

Glory to Jesus Christ!  
Слава Иисусу Христу!

St. Mary ~ Holy Protection  
Byzantine Catholic Church  
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Glory Forever!  
Слава на вики!

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**15 OCTOBER 2023 / 7532 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**MEMORY OF THE FATHERS OF THE 7<sup>th</sup> ECUMENICAL COUNCIL**  
*The Venerable Martyr Lucian, Priest of the Great Church of Antioch.*  
*Our Venerable Father Euthymius the Younger.*



**LITURGY SCHEDULE:**

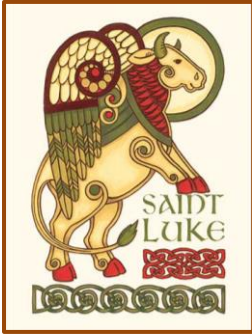
- Sat. Oct. 14 17:00 VIGIL: 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** *Suffrages pro populo; esp. for +Katherine Bossick – Janet Palmer*
- Sun. Oct. 15 10:30 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** *Suffrages for +Patricia Krynicki – Marge Hulyk*
- Sat. Oct. 21 17:00 VIGIL: 21<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** *Suffrages pro populo*
- Sun. Oct. 22 10:30 21<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** *Suffrages for +Patricia Krynicki – husband Gregory; and for +Martin Osif– wife Dorothy*

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**10 / 08 / 2023** Adults: \$1189 Candles: \$118 Fuel: \$95  
**COLLECTION TOTAL: \$1402**



**THE FATHERS OF THE SEVENTH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL:** On the Sunday that falls on or immediately after the eleventh of this month, we chant the Service to the 350 holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council, which gathered in Nicaea in 787 under the holy Patriarch Tarasius and during the reign of the Empress Irene and her son, Constantine Porphyrogenitus, to refute the Iconoclast heresy, which had received imperial support beginning with the Edict issued in 726 by Emperor Leo the Isaurian. Many of the holy Fathers who condemned Iconoclasm at this holy Council later died as Confessors and Martyrs for the holy Icons during the second assault of Iconoclasm in the 9<sup>th</sup> century, especially during the reigns of Leo the Armenian and Theophilus.



**This Wednesday, 18 October, is the feast day of the Apostle and Evangelist Luke.** This Apostle from Antioch, a physician by trade, was a disciple and companion of Saint Paul. He wrote his Gospel in Greek after Matthew and Mark, after which he wrote the Acts of the Apostles, and dedicated both works to Theophilus, who, according to some, was Governor of Achaia. He lived some 86 years and died in Achaia, perhaps in Patras, the capital of this district. His emblem is the calf, the third symbolical beast mentioned by Ezekiel (1:10), which, as Saint Irenaeus says, is a symbol of Christ's sacrificial and priestly office.

**MEDITATION TRAIL at the Antiochian Village** – 140 Church Camp Trail, Bolivar, PA. (6 miles north of Ligonier – State Rte. 711 North). Maps and reflections for the Trail (ca. one mile loop) may be found on the Freebie Table in the Narthex. Benches and icons offer opportunities for rest and reflection. The map offers reflections for each of the eight stops along the trail.



## ~ Announcements ~

- **CONGRATULATION to James and MaryAnn Kontir** who recently celebrated their 55<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary! Εἰς πολλὰ ἔτη! Ad multos annos! Многая літа!
- **WELCOME TO THE SHILOBOD FAMILY** – Leia and her children: Julian, Anya, and Ava – who have recently joined our parish. We extend to them a most warm welcome and wish them many spiritually blessed years with us. Εἰς πολλὰ ἔτη! Ad multos annos! Многая літа!
- **ST MARY PARISH SUPER TURKEY / HAM BINGO: Sunday, 12 November, Doors open at noon. Games start at 2:00 Tickets cost \$30 for 25 games.** Price includes first set of cards, special, and a light lunch. Tickets must be reserved or paid for in advance. None will be sold at the door. There will be a basket raffle, 50/50, instant tickets, lottery tree. See the flyer in the Narthex for more information. Additional flyers advertising this fund raising event are also available in the Narthex for posting at local businesses. Proceeds to benefit the Church's Building and Maintenance Fund. **NOTA BENE:** the Turkey / Ham Bingo will take the place of the bingo normally held on the second Friday of the month, *i.e.*, there will be **NO BINGO ON FRIDAY, 10 NOVEMBER!**
- **A SPAGHETTI DINNER** is being held at **St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church** in **Scottsdale** this **Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>** from **Noon to 3:00 pm**. Adults: \$10, children 12 and under \$5. Dinner includes: meatballs, salad, roll, dessert, and beverage. Take-out available. Basket raffle tickets will also be on hand for purchase. See flyer in Narthex for more information.



- **41<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL CARPATHO-RUSYN CELEBRATION** at **St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church** in **Uniontown** will be **Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>** from **Noon to 17:00** in the Church Social Hall. In addition to the many traditional ethnic food items being offered, entertainment will include the Rusynsky Betjare folk music ensemble who will perform throughout the afternoon. All are welcome; **admission is free**. See posters in Narthex for details.