Glory to Jesus Christ! Слава Исусу Христу! St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church 4480 Route 981 Latrobe, PA 15650

Glory Forever! Слава на вики!

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19 October 2014: Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

The Holy Prophet Joel. The Holy Martyr Varus. Our Venerable Father John of Rila.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sat. Oct.	18	5:00 PM: Sunday Vigil						
		+Suffrages for Rev. Andrew D. Bachkovsky by Joanne H. Krynicky						
Sun. Oct.	19	10:30 AM: Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost: pro populo						
Sat. Oct.	25	5:00 PM: Sunday Vigil						
		+Suffrages for Daniel Teminsky by Wife Katherine Teminsky						
Sun. Oct.	26	10:30 AM: Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost: pro populo						
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		Acolytes	Reade	<u>ers</u>		<u>Ushers</u>		
Sat. Oct.	18		J. H. I	Krynicky	J. Kon	tir, D. Mihalko		
Sun. Oct.	19	E. & R. Hess	J. Hes	s	J. Kno	use, D. Hess		
Sat. Oct.	25		M. Ha	ırhai	J. Snitzer, D. Mihalko			
Sun. Oct.	26	M. Ruggieri	F. Cha	happell J. & R. K		. Knouse		
		T. & M. Syphan						
10/12/14 Collection:		: Adult \$614.00	•	Students \$6.00);	Fuel Oil \$125.00;		
		Candles \$50.00;		Total: \$795.00				
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Saint John Chrysostom's thoughts on today's gospel pericope: «For as the sower makes no distinction in the land submitted to him, but simply and indifferently casts his seed; so the Lord Himself makes no distinction between rich and poor, between wise and unwise, between slothful and diligent, between brave and cowardly, but He discourses unto all.»

«...It is impossible for rock to become earth, or the wayside not to be wayside, or the thorns, thorns, but, in reason-endowed creatures [mankind], this is not so. In them, it is possible for the rock to change and become rich land, and for the wayside no longer to be trampled upon, nor lie open to all that pass by, but that it may be a fertile field; and the thorns may be destroyed, so that the seed may enjoy full security. For had it been impossible, this Sower [Christ] would not have sown.»

Christian One Liners:

- Don't put a question mark where God has put a period.
- Forbidden fruits create many jams.
- God doesn't call the qualified, He qualifies the called.
- God grades on the cross, not on a curve.
- God loves everyone, but probably prefers 'fruits of the spirit' over 'religious nuts!'
- God promises a safe landing, not a calm passage.
- He who angers you controls you!
- If God is your co-pilot, swap seats!
- Prayer: Don't give God instructions, just report for duty!
- The task ahead of us is never as great as the Power behind us.
- The Will of God never takes you to where the Grace of God will not protect you.
- We don't change the message, the message changes us.
- The best mathematical equation: 1 cross + 3 nails = 4 given.

Next Sunday's Readings:

Galatians 1: 11 – 19 How Paul Became an Apostle **Luke 16: 19 – 31** Dives and Lazarus



~ Announcements ~

• **Today** after each of the Divine Liturgies, members of the *Handicap Accessibility Committee* will give a brief presentation to the parish on their work and findings to date.



- NEXT Weekend (October 25 26), the annual special collection for the «Archeparchial Charities» will be taken up. This is a major collection in which funds are allocated for foreign and home missions, the Holy Land, retired religious, and other worthy causes of our Archeparchy. Please us the special envelope labeled "Archdiocesan Charities" and give as generously as possible. Thank You!
- **28**th Annual Moleben for the Causes of Beatification and Canonization for the four Holy Ruthenian Hierarchs of Subcarpathian Ruthenia in Eastern Europe will take place at Holy Ghost Church in McKees Rocks on Sunday, 26 October at 3:00 in the afternoon. Metropolitan William will be the principal celebrant. Light refreshments will be served after the prayer service. The event will also be streamed online at www.ustream.tv/channel/holy-ghost-church.
- **«33**rd ANNUAL CARPATHO-RUSYN CELEBRATION» will be held at St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church Social Hall, Uniontown, Sunday, October 26 from Noon to 6:00 pm. There will be holupki, haluski, pirohi, pagach, potato pancakes, kolbási & kraut, baked goods, entertainment, (Slavjane Folk Ensemble from McKees Rocks @ 3 PM and a Rusyn Folk musical group @ 1 and 4 pm) and much more. For info, call 724-438-6027 (M-F 9:00 AM 3:00 PM). Admission is free!

- Created in God's Image: Communion and Stewardship Ten Years Later Sunday, October 26, 1:30 – 4:30 pm, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. An ecumenical conversation about human evolution, designer babies, and care for creation. See poster on Narthex bulletin board for more details
- Many Thanks to all who provided baked goods to this week's Bingo.
- 40 Days for Life participation by the Byzantine Catholics of Pittsburgh. On Tuesday, October 28 you are encouraged to participate in a prayerful and peaceful witness to respect for all human life at the abortuary Planned Parenthood of Western PA, 933 Liberty Avenue, downtown Pittsburgh from 8:30 to 11:00. At 10:30 the Moleben for the Sacredness of Life and Supplication for the Victims of Abortion will be prayed. About 8,000 babies are killed by abortion annually in Allegheny County.

Planning ahead..

- Sunday, November 2: Daylight Savings Time ends; fall back one hour.
- ❖ Tuesday, November 4: Election Day
- ❖ Saturday, November 8: 9:30 Morning Divine Liturgy: Feast of St. Michael
- Sunday, November 9: All You Can Eat Breakfast
- Saturday, November 15: Philip Fast or Nativity Fast begins.
- ❖ Sunday, November 16: St. Mary ~ Holy Protection Parish Turkey Bingo (details to follow)
- Thursday, November 20: 7:00 PM Vesperal Divine Liturgy, Feast of «The Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple».