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For all Sacramental Celebrations, please contact the office as soon as possible.

At the passing of a loved one, contact the funeral home and they will schedule the arrangements with the priest and/or deacon.

Sunday, July 26, 2020

Tone 7: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Gospel: Matthew 14:14-22

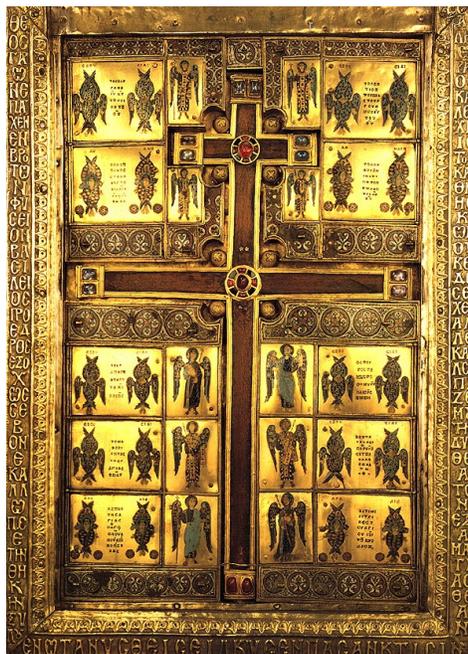
Liturgical Greetings

Greeting:

**"Glory to Jesus Christ!"
"Sla-va Ee-su-su Khry-stu"**

Response:

**"Glory Forever"
"Sla-va Na Vee-ki"**



Next Sunday:

August 2, 2020

9th Sunday After Pentecost

Tone 8:

1 Corinthians 3:9-17

Gospel:

Matthew 14:22-34

Procession of the Life-Giving Cross of the Lord (Aug 1)

Liturgical Schedule for Holy Trinity (HT) and St. Anne (SA) Churches

Day:	Date:	Place:	Time:	Intention/Activity:	Offered By:	Cantor(s)/Reader(s):
Sun	Jul 26	SA	8:00am	8th Sunday After Pentecost	Prayer of the Rosary	K. DeNiro
			8:30am		Divine Liturgy in Private Intentions	P. Nachim
		HT	10:30am		Prayer of the Rosary	J. Bodak
			11:00am		Divine Liturgy for the Parishioners of Both Parishes	K. Kreuzwieser
Mon-Sat	Jul 27-Aug 1	No Service				
Sun	Aug 2	SA	8:00am	9th Sunday After Pentecost	Prayer of the Rosary	K. DeNiro
			8:30am		Divine Liturgy in Private Intentions	K. Scenna
		HT	10:30am		Prayer of the Rosary	J. Bodak
			11:00am		Divine Liturgy for the Parishioners of Both Parishes	J. Bodak

Prayer Requests

Holy Trinity Church

Ann Blazina, John Fecych, Ann Karnofel, Dan Malarcik, Yvonne Mudryk, James Pirko, George Popovich, Marie Schuller, and the health of all of our parishioners

St. Anne Church

Joyce Budinsky, Roger Elias, Elizabeth George, Carol Kaszowski, Karen Kihm, Anne Krill, Fr. Ignatius, Louis Mancini, Sylvia Ostapiak, Margaret Rodomsky, Josie Timlin, Frank Yukon, Helen Yurchison, and the health of all of our parishioners

Clergy

Bishop Josyf Milyan, Father Steven Paliwoda, and Fr. Sebastian Dmytrukh

Non-Parishioner

Kennedy Eatinger, Dawn Howard, Yaroslava M., Myroslava, Halyna, Yaroslava Y., Petro, Nadiya, Mylan, Yaremiya, Zoryana, Mariya, Connor, Claire, Mark, Christine, and Roksolyana

Dormition Fast

From **August 1-14**, inclusive, our Ukrainian Church observes the **Dormition Fast**.

St. Anne

Blue Vigil Light

Karen Scenna is sponsoring the week of July 26th-Aug 1st for

†Yaroslav Zhybak



St. Anne Financials for the Weeks Ending July 19, 2020

Loose Offering:	\$ 3.00	Donation:	\$ 100.00
Weekly Offering:	\$ 750.00	Weekly Bulletin:	\$ 35.00
Energy Needs:	\$ 10.00	Deposit:	\$ 938.00
Blue Vigil Light:	\$ 10.00	Attendance:	31
Kolachi:	\$ 30.00		

St. Anne Miscellaneous Financials

Holy Apostles Room Rent (July): \$ 250.00

Holy Trinity Financials for the Week Ending July 19, 2020

Candle:	\$ 62.00	50/50:	\$ 35.00
Weekly Offering:	\$ 1,070.00	Deposit:	\$ 1,207.00
Bulletin Donation:	\$ 20.00	July 50/50:	\$ 60.00
Liturgical Intentions:	\$ 20.00	Attendance:	41

МОЛИСЬ ЗА УКРАЇНУ

PRAY FOR UKRAINE



Our very Best Wishes and Blessings to our dear Parishioners celebrating their life milestones this week.



Holy Trinity Church

Jul 31: Yvonne Mudryk

St. Anne Church

Jul 27: Ann Stevens Jul 28: John Leskovec

Na Mnohaya ee Blahaya Leeta

Glory to Jesus Christ!

My dear Friends,

I trust that my message found everyone well and sound during these days, as we are still trying to return to some sort of normalcy.

I would like to thank you from the bottom of my heart for the outpouring of love, sympathies, prayers, and thoughts vis-à-vis me and my entire family here and abroad due to my beloved father's recent and unexpected death in Ukraine, especially since Nataliya, the boys, and I were not able to travel to Europe for the funeral. It means a lot to us and may our immensely good and kind Lord Jesus reward you manifold for your benevolence in this life and in the life to come! Since a lot of you enclosed the Divine Liturgy offerings together with your sympathy expressions for my dad (thank you very much!), I originally thought to celebrate the Liturgies in private. However, later on I changed my mind and decided to send most of the stipends to a priest in our eparchy, who is currently in need of the Liturgy intentions and I am very grateful to him for having agreed to celebrate these Liturgies for my dad. I hope none of you mind it. Also, special thanks to those of you, who made offerings for the Holy Masses for my father through various Catholic institutions. Thank you very much for everything! Please continue to keep my dad as well as all of us he left behind in your prayers and may my father's memory be eternal! **Вічна пам'ять!**

On a different note, we are posting in this bulletin a decree from the Apostolic Penitentiary that has to do with the obtaining of plenary indulgence during the current pandemic. We are likewise publishing an article from the Catholic News Service in the bulletin to help you understand what a plenary indulgence is. As your pastor, I am strongly recommending to all of you to seize the moment and obtain the plenary indulgence under the conditions outlined in the document during this time of the pandemic.

Just to update you on a few other parish matters:

- Please keep in mind that August 1st through 14th we as the Church observe the Dormition Fast. Therefore, those of us, who are not excused from fasting, are required to fast according to the norms of the Church.
- Let's continue to pray (daily if you can) the revised prayers from the Prayer Corner and thank you for your benevolence!
- If you can, please join this month in the powerful prayer of the Rosary that takes place at each of our churches on Sundays half an hour before the Divine Liturgy.
- Let's also continue to keep in our prayers all the sick people in our two parishes. May our Triune God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit heal all of them in no time through the intercession of His and our Most Holy Mother and all the Angels and Saints!
- Our weekly bulletins are available online at both churches' websites (www.holytrinityucc.com and www.stanneucc.com). Thank you!

Furthermore, I would like to thank those of you, who have been sending us your donations. If you still cannot come to your parish church at this time, please continue to support it by sending us your weekly donations at the address below and I thank you very much for your generous patronage of our parishes. Attention parishioners of St. Anne Church: please do not mail your donations to St. Anne Church, but to our parish office in Youngstown, writing out your checks to St. Anne Church:

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Should there be anything else that needs my or Dean's attention, please let us know at once.

May our Triune Lord: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit continue to bless you and your loved ones! May He protect each of us from all illnesses, especially the coronavirus! May He heal all the people in the world, who are infected with it! May He protect all people in the world who are on the front lines in the fight against it as well as everyone who works in public places! And may He rest in peace the souls of all people in the world, who died from the virus and any other disease, giving consolation to the families, relatives, and friends they left behind! Let us present all of these petitions to our Triune Lord through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Angels and Saints!

Blessed Sunday! Have a joyful and relaxing summer!

Слава Ісусу Христу!

With prayers in the Triune Lord & Theotokos,

Fr. Lubomyr



APOSTOLIC PENITENTIARY DECREE

The gift of Special Indulgences is granted to the faithful suffering from Covid-19 disease, commonly known as Coronavirus, as well as to health-care workers, family members and all those who in any capacity, including through prayer, care for them.

"Rejoice in your hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer" (Rom 12:12). The words written by Saint Paul to the Church of Rome resonate throughout the entire history of the Church and guide the judgment of the faithful in the face of all suffering, sickness and calamity.

The present moment in which the whole humanity, threatened by the invisible and insidious disease that has become part of our lives for some time now, is marked day after day by anguished fears, new uncertainties and, above all, by widespread physical and moral suffering.

Following the example of her Divine Master, the Church has always had the care of the sick at heart. As Saint John Paul II pointed out, the value of human suffering is twofold: "It is *supernatural* because it is rooted in the divine mystery of the Redemption of the world, and it is likewise deeply *human*, because in it, the person discovers himself, his own humanity, his own dignity, his own mission" (Apostolic Letter *Salvifici Doloris*, n. 31).

Pope Francis, too, in these recent days, has shown his paternal closeness and renewed his invitation to pray incessantly for those who are sick with the Coronavirus.

So that all those who suffer due to Covid-19, may rediscover "the same redemptive suffering of Christ" (*ibid.*, 30) in the very mystery of their suffering, this Apostolic Penitentiary, *ex auctoritate Summi Pontificis*, trusting in the word of Christ the Lord and considering with a faithful spirit the current epidemic, to be lived in a spirit of personal conversion, grants the gift of Indulgences in accord with the following disposition.

The *Plenary Indulgence* is granted to the faithful suffering from Coronavirus, who are subject to quarantine by order of the health authority in hospitals or in their own homes, if, with a spirit detached from any sin, they will join spiritually via the media in the celebration of Holy Mass, the recitation of the Holy Rosary, the pious practice of the *Via Crucis* or other forms of devotion, or if they will at least recite the Creed, the Lord's Prayer and a pious invocation to the Blessed Virgin Mary, offering this trial in a spirit of faith in God and charity towards their brothers and sisters, with the willingness to fulfil the usual conditions (sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer according to the Holy Father's intentions), as soon as possible.

Health-care workers, family members and all those who, following the example of the Good Samaritan, expose themselves to the risk of contagion to care for the sick of Coronavirus according to the words of the divine Redeemer: "Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends". (Jn 15:13), will obtain the same gift of the *Plenary Indulgence* under the same conditions.

Moreover, this Apostolic Penitentiary willingly grants a *Plenary Indulgence* under the same conditions on the occasion of the current world epidemic, also to the faithful who offer a visit to the Blessed Sacrament, or Eucharistic Adoration, or the reading of the Holy Scriptures for at least half an hour, or the recitation of the Holy Rosary, or the pious exercise of the Way of the Cross, or the recitation of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, to implore from Almighty God the end of the epidemic, relief to those who are afflicted and eternal salvation to those the Lord has called to Himself.

The Church prays for those who are unable to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and of the *Viaticum*, entrusting each and every one to Divine Mercy by virtue of the communion of saints and granting the faithful a *Plenary Indulgence* on the point of death, provided that they are duly disposed and have recited a few prayers during their lifetime (in this case the Church makes up for the three usual conditions required). For the attainment of this indulgence the use of the Crucifix or the cross is recommended (cf. *Enchiridion indulgentiarum*, n. 12).

May the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God and of the Church, Health of the Sick and Help of Christians, our Advocate, help suffering humanity, save us from the evil of this pandemic and obtain for us every good necessary for our salvation and sanctification.

The present Decree is valid notwithstanding any provision to the contrary.

Given in Rome, from the seat of the Apostolic Penitentiary, on 19 March 2020.

Cardinal Mauro Piacenza
Major Penitentiary

Krzysztof Nykiel
Regent



What is a plenary indulgence?

By Carol Glatz

Catholic News Service (www.catholicnews.com)

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VATICAN CITY (CNS) -- Pope Francis said he will grant a plenary indulgence to the faithful who watch or listen to his extraordinary blessing "urbi et orbi" (to the city and the world) at 6 p.m. Rome time March 27.

Special indulgences have also been granted to those suffering from COVID-19, their caregivers, friends and family and those who help them with their prayers.

But what is this ancient practice of offering indulgences through prayer and penance and what is needed to receive them?

An indulgence is not a quick ticket to heaven, as St. John Paul II once said; rather, it is an aid for the real conversion that leads to eternal happiness.

Sins are forgiven through the sacrament of penance, but then there is a kind of punishment still due the sinner, the late pope explained during a general audience in 1999.

God's fatherly love "does not exclude chastisement, even though this always should be understood in the context of a merciful justice which reestablishes the order violated," he said.

The pope had said the "temporal" punishment that remains after forgiveness is a grace aimed at wiping away the "residues of sin," offering the reformed sinner the chance of complete healing through "a journey of purification" that can take place in this life or in purgatory.

By God's grace, participation in a prayer or action that has an indulgence attached to it brings about the necessary restoration and reparation without the suffering that would normally accompany it. It frees a person from the punishment their sinfulness warrants as it is a remission of the temporal punishment a person is due for sins that have been forgiven.

The granting of an indulgence by the church is "the expression of the church's full confidence of being heard by the Father when, in view of Christ's merits and, by his gift, those of Our Lady and the saints, she asks him to mitigate or cancel the painful aspect of punishment by fostering its medicinal aspect through other channels of grace," the late pope said.

An indulgence, then, is the result of the abundance of God's mercy, which he offers to humanity through Jesus Christ and through the church, he said.

But this gift cannot be received automatically or simply by fulfilling a few exterior requirements nor can it be approached with a superficial attitude, St. John Paul said.

The reception of an indulgence depends on "our turning away from sin and our conversion to God," he said.

That is why there are several conditions for receiving an indulgence:

- A spirit detached from sin.
- Sacramental confession as soon as possible.
- Eucharistic communion as soon as possible.
- Prayer for the Holy Father's intentions.
- Being united spiritually through the media to the pope's special prayer and blessing on March 27.

Those who are sick and their caregivers can also unite themselves spiritually whenever possible through the media to the celebration of Mass or the recitation of the rosary or the Stations of the Cross or other forms of devotion, according to Cardinal Mauro Piacenza, head of the Apostolic Penitentiary, a Vatican court that deals with matters of conscience and with indulgences.

If this is not possible, "they are asked to recite the Creed, the Lord's Prayer and an invocation to Mary," he told Vatican News March 21.

"All others -- those who offer prayers for the souls of the dead, those who suffer and plead for an end to the pandemic -- are asked, where possible, to visit the Blessed Sacrament or to participate in eucharistic adoration. Alternatively, (they can) read the Holy Scriptures for at least half an hour or recite the rosary or the Way of the Cross," he said.

The faithful can claim the indulgence for themselves or offer it on behalf of someone who has died.

Prayer Corner

+ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we adore You, we praise You, we worship You, and we love You! We thank You for Your gift of life to us! We thank You for the overabundance of blessings that You bestow on us every day! We thank You for the gift of salvation that we received from You! We humbly ask You to help us to love You wholeheartedly and to love our neighbors as we love ourselves. We ask You to continue to bless us and to help us to be Your authentic adopted children. We ask You to have mercy on us, to cleanse us of our sins, and to fill our hearts with Your life-giving grace. In Your immense kindness, please heed these petitions that we present to You:

- for the end of all abortions in the world, for all the aborted babies, for the healing of those who committed or assisted with abortions, for the conversion of all who are planning to commit abortions as well as for all the unborn babies in the world and their parents, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of the child slavery, child abuse, domestic abuse, prostitution, and human trafficking in the world, for all the victims both living and deceased as well as for the conversion of all who perpetrate these grave and heinous sins, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion to the true faith of all people in the world, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion of all people in the world who wish and contemplate evil onto others, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the consolation of all persecuted Christians in the world, especially the ones in Asia, Middle East, and Africa and for the conversion of hearts and minds of those, who persecute them, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of all wars, conflicts, and violence in the world, especially for the establishment of the authentic and lasting peace as well as for the just and honest November presidential elections here in the United States, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of the current conflict in Ukraine, for all who died during it, for the loved ones they left behind as well as for the enlightenment and conversion of the hearts and minds of Ukraine's aggressors, so that a sincere and truthful dialogue may lead to an authentic and lasting peace and reconciliation, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all the refugees, poor, hungry, orphans, half-orphans, and homeless throughout the world, especially children, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all prisoners in the world, especially the ones on death row, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the liberation of all people in the world who are addicted to drugs, alcohol, smoking, and pornography, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion of all people in the world, who have difficulty telling the truth and acting truthfully, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all people in the world, who are hopeless as well as those, who contemplate suicide, that their hearts may be filled with hope, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all widows and widowers in the world, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the healing of all sick people in the world, especially for the ones infected with the coronavirus, for the protection against it, for all people who are on the front lines in the fight against it, for all people who are working in public places, for the repose of the souls of all, who died from the virus as well as for the loved ones they left behind, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all unemployed people in the world and their families that they may find work soon, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all faithful of the Catholic Church, especially all members of St. Josaphat Eparchy, as well as for all our families, relatives, friends, and acquaintances, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the deliverance of all souls from the Purgatory, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!

Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we humbly ask You to grant all of these petitions in accordance with Your most holy will through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Angels and Saints and may You be praised forever and ever! Amen.

+ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Composed by Fr. Lubomyr Zhybak