



Our Lady of Perpetual Help

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Liturgical Schedule for the Week of July 2, 2017

Saturday, July 1 ~ Vigil of 4th Sunday After Pentecost

5:30 PM +Evelyn Stroh by Alex & Mary Moran

Sunday, July 2 ~ 4th Sunday After Pentecost

9:00 AM For the Parish Family of OLPH

Festal Anointing in Celebration of the Feast of Saints Peter & Paul will follow both weekend Divine Liturgies.

Wednesday, July 5 ~ Athanasius of Mount Athos

7:00 PM +Edward Kravcak by Stephen Macinsky

Saturday, July 8 ~ Vigil of 5th Sunday After Pentecost

5:30 PM For the Parish Family of OLPH

Sunday, July 9 ~ 5th Sunday After Pentecost

9:00 AM +Anna & +John Nazarey

by Betty Dubinsky
with Baptism of Adrianna Lynn Fisher

Coffee Social



**NEXT COFFEE SOCIAL
July 16 - After 9:00 AM
Sunday Divine Liturgy
In the Church Vestibule**

NEXT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

July 23 – Following the 9:00 Divine Liturgy
All Invited

Saint Nicholas Pilgrimage at Carpathian Village

The Saint Nicholas Pilgrimage will take place at the Carpathian Village / Saint Nicholas Shrine on **Sunday, July 9th, 2017** from 11:00 AM to 7 PM. Opportunities for Confession will be available along with an Anointing Service. A special procession with the miraculous Icon of Mary the Helper of Mothers is also scheduled. The Hierarchical Divine Liturgy with nine ordinations to the Minor Order of Lector will be celebrated by Bishop



Kurt at 3:00 PM. Food service will be available. Golf Club Car Service will be provided for those with difficulty walking as well as restroom facilities for those with physical disabilities. A special Children's Program will be held at 1:00 PM. The Carpathian Village is located at 802 Snow Hill Rd., Cresco, PA 18326. Note that the Hierarchical Divine Liturgy fulfills your Sunday obligation.

CONTACTING FR. ED

The quickest way to contact Fr. Ed is to call the rectory at 215-945-5122. Your call will be forward to his cell phone this is a local call.

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Offertory – June 24 & 25, 2017

	Saturday	Sunday	Total
Regular	\$511.00	\$938.00	\$1449.00
Holyday	\$42.00	\$48.00	\$90.00
Candles	0	\$36.00	\$36.00
Total	\$553.00	\$1022.00	\$1575.00
Attendance	26	57	83

2017 MARRIAGE JUBILEE CELEBRATION

The Annual Marriage Jubilee Celebration for our area will take place on Sunday, September 10 at St. Mary's in Hillsborough. The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 3:00 PM and a dinner will follow at St. Mary's Parish Center. This celebration will honor all Marriage Jubilarians beginning with their fifth wedding anniversary and every fifth anniversary thereafter. If your 5th, 10th, 15th ... 50th, 60th, etc. Wedding Anniversary falls during 2017 please fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket by July 15.



Wedding Anniversary 2017

Name _____

Address _____

We are celebrating our _____ Wedding Anniversary.
(Number of years)

We were married on: _____

We were married at: _____



Haven't Seen Someone in a While?

Give them an email or a call. It is nice to hear from a friend from church. Let them know that you miss seeing them and hope that everything is okay. Ask them if they would like a visit from Fr. Ed – and let him know.

FR. MYRON UPDATE

Fr. Myron's surgery was successful and he is recovering well. Keep him in your prayers as he goes through his therapy. He thanks everyone for the cards and prayers.

**Candles Burning During the Month of July
SANCTUARY**

In Memory of Eddie Kravcak, my friend
By Robert P. Donatelli

TETRAPOD

In Memory of the Kravcak & Adams Families
By Barbara Kravcak

ALTAR OF PREPARATION

Memory of Lorena Potzgo, wife & mother
By George & Roberta Potzgo

ALTAR OF BLESSING

In Memory of the Kopcho, Wislowsky,
& Wendel Families
By Nadia Kopcho



Prayer for Religious Liberty

GOD OUR CREATOR

from Your provident hand we have received our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. You have called us as Your people and given us the right and the duty to worship You, the only true God, and Your Son, Jesus Christ. Through the power and working of Your Holy Spirit, You call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society.

We ask You to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of Your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith. Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all Your sons and daughters gathered in Your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger overcome for the sake of our children, our grandchildren, and all who come after us this great land will always be "one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all." For You are good, O our God, and You love mankind, and we give glory to You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and always and forever and ever. Amen.



**HAVE YOU BEEN
OR ARE YOU
GOING ON
VACATION?**

Please remember that your parish of OLPH continues to need to meet its financial obligations all year long, even during the summer. So when away from home or when on vacation please mail or drop off your envelopes. Remember God NEVER takes a vacation from loving and caring for us and our bills **never** take a vacation!



THANK YOU!

To everyone who helped to make the parish picnic such a success! The food was wonderful, the weather beautiful and the company fantastic. The Akathist, celebrated outside at our cleaned up and repaired shrine, was prayerful and we know that Our Lady of Perpetual Help heard our payers!

**Prayer
to**

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, you have been blessed and favored by God. You became not only the Mother of the Redeemer, but the Mother of the redeemed as well. We come to you today as you loving children. Watch over us and take care of us. As you held the child Jesus in your loving arms, so take us in your arms. Be a mother ready at every moment to help us. For God who is mighty has done great things for you, and his mercy is from age to age on those who love him. Our greatest fear is that in time of temptation, we may fail to call out to you, and become lost children. Intercede for us