

Glory to Jesus Christ!  
Слава Иисусу Христу!

St. Mary ~ Holy Protection  
Byzantine Catholic Church

Glory Forever!  
Слава на вѣки!

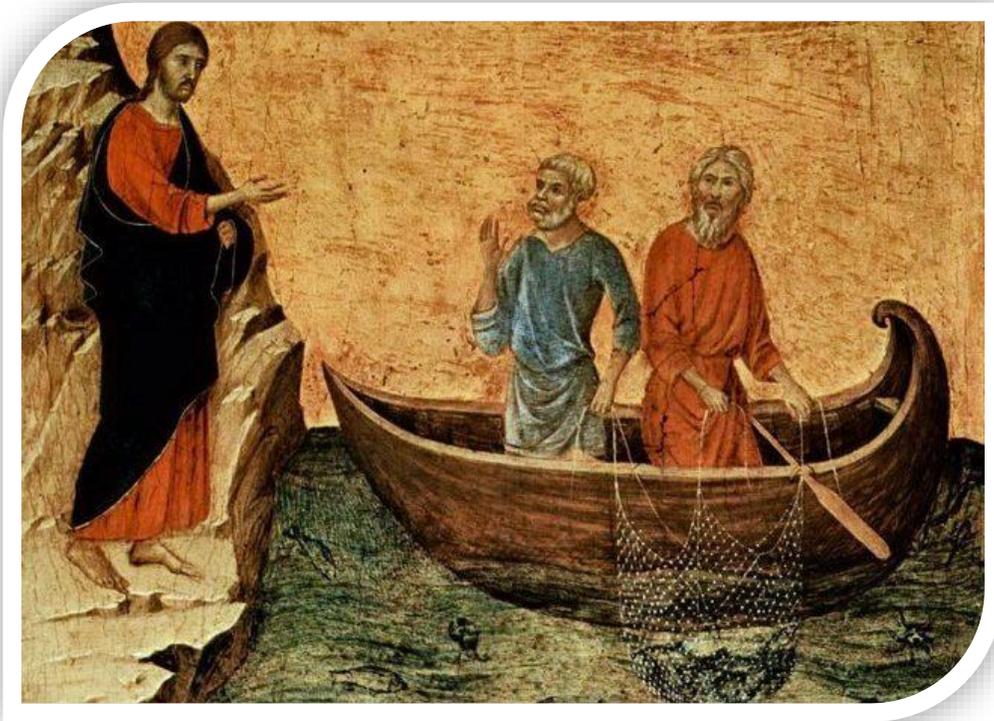
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## 6 June 2021 / 7529 ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Our Holy Father Bessarion the Wonder-worker. Our Venerable Father and Confessor  
Hilarion the Younger, Hegumen of the Dalmatian Monastery.*



### LITURGY SCHEDULE:

- Sat. June 05 17:00 Vigil: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost *Suffrages for +Joseph & Josephine Krynicky – granddaughter Joanne*
- Sun. June 06 10:30 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost *Suffrages pro populo*
- Sat. June 12 17:00 Vigil: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost *Suffrages for +Christopher Davis – Joanne Krynicky*
- Sun. June 13 10:30 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost *Suffrages pro populo esp. for +Rosemarie Macchiaroli – husband: Antonio*



05 / 30 / 2021  
COLLECTION

Adults: \$3298  
Holy Day: \$95

Children: \$6  
Cemetery: \$440

Candles: \$77  
**TOTAL: \$ 3916**



**THE BASIS OF GOD'S JUDGMENT:** «*There will be glory, honor and peace for everyone who has done good, the Jew first, then the Greek*». "Doing good" means seeking God's glory, not one's own glory; God's honor, not one's own honor; the eternal reward of immortality, not reward here and now. "Doing good" is seeking first the Kingdom of God (Matt 6:33). **Good intentions alone**, or faith without works, will not save (Rom 2:13). Simply to hear and not do is religion without reality. Those with true faith, "the doers" of the truth, practice virtue from pure and repentant hearts (James 1:21-27). **"By nature"** (Rom 2:14) people are inspired by and cooperate with God's grace. Therefore, good deeds are natural to us, whereas evil deeds are contrary to nature. Because we all fail, we need God's mercy (Rom 3:9-19). The presence of God's law in our conscience (Rom 2:15) condemns anything we do which is contrary to true human nature, Therefore, even Gentiles - people not under the Law of Moses, those who do not know of Christ - have an internal law from God, the natural law written in their hearts, according to which God will judge them. Melchizedek, Job, and the Ninevites are Old Testament examples of non-Jews who were judged to be righteous. Jews, then, have two laws from God -- the Law of Moses and conscience -- and are accountable to Him for both (verse 12). **Those who are condemned** choose to reject God, There is no automatic, fated condemnation: God's just judgment of us is based on our exercise of free will. Although sin impairs our powers, it does not destroy God's image in us or our free will. **By Jesus Christ** (Rom 2:16): In the day of judgment we are not judged directly by God the Father, whom we cannot see, but by the incarnate Son whom we do see, Christ Jesus (Acts 17:31; see John 3:16-21, 35, 36). Christ will judge on the basis of the light He Himself has given to each of us (John 1:9) and our response to His light (John 3:16-21). "The secrets of men" are "the thoughts and intents of the heart" (Heb. 4:12).

From *The Orthodox Study Bible*



## ~ ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

- **CONGRATULATIONS** to **Thomas Syphan** who graduated, *summa cum laude*, with a Bachelor of Science degree in bio-chemistry from St. Vincent College on Saturday, 22 May. Congratulations also to **Eric Hess** (Penn State), and **Andrew Fetch** (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill) who successfully completed their freshman year. 
- **PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION** to support the charitable work of the Holy See is next week-end **June 12 – 13**. In ninth-century England, King Alfred the Great collected money, a «pence», from landowners as financial support for the Holy Father. Today, the Peter's Pence Collection supports the pope's philanthropy by giving the holy father the means to provide emergency assistance to those in need because of natural disaster, war, oppression, and disease. There is a special envelope for this offering.
- **FATHER'S DAY** *Spiritual Bouquet Cards* are located in the Narthex. Checks are to be made payable to **BENEDICTINE FATHERS**.
- **\$500 LOTTERY STRIP TICKET** is being sold after the week-end services. The winning number will be taken from the PA Lottery Evening Pick 3 drawing on **Father's Day, Sunday, June 20<sup>th</sup>**.
- **CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE 2021: September 12<sup>th</sup> at 15:00 in St Elias Church, Munhall.** Although it is still uncertain if the actual celebration can be held, couples, whose wedding anniversary is **10, 25, 30, 40, 45, 50 or additional years that are multiples of five**, are asked to submit their names by completing the form located in the Narthex. Specify exactly how you want your names to appear on the anniversary certificate. **Certificates are sent to all whether they are able to attend or not.** Those couples who celebrated their anniversary in 2020 are also welcome to attend the Divine Liturgy **in person**. Since you already received your certificate last year, the only information needed is whether or not you will be attending the Liturgy **in person**.