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July 9, 2023

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost. Holy Priest-Martyr Pancratius, Bishop of Tauromenia.

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Schedule of Sunday Services

7.9.23 – 6-ша Неділя після Зіслання Святого Духа

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь
10:00 a.m. - Служба Божа

7.16.23 – Пам'ять Свв. Отців шести Вселенських Соборів.

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь
10:00 a.m. - Служба Божа

7.9.23 - Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m. – Rosary and Reconciliation
10:00 a.m. – Divine Liturgy

7.16.23 - Commemoration of the First Six Ecumenical Councils.

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10:00 a.m. – Divine Liturgy

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



Stephanie Babij, Olga Wasyłowsky, Charlotte Scheuer, Lola Woloch, Nadia Kuszniir, Teodozia Shyika Lucyk, John Lackhouse, Georgia Sosnowski, Myroslava Iwachiw, Irene Karpinec, Howard Vaughn, and young Samuel Rocha. Remember those who have suffered or died 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.

Парафіяльні Оголошення

1. Ласкаво запрошуємо всіх відвідувачів загостити до нас на каву, канапки 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, sandwiches and sweets 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.

Sunday Collections for Sunday, July 2, 2023:

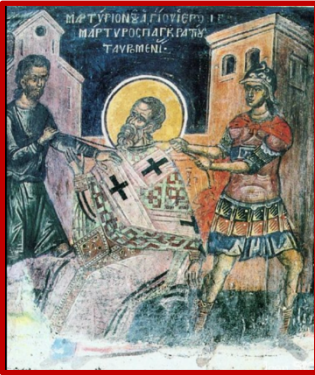
Envelopes: \$250.00	Loose Cash and Check: \$260.00	Parish Dues: \$25.00
Candles: \$71.00	Priest In Need: \$20.00	TOTAL: \$626.00

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

Don't take a vacation from worshipping God!

Who is Holy Priest-Martyr Pancratius, Bishop of Tauromenia in Sicily?

The Hieromartyr Pancratius, Bishop of Taormina, was born when our Lord Jesus Christ yet lived upon the earth. His parents were natives of Antioch. Hearing the good news of Jesus Christ, Pancratius' father took his young son with him and went to Jerusalem in order to see the great Teacher for himself. The miracles astonished him, and when he heard the divine teaching, he then believed in Christ as the Son of God. He became close with the disciples of the Lord, especially with the holy Apostle Peter. It was during this period that young Pancratius got to know the holy Apostle Peter. After the Ascension of the Savior, one of the Apostles came to Antioch and baptized the parents of Pancratius together with all their household. When the parents of Pancratius died, he left behind his inherited possessions and went to Pontus and began to live in a cave, spending his days in prayer and deep spiritual contemplation. The holy Apostle Peter, while passing through those parts, visited Pancratius at Pontus. He took him along to Antioch, and then to Sicily, where the holy Apostle Paul then was. There the holy Apostles Peter and Paul made Saint Pancratius Bishop of Taormina in Sicily. Saint Pancratius toiled zealously for the Christian enlightenment of the people. In a single month he built a church where he celebrated divine services. The number of believers quickly grew, and soon almost all the people of Taormina and the surrounding cities accepted the Christian Faith. St. Pancratius governed his flock peacefully for many years. However, pagans plotted against the saint, and seizing an appropriate moment, they fell upon him and stoned him. Thus, Saint Pancratius ended his life as a martyr. The saint's relics are in the church named for him in Rome.



Rise and Walk

It is easier said than done. Whether the sins of the paralytic were forgiven, only He who forgave them knew for sure. "Arise and walk." Both he who arose and those who saw him arise were able to vouch for this. Hence there is a bodily sign in order to demonstrate a spiritual sign, though its impact is to curb the imperfections of body and soul. And we are given an understanding of sin and many bodily weaknesses to come. Perhaps, too, sins are forgiven first, so that with the causes of infirmity removed health may be restored.

St. Jerome

Furthermore, so it could be understood that He was in a body and that He could forgive sins and restore health to bodies, Jesus said, "That you may know that the Son of

Man has power on earth to forgive sins," then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your pallet." He could have simply said "Arise," but since the reason for doing every work had to be explained, He added, "Take up your pallet and go home." First He granted remission of sins; next He showed His ability to restore health. Then, with the taking up of the pallet, He made it clear that bodies would be free from infirmity and suffering; lastly, with the paralytic's return to his home, He showed that believers are being given back the way to paradise from which Adam, the parent of all, who became profligate from the stain of sin, had proceeded.

St. Hilary of Poitiers

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SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Christ Healing the Paralytic