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November 27, 2022

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost. The Holy Martyr James of Persia (422); Our Venerable Father Palladius.

Tone 8

Schedule of Sunday Services

<u>11.27.22 – 25-ша Неділя після</u> <u>Зіслання Святого Духа</u> 9:30 а.т. - Вервиця і сповідь 10:00 а.т. - Служба Божа

12.4.22 – 26-ша Неділя після

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь

Зіслання Святого Духа

10:00 a.m. - Служба Божа

<u>11.27.22 - Twenty-Fifth Sunday</u> <u>after Pentecost</u> 9:30 a.m. – Rosary and Reconciliation 10:00 a.m. – Divine Liturgy

12.4.22 - Twenty-Sixth Sunday

after Pentecost 9:30 a.m. – Rosary and Reconciliation

10:00 a.m. – Divine Liturgy

Sunday Collections for November 20, 2022:

Envelopes: \$285.00 Entrance into the Temple of the BVM: \$10.00

Candles: \$87.00 L

Loose Cash: \$143.00

TOTAL: \$525.00 Aid to Ukraine: \$79.00

Please mail your donations to: St. Josaphat, 8624 White Oak Ave, Munster IN 46321. THANK YOU!

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

George Wasyliw, Lola Woloch, Nadia Kusznir, Charlotte Scheuer, John Lackhouse, Georgia Sosnowski, Olga Wasylowsky, Stephanie Babij, Myroslava Iwachiw, Irene Karpinec, Teodozia Shyika Lucyk, Howard Vaughn, and young Samuel Rocha. Remember those who have suffered due to Covid 19. Please pray

for those who have been killed, injured or displaced due to war in Ukraine. 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.

Lord, heal my friends from their sickness. There is no earthly disease, sickness, or disaster that is too big for You and Your healing, Lord. You are the Great Healer, and I have total faith that You can help relieve them of this. Thank You, Jesus, for Your mighty protection. Amen.

Prepare for the coming of the Christ Child!

ПАРАФІЯЛЬНІ ОГОЛОШЕННЯ

- 1. Святковий обід та програма до дня святого Миколая відбудеться в неділю 11-го грудня після Служби Божої.
- 2. Запрошуємо долучатись усіх бажаючих для приготування вареників. Просимо приходити у четвер вранці для підготовки продуктів і у п'ятницю для ліплення.
- 3. Щир Ласкаво запрошуємо всіх відвідувачів загостити до нас на каву, канапки і солодке у церковному залі після Святої Літургії.
- 4. Ми закликаємо всіх наших парафіян молитися за мир у світі, особливо про закінчення війни та мир в Україні.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. St. Nicholas potluck dinner and party will be Sunday, December 11, 2022 following Divine Liturgy.
- 2. We need additional volunteers for our pyrohy ministry, especially in the food preparation area (Thursday morning) and in the cooking area (Friday).
- 3. A warm welcome to all our visitors today. We invite you to join us for coffee, sandwiches and sweets following our Liturgy.
- 4. Please pray for peace in the world, especially for the end of the war and peace in Ukraine.

PLEASE DONATE TO SHARE 2022

Просимо вас розглянути можливість підтримки **Share 2022.** Свої внески Ви можете надсилати на адресу Спархії, кинути їх у кошики для пожертв протягом найближчих тижнів заклику або зробити онлайн пожертву на нашому веб-сайті www.chicagougcc.org (натисніть на банер Share-2022). Please consider supporting **Share 2022**. You can either mail your contributions to the Eparchy address, place it in the collection basket during the coming weeks of the appeal or make an online donation on the website <u>www.chicagougcc.org</u> (click on "**Share-2022**" banner).



Who is Holy Martyr James of Persia (422)?

