

St. Mary ~ Holy Protection
CHRIST IS ASCENDED! Byzantine Catholic Church **GLORIFY HIM!**
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**29 MAY 2022 / 7530 ~ SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE
 FIRST ECUMENICAL COUNCIL – NICÆA, a. D. 325**

*Post-festive Day of the Ascension. The Holy Venerable Martyr and Virgin Theodosia. Our
 Holy Father Paul VI, Pope of Rome.*



LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Sat. May 28 17:00 **SUNDAY OF THE FIRST ECUMENCIAL COUNCIL**

Sun. May 29 10:30 **SUNDAY OF THE FIRST ECUMENCIAL COUNCIL**

Suffrages pro populo.

Sat. June 04 09:30 **FIFTH ALL SOULS SATURDAY**

17:00 **PENTECOST SUNDAY** w/ Mirovanije

Sun. June 05 10:30 **PENTECOST SUNDAY** w/ Mirovanije *Suffrages pro populo; esp. for Olivia – 1st Mystery of Holy Confession*

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05/ 22 / 2022	Adults: \$915	Children: \$18	Candles: \$65	Holy Day: \$55	
COLLECTION	Cemetery: \$110	Seminary: \$10	TOTAL: \$1173		
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The memory of the Council Fathers at Nicæa was originally observed on May 29th, the day of its closing in a. D. 325. Since this falls about the time of the feast of the Ascension, it is now observed on the Sunday following Ascension.

~ Announcements ~

- ❖ Donations to the annual **Saints Cyril and Methodius Byzantine Catholic Seminary Collection** will be accepted throughout the rest of the month of May. Please be generous in your support for our men in priestly and diaconal formation!
- ❖ **A MEMORIAL DAY PANACHIDA** will be served at **10:00** in the parish cemetery (weather permitting) followed by the blessing of veterans' graves. In the event of inclement weather, the Memorial Service will be held at the church.
- ❖ **SUNDAY, JUNE 5th, IS PENTECOST SUNDAY** and a number of important events will take place that day:
 - **REMEMBER TO WEAR GREEN TO LITURGY THAT WEEK-END.**
 - **OLIVIA** will celebrate the Mystery of Holy Confession on this day. Please remember her in your prayers as she prepares for this beautiful sacrament in which God creates in us a clean heart.
 - After the Sunday Liturgy, to celebrate Olivia's special day, our regularly scheduled fellowship luncheon will be a cook-out. A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex to indicate what food item you will be bringing. **The Church will supply hot dogs and hamburgers.**
- ❖ **JUNE 10th BINGO!** To celebrate **Father's Day** a special basket will be raffled off. Parishioners are asked to donate items a dad would find useful: items already given are: 3-piece grilling set, gardening gloves, cooling towel.
- ❖ The annual **PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION** will be taken the weekend of **June 11th – 12th**. There is a special envelope for this collection.
- ❖ **ETERNAL MEMORY!** We have received word from India of the falling asleep in the Lord of **Fr. Julian Anthony**, retired priest of our Archeparchy, who briefly served at this parish, and who also served in the eparchies of Passaic and Parma. His funeral was on May 23, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at the cathedral church, Thanjavur, India. In blessed repose grant O Lord eternal rest to your departed servant the priest Julian and remember him forever!
- ❖ **THE SCHOOL OF DIACONATE STUDIES:** The admissions process for accepting new applicants for 2023 is now open. Men discerning a call to diaconal service in the Church are encouraged to apply. **Deadline** for submitting one's registration form is **July 1st, 2022**. **Classes for the first year** of the four year program will be held **June 18 – July 1, 2023** at our Byzantine Catholic Seminary in Pittsburgh. A two week residency is required each year. Please submit a registration form (forms are located in the Narthex) and once received, candidates will then be contacted by the Vocations Office. For any further inquiries, you may email Fr. Keven E. Marks at **vocations@archpitt.org**

