

July 7, 2019
Third Sunday After Pentecost

Romans 13: 11-14: 4
Luke 1:1-25, 57-68, 76,80

Sun, July 7, 9:00 am. - Divine Liturgy, Hours at 8:45
Sun, July 14, 10:00 am. - Divine Liturgy, Liturgy at Hibernia Park and family picnic
Sun, July 21, 9:00 am. - Divine Liturgy, Hours at 8:45
Sun, July 28, 9:00 am. - Divine Liturgy, Hours at 8:45

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| <p><u>Reader Schedule:</u> Sun. July 7 - Cynthia Neff Sun. July 14 - Kurtus Lauser Sun. July 21 - Wesley Hatch Sun. July 28 - Greg Kuzmenchuk</p> |
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Nativity of St. John the Baptist:

He that was greater than all who are born of women, the prophet who received God's testimony that he surpassed all the prophets, was born of the aged and barren Elizabeth, and filled all his kinsmen with gladness and wonder.

But even more wondrous was that which followed on the eighth day when he was circumcised, the day when a male child receives his name. Those present called him Zacharias, the name of his father. But the mother said, "No; he shall be called John." This name is a variation of the Hebrew "Johanan" which means "Yahweh is gracious."

Since the child's father was unable to speak, he was asked by means of a sign to indicate the child's name. He asked for a tablet and wrote, "His name is John." And immediately Zacharias' mouth was opened, his tongue was loosed from its silence of nine months, and filled with the Holy Spirit.

Zacharias blessed the God of Israel, who had fulfilled the promises made to their fathers. He visited them that were sitting in darkness and the shadow of death, and sent them the light of salvation. Zacharias prophesied concerning the child also, saying that he would be a prophet of the most high, and forerunner of Jesus Christ.

The child John, who was filled with grace, grew and became strong in the spirit. And he was in the wilderness until the day of his showing to Israel.

Birthdays:

July 9 - Wesley Hatch, Greg Kuzmenchuk

Upcoming Events:

July 11, Thur, 6:30 PM - Tea party planning meeting at the Steele's house, 411 Barley Sheaf Rd. Anyone interested in this year's event is welcome.

July 14, Sun. - Family Picnic following liturgy in Hibernia Park, Pavilions 5 & 6. Take the north Park Road entrance across from 789 Cedar Knoll Rd. Please sign up on the sheet in the church hall or contact Janet Flocco with the covered dish you are bringing. The day of the picnic we also need people to help setup and cleanup, to load trucks at the church at 8:30 am and to bring coolers for safe food storage.

July 17, Wed, 10 AM - Noon - 1st Sisterhood kitchen clean-out session.

July 19, Fri. - Nut roll prep 6:30 pm.

July 20, Sat - Nut roll baking, 8:00 am

July 21, Sun: Sisterhood Mtg. after Liturgy

July 23, Tues, 7:00 PM - Executive Board Mtg

Students Graduating

We will be honoring those graduating from kindergarten, 5th grade, 8th grade, high school, and college on Graduation Sunday July 14. Give Tabitha Bentley the name of anyone celebrating one of these milestones.

Bulletin Additions

For bulletin additions please contact Wesley Hatch by Friday 9 pm.

Prayer Corner:

For the Health of: Fr. Nick Dilendorf, Erin Bove, Salwa, Richard Ziegler, Bill Brown

Anniversaries:

None this week

Notices:

Pastoral Announcement

Our new priest, Fr. Mykola (Nicholas) Dilendorf will start in August. Fr. Anthony Ugolnik will serve our parish until then.

Priest Update

Fr. Nick Dilendorf underwent back surgery in Chicago on July 2. Everything went well. He is resting and expecting a 4 week recovery.

St. Anastasia Sisterhood needs HELP

All church members, we are asking if you could spare 2 hours 1 day a week to help clean out the church kitchen. First work day is Thursday July 11. The more hands the lighter the load. Call Illaria 610-383-4478 or show-up.

Bookstore

The bookstore in our church hall will be closed for a few weeks while Cynthia Neff gets everything inventoried and reorganized.

Notice

Tabitha is at All Saints Camp until the end of July, for any immediate church business contact Greg Kuzmenchuk.

Ukrainian foods for sale

Pierogies potato & cheese- \$6
Cherry or Apple Pierogies - \$5
Nut Rolls - \$12, Kielbasi -\$7

July Charity

SPCA - West Chester branch