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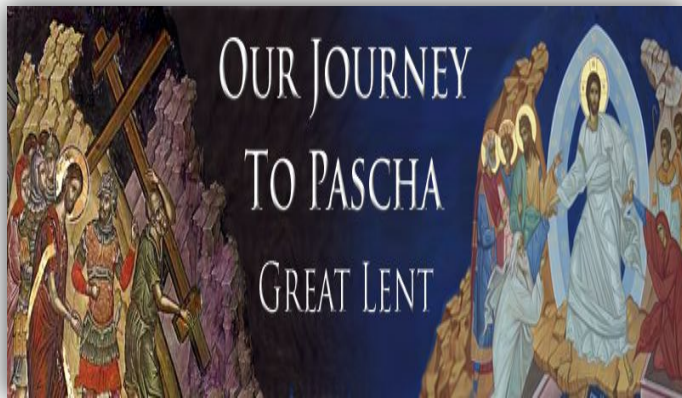
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SUNDAY APRIL 17, 2016



5th Sunday of the Great Lent

Saint Mary of Egypt

Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14

Gospel: Mark 10:32-45

Tone: 5

Liturgical Color: PURPLE

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WEEKLY SERVICE SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 17, 2016

9:30am Liturgy of St. Basil the Great
Coffee Social

4:00pm Deanery Lenten Mission Vespers

Wednesday, April 20, 2016

6:00pm Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts
Deanery Lenten Mission @ St. Michael's Church
Binghamton

Friday, April 22, 2016

5:00pm Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts

Saturday, April 23, 2016

9:00am Divine Liturgy Lazarus Saturday
His Grace, Bishop Gregory presiding
Coffee Social with Bishop Gregory

***1:15pm Blessing of Ground for Saint Mary's 'new' home @
61 Canada Road Painted Post***

4:00pm Great Vespers/Litya Palm Sunday followed by
Supper in hall with presentation of flowers to
Bishop Gregory by children of parish

Sunday, April 24, 2016

9:30am Divine Liturgy Palm Sunday
Blessing of Palms

ARCHPASTORAL VISIT

And

GROUND BLESSING

Saturday, April 23, 2016



It is with great joy that we welcome His Grace, Bishop Gregory of Nyssa, to our parish next weekend.

We will begin with Lazarus Saturday Divine Liturgy at 9:00am and then a meet and greet coffee social, after which we will proceed to Canada Road for the ground blessing for our new home.

"According to the grace of God, which was given to me, as a wise master builder, I have laid the foundation; and another builds on it. But let each one take heed how he builds on it. For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ."

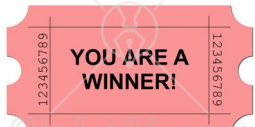
It would be nice to see as many of you as possible to welcome Bishop Gregory to our parish and for each and everyone to come and witness this historic day in the life of our parish.

It is very important to have our children present and for them to participate on this most exciting day for our parish.

SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK

Monday	April 25	5:00pm	Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
Tuesday	April 26	5:00pm	Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
Wednesday	April 27	5:00pm	Holy Unction Service with Anointing
Thursday	April 28	9:00am	Vesperal Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great
		5:00pm	Reading of the 12 Passion Gospels
Friday	April 29	9:00am	Royal Hours
		5:00pm	Burial Service with procession of Holy Shroud
Saturday	April 30	9:00am	Vesperal Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great
		7:30pm	Resurrection Matins/ Blessing of Baskets
Sunday	May 1	9:30am	Divine Liturgy ~ PASCHA ~ GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD, GOD, AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST Blessing of Baskets

BASKET RAFFLE



Information concerning the Basket Raffle has been distributed. Please note the event will be held on May 5th at the Marconi Lodge on Pulteney Street in Corning. We are in need of door prizes. Please see Diane Rodrigues if you'd like to donate. The success of this raffle depends on how many tickets parishioners sell. We have some great baskets, as usual. Please make an effort to sell tickets to friends, co-workers and family.

RELOCATION UPDATE:

Our relocation plans are moving along quickly, and it is time to get serious about this move. The buyers of our property have received their local approvals for a pre-K school and are securing financing. Soon we will be selling this property and they will begin renovations on the hall. We will continue to use the church until the end of August.

There has been some diligent work to clean out the buildings to prepare for this transition, but much more needs to be done. In the hall you will see many large sheets of paper on the walls, with different projects on them. Each project needs a chairperson, and possibly a co-chair, to organize and complete the task. That chairperson will be responsible for recruiting help and reporting progress.

Recently we completed the purchase of 61 Canada Road and soon construction will begin. By the end of the year we should be holding services in our new facility. That means we will be in a temporary home from September until we get into our brand new home. A lot of coordination must occur between now and then, and we need everyone's help.

If you are able, please take a leading role in helping to make this change; if not be a willing volunteer to help on one or more of the projects. With everyone's help we can make this happen as seamlessly as possible.

Thank you.

April Birthdays/Anniversaries



Happy Birthday to:

April 18 Christina H

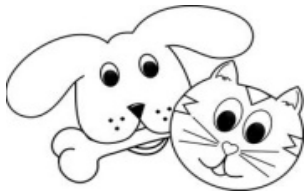
Happy Anniversary

April 18 Tom & Jean Cox

April 23 Chris & Stacy Gabel

God grant your servants Many Blessed Years!

Mnohaja L'ita!



SHOE DRIVE

to benefit

**RAINBOW OF HOPE
ANIMAL RESCUE, INC**

LAST DAY IS SUNDAY MAY 8th

Please bring to the hall your 'old' shoes and leave in the box provided.

Rainbow of Hope Animal Rescue, Inc. is a not-for-profit animal welfare organization that most assist those in the broader Schuyler, Steuben, Tompkins and Chemung County areas who cannot afford veterinary care for their animals. They also run a foster program and adoption service for unwanted dogs and cats looking for their forever homes.

Any questions please see Pani Joan

KEEP BRINGING THEM IN!

81 PAIRS COLLECTED

TO DATE!

DEANERY LENTEN SCHEDULE

April 20, 2016

6:00pm

Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts

Saint Michael's Church Binghamton, NY

CAMP NAZARETH FAMILY CAMP

JUNE 3– JUNE 5, 2016

“...AND I BY MY WORKS WILL SHOW YOU MY FAITH”

JAMES 2:18

DON'T LET ORTHODOXY BE YOUR FAMILY'S SECRET IDENTITY

*OUR FAMILY'S ORTHODOXY IS BOTH **PUBLIC** AND
PRIVATE...SOMETIMES THE FAMILY HAS TO BE LIKE
SUPERMAN AND SOMETIMES LIKE CLARK KENT*

***COME AND DEEPEN YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH YOUR
FAMILY AND HELP ONE ANOTHER GROW IN CHRIST!***

*VISIT CAMPNAZARETH.ORG,
EMAIL CAMP_NAZARETH@ACROD.ORG
OR CALL THE CAMP @ 724-662-4840
FOR REGISTRATION*

***O LORD AND MASTER OF MY LIFE, TAKE FROM ME THE SPIRIT
OF LAZINESS, MEDDLING, AMBITION AND VAIN TALK.***

***BUT GIVE ME A SPIRIT OF PRUDENCE, HUMILITY,
PATIENCE AND LOVE.***

***YES LORD AND KING GRANT ME TO SEE MY OWN SINS AND
FAULTS AND NOT JUDGE MY BROTHER.***

FOR YOU ARE BLESSED FOREVER AND EVER. AMEN!



CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

Month of APRIL NANCY COONS

Month of May NANCY GABEL

SPRING CARD SALE - Starting April 3!



Dozens of styles to choose from of Orthodox Iconography and beautiful Russian folk art greeting cards for Pascha, Mother's Day, weddings, baptisms, get well and blank. For sale at only **\$1.50 each**; more than 50% off their retail price and no shipping costs.

See Helen Revelas in the church hall after Divine Liturgy to purchase

Brought to you by the Ladies Altar Society

FAMILY DAY RAFFLE

JUNE 5, 2016

Tickets are here!

Try your luck and you may be the lucky winner of \$10,000.00!

Tickets are only \$20 each

See Pani Joan during coffee social and get your ticket today!



CAMP NAZARETH

ANNUAL FAMILY DAY

SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2016

10:00am—DIVINE LITURGY

LUNCH/PICNIC FOLLOWING LITURGY

MENU

PRIME RIB SANDWICH, BARBEQUE CHICKEN, POTATO SALAD, PASTA SALAD, TOSSED SALAD, CHIPS/DIP, HOMEMADE DESSERTS, DRINKS

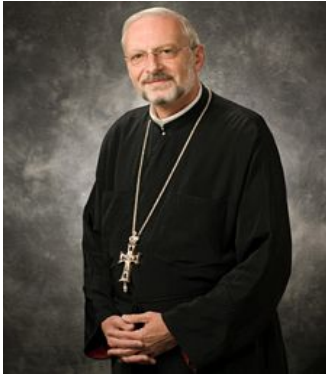
VEGETARIAN OPTION:
VEGETABLE PRIMAVERA

ADULTS: \$10.00

CHILDREN UNDER 13: \$6.00

CHILDREN UNDER 5: FREE

**FAMILY PRICE: \$30.00 (INCLUDES
2 PARENTS & ALL CHILDREN
UNDER \$13)**



The Fifth Sunday of Lent and the two show offs:

In the 10th Chapter of St. Mark's Gospel, on this 5th Sunday of Lent, we see how two brothers came to the Lord looking for special places of honor for themselves. Jesus and the apostles were on their way to Jerusalem when James and John actually asked Jesus if they could sit at His right hand and at His left hand in the new kingdom of heaven. Would you say this was a pretty bold show of pride? Yes, so bold, that I can picture that line of men just coming to a dead stop for a teaching moment with the Lord.

Mind you, after three years of listening to Jesus' preaching, James and John missed the big picture! These two brothers were hand-picked as part of the band of the 12 apostles. But in St. Mark's 5th Sunday of Lent Gospel, here they are three years later-no more promising than they were on day one!

What a disappointment they must have been to Jesus. They were still not changed much, still too worldly, still resisting the message of the cross, still full of pride. If all that was not bad enough, now they were looking for the best seats on either side of the Lord when He would come into His kingdom!

Jesus put those two show offs in their place. Actually, it was a radical answer he gave to their question, one that James and John had not heard before and were not expecting. This is what Jesus said: "Whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant, and whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all" (Mark 10:43-44).

Now think about it. Exactly what kind of a Christian does that make you?

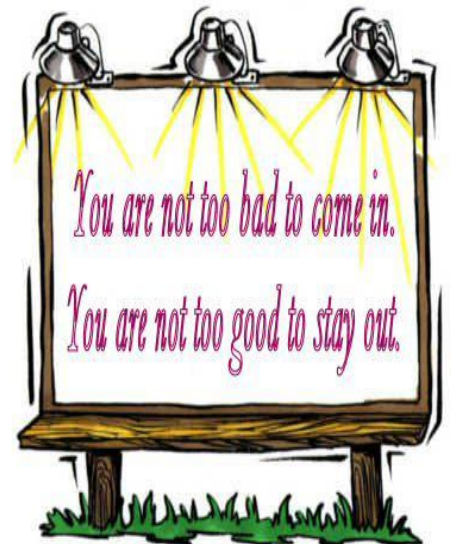
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2016 SUMMER CAMP

Week #1 July 17 ~ July 23, 2016 Pittsburgh, Mid-Atlantic, Tri-State and Washington Deaneries

Week #2 July 24 ~ July 30, 2016 New England, NY, NJ, Florida, and Canada Deaneries

Week #3 July 31 ~ Aug 6, 2016
Johnstown, Pocono, Southern Tier, Youngstown, and Chicago

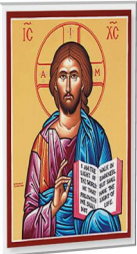


FROM FATHER'S DESK....

- If you would like to meet with Father, please call him @607-962-5285 to arrange a time and place which is convenient for you.
- **Emergency Sick Calls:** Father is available for emergencies at any time. Please call him @ 607-962-5285 or on his cell phone @ 607-377-0587.
- **Our Mailing Address is:**
7 Chatfield Place East Painted Post, NY 14870
- **Confessions** are heard after Vespers on Saturday, after any weekday or Lenten service or by calling Father for an appointment.
- **Marriages** are solemnized on Saturdays. Consult Father at least six months in advance and before plans have been made for the wedding reception. Marriages cannot be celebrated during the fasting seasons of the Church.
- **Baptisms** are normally scheduled on Saturdays or Sundays. Consult Father for scheduling. Two God-parents are required, at least one of whom must be Orthodox by faith and the other a practicing Christian.
- **Church Funerals** are provided for practicing Orthodox Christians who are current in their Spiritual and Financial obligations to the parish otherwise burial is from the funeral home.
- If you would like to schedule a Panachida for your loved one please call Father at 962-5285



The Church does not permit cremation.



PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

His Grace, Bishop GREGORY; Protopresbyter Frank Miloro;
Protopresbyter John Duranko; Protopresbyter Jim Dutko; Protopresbyter Luke Mihaly; Protopresbyter Lawrence Barriger; Protopresbyter Kenneth Bachofsky
Protopresbyter Elias Kozar; V. Rev. Thomas Kadlek; V. Rev. Michael Kleban;
V. Rev. Jason Kappanadze; Deacon Charles Ellis; Deacon Donald Koch; Mother
Ralphaela; Pani Joan; Pani Kathleen Dutko; Pani Patricia Duranko; Mat. Anna Kozar; Pani Helen Shutack; Pani-Matka Julia Romanchak; Sally Ellis; Judy Koch; Michael & Jacqueline Banik; Helen Verno; Eleanor Adzima; Amelia Falcon; Stan Lewek; Julio & Judith Falcon; Michael & Delores Kundrat; Mary Kolson; Lyudmyla Hayova; Kathy Preston; Helen Coons; Anna Soroparu;
Marge Morse; Victoria Kozey; Child Zachary Spaulding; Child Michael Cicvak; Mary Benyo; Joan Shaw; Nancy Bleznuck; Karen Fuller; Mertus Family; Anna Chudanic; Paul Rodrigues;
Denise Topichak; Rebecca Cooper; George Officer; Linda Benza; Carol Pierson;
Baby Madeline; Helen Chernak; Michael Matzkevich; Karen Kluchonic; Marlene Wheet;
Michael Herrlich; William Paslawsky; Kathleen Petrochko; Isaac & Nadia Murad Family;
Marie Kuchta & Family; Mae Mary Shonak; Vickie Parker; Sandy Pujari-Harrian

All members of our Armed Forces serving our country at home and abroad