrages for **the parish;** for + **Helen Krynicky** – *John and Fran Kernicky*

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	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	
Sat. Oct. 31	-----	J. Krynicky	D. Mihalko, J. Snitzer	
Sun. Nov. 01	E. R. A. Hess	P. Krynicky	G. Krynicky, J. Overdorff	
Sat. Oct. 07	-----	J. Krynicky	J. Snitzer, R. Garber	
Sun. Nov. 08	Ruggieri, Syphans	A. Prizzi	G. Krynicky, R. Garber	

**10/25/15:** Adult: \$805 Student: \$6 **Attendance:** Sunday: 47 + 8  
**Collection** Candles: \$63 **Total: \$837**

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**God, Rich in Mercy** **GOD DID NOT ORIGINALLY DESIRE THAT ANY SHOULD PERISH.**  
**AMBROSIASER:** These are the true riches of God's mercy, that even when we did not seek it mercy was made known through His own initiative.... This is God's love to us, that having made us He did not want us to perish. His reason for making us was that He might love what He had made, seeing that no one hates his own workmanship. God made us in Christ. So it is through Christ once again that He has formed us anew. We are His members; He our Head. EPISTLE TO THE EPHESIANS 2.4 - 2.5.

**WHETHER FAITH IS ITSELF FINALLY OUR WORK. JEROME:** Paul says this in case the secret thought should steal upon us that "if we are not saved by our own works, at least we are saved by our own faith, and so in another way our salvation is of ourselves." Thus he added the statement that faith too is not in our own will but in God's gift. Not that he means to take away free choice from humanity ... but that even this very freedom of choice has God as its author, and all things are to be referred to His generosity, in that He has even allowed us to will the good. EPISTLE TO THE EPHESIANS 1.2.8-9

**What is a Jubilee Year?** The origin of the Christian Jubilee can be traced back to the Law of Moses – Torah – which prescribes a special year for the Jewish people (Leviticus 25:10 – 14). The "trumpet" with which this particular year was announced was a goat's horn, called *Yobel* in Hebrew, and the origin of our word "jubilee". The celebration of this year included the restitution of land to the original owners, the cancellation of debts, the liberation of slaves, and "rest" for the land, *i.e.*, the land was left fallow. In the New Testament, Jesus presents Himself as the One Who brings the old Jubilee to completion, because He has come to **preach the year of the Lord's favor** (Luke 4: 18 – 19, Isaiah 61: 1 – 2.) In the Latin Church's tradition, a Holy Year or Jubilee is a religious event, held roughly every 25 years for the forgiveness of sins and the punishment due to sin. The Christian Jubilee tradition began with Pope Boniface VIII in *anno Domini* 1300. Since that time, the Latin Church has celebrated 26 ordinary and 3 extraordinary Jubilee Years. This coming Jubilee will be their 4<sup>th</sup>.



### Next Sunday's Readings: 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

**Ephesians 2: 14 – 22 AND Hebrews 2: 2 – 10**  
**Luke 8: 41 – 56 AND Luke 10: 16 – 21**

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See bulletin boards in the Narthex for **DETAILS** concerning up-coming events in the parish and the Archeparchy.

### Mark your Calendar:

01 November	Moleben for the Cause of Beatification and Canonization of our Byzantine Catholic hierarchs martyred during Soviet occupation.
07 November	Cash Bash
13 November	Deadline to order tickets: St Nicholas – Seminary Benefit Dinner.
15 November	Philip Fast or Nativity Fast begins
18 November	Emmanuel Moleben <i>A Service of Prayer for the Nativity Fast</i>
22 November	Turkey Bingo
25 November	Emmanuel Moleben <i>A Service of Prayer for the Nativity Fast</i>