The Holy Great Martyr James the Persian (the Sawn-Asunder) was born in the fourth century into a pious Christian family, both wealthy and illustrious. His wife was also a Christian, and the couple raised their children in piety, inspiring in them a love for prayer and the Holy Scriptures. James occupied a high position at the court of the Persian emperor Izdegerd (399-420) and his successor Barakhranes (420-438). But on one of the military campaigns James, seduced by the emperor's beneficence, was afraid to acknowledge himself a Christian, and so he offered sacrifice to idols with the emperor. Learning of this, James' mother and wife wrote him a letter, in which they rebuked him and urged him to repent. Receiving the letter, James realized the gravity of his sin. Faced with the horror of being cut off not only

from his family, but also from God Himself, he began to weep loudly, imploring the Lord for forgiveness. His fellow-soldiers, hearing him pray to the Lord Jesus Christ, reported this to the emperor. Under interrogation, Saint James bravely confessed his faith in the one True God. No amount of urging by the emperor could make him renounce Christ. The emperor then ordered the saint to be put to death. They began to cut off his fingers and his toes one by one, then his hands and his feet, and then his arms and legs. During the prolonged torture Saint James offered prayers of thanksgiving to the Lord, Who had granted him the possibility of redemption from his sins by enduring these terrible torments. Finally, the martyr was beheaded.

Christians gathered up the pieces of his body and buried them with great reverence.



As holidays come near, remember those who have less. We will be collecting food items to be given to the local food pantry. Please show your thanks to God for what you have by sharing generously with others.

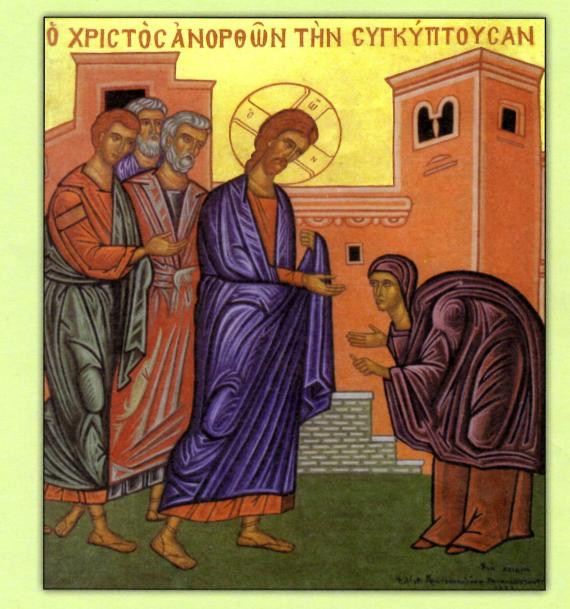
Healing of the Disabled Woman

Moreover, in this infirm woman, it is like the figure of the Church which presents itself: when it has fulfilled the measure of the Law and of the resurrection, in this endless rest, raised to the summit of greatness, she will no longer be able to experience the curvature of our infirmity. And this woman could be healed only by means of the Law and grace: the Law by its precepts, in baptism the grace by which, dead to the world, we are resurrected for Christ; for in the ten words is the completion of the Law, in the number eight the fullness of the resurrection. So this work of a Sabbath signifies what will happen: whoever has fulfilled the Law and grace will be rid of the miseries of this crippled body through the mercy of Christ. This is why sanctification was first given in the figure by Moses, because the practice of future sanctification and spiritual

observance was to abstain from works of the century. Even God rested from the works of the world: not of (all) works, since his activity is perpetual and continual, as the Son says: "My Father is still working now, and I too are acting" (Jn, V, 17), so that the example of God will cease for us the works of the world, not those of religion. It is for lack of understanding that the head of the Synagogue did not want anyone to be healed on the Sabbath, while the Sabbath is the image of future recreation? So it is not the good works, but the bad ones, which are idle? And that for this reason we are required to carry no burden, errors, and not being fasting, good works, to celebrate the sabbaths that will take place after death?

Ambrose of Milan

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of the Disabled Woman (Luke 13:10-17)