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July 4, 2021

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost; Our Lady of Perpetual Help; our Holy Father Andrew the Jerusalemite, Archbishop of Crete (740); Venerable Martha, Mother of the Holy Simeon of the "Mountain of Wonders"

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Schedule of Sunday & Weekday Services

7.4.21 – 6-ша Неділя після Зіслання Святого Духа 9:30 а.т. - Вервиця і сповідь 10:00 а.т. - Служба Божа

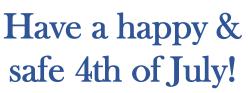
7.11.21 – 7-ша Неділя після Зіслання Святого Духа 9:30 а.т. - Вервиця і сповідь 10:00 а.т. - Служба Божа 7.4.21 – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 a.m. – Rosary & Reconciliation 10:00 a.m. – Divine Liturgy

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Sunday Collections for June 27, 2021:

Envelopes: \$485.00Loose cash & check: \$146.00Candles: \$63.00Parish Dues: \$50.00TOTAL: \$744.00Please mail your donations to: St. Josaphat, 8624 White Oak Ave, Munster IN 46321. THANK YOU!







Don't take a vacation from worshipping God!

Парафіяльні Оголошення

- 1. Ласкаво запрошуємо всіх відвідувачів загостити до нас на каву і солодке у церковному залі після Святої Літургії.
- 2. Ми закликаємо всіх наших парафіян молитися за мир у світі, особливо про закінчення війни та мир в Україні, а також щоб США зібралися разом і намагалися зрозуміти один одного.

Parish Announcements

- 1. A warm welcome to all our visitors today. We invite you to join us for coffee and rolls following our Liturgy.
- 2. We call upon all our parishioners to pray for peace in the world, especially for the end of the war and peace in Ukraine, and that all people in USA come together and try to understand each other.



A Prayer for our Ill and Suffering Parishioners Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Watch, O Lord, with those who wake, or watch, or weep tonight, and give Your angels charge over those who sleep. Tend Your sick ones, loving Lord. Rest Your weary ones. Bless Your dying ones. Soothe

Your suffering ones. Pity Your afflicted ones. Shield Your joyous ones. Give strength and vigilant awareness for all Your care givers through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer list of the sick or aged parishioners & friends of the parish

Georgia Sosnowski, Stephanie Babij, Myroslava Iwachiw, Finbarr Jones, Olga Wasylowsky, Teodozia Shyika Lucyk, Natalie Shuya, Rose Adamko, Irene Karpinec, Nadia Kusznir, Oksana Nosyk, John and Natalie Lackhouse, Richard Case, and young Samuel Rocha. Remember also all those who have suffered due to Covid 19 – the ill and deceased, healthcare workers and those who lost jobs or income.

If you know of someone who should be on this list, please let me know the name of the individual. Our intercessory prayer for the sick and aged is truly helpful and comforting.

Father Volodymyr would like to visit our sick and elderly parishioners, especially those who cannot be with us for liturgies. Please call him at 773-979-4737 to let him know who would like a visit. О. Володимир бажає відвідати хворих та старших парафіян, які не можуть приходити до церкви. Просимо повідомити його за номером 773-979-4737.



Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Oh Mother of Perpetual Help, grant that I may ever invoke your powerful name, the protection of the living and the salvation of the dying. Purest Mary, let your name henceforth be ever on my lips. Delay not, Blessed Lady, to rescue me whenever I call on you. In my temptations, in my needs, I will never cease to call on you, ever repeating your sacred name, Mary, Mary. What a consolation, what sweetness, what confidence fills my soul when I utter your sacred name or even only think of you! I thank the Lord for having given you so sweet, so powerful, so lovely a name. But I will not be content with merely uttering your name. Let my love for you prompt me ever to hail you Mother of Perpetual Help. Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for me and grant me the favor I confidently ask of you. (Then say three Hail Marys).

First placed in the Church of San Matteo in Rome in 1499, the icon was thought to be lost at one point after Napoleon's armies sacked that church in 1798. Fortunately, it was in the care of the Augustinian fathers until Pope Pius IX ordered that the icon be given to the Redemptorist order at the Church of St. Alphonsus in Rome in 1866 for public viewing once again. Since then it has been copied and venerated in churches and homes all over the world. In the icon see how Jesus, while safely cradled in his mother's arms, looks anxiously at St. Gabriel the Archangel, who holds the cross and nails for His Crucifixion. St. Michael the Archangel, at left, holds the lance, spear, and the vessel of vinegar and gall for our Lord's Passion as well. The Blessed Mother looks at us solemnly, perhaps as if in contemplation of her beloved Son's future Passion and death for our salvation! Remember that when we pray this novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help, we are not choosing to worship her over her Divine Son. She is "our Mother on the order of grace," according to a Vatican II document, and all the graces Mary gives us come directly from our Lord. She is always ready to intercede with Him on our behalf, but never for anything contrary to His wishes. As long as we approach her as we do Him, with sincerely humble and contrite hearts, we can count on her aid and guidance. Mary's last spoken words in the Gospels concerned her Son when she said at the wedding feast at Cana "Do whatever he tells You" (John 2:5). If we persevere in our intentions to do Christ's will for us, we are doing hers as well.

They Marveled and Glorified God

Do you see how He is shown to be Creator of both souls and bodies? He heals the paralysis in both soul and body. The healing of the soul is made evident through the healing of the body, even while the body still remains a creature crawling on the ground. The crowds were slow to recognize who He was: "When the crowds saw it, they were afraid, and they glorified God, who had given such authority to humans." ... He proceeded by His daily actions to arouse them and lift up their thinking. It would have been no small thing for Him to be thought greater than all others, as having come from God. If they had established this adequately in their own minds, they would have known in due order that He was indeed the Son of God.

But they did not grasp these things clearly. Because of this they did not come close to recognizing who He was. For again they were saying, "This man is not from God! How can this man be from God?" Their minds churned over these statements continuously. Which thing many now also do; and thinking to avenge God, fulfill their own passions, when they ought to go about all with moderation. For even the God of all, having power to launch His thunderbolt against them that blaspheme Him, makes the sun to rise, and sends forth the showers, and affords them all other things in abundance; whom we ought to imitate, and so to entreat, advise, admonish, with meekness, not angry, not making ourselves wild beasts.

St. John Chrysostom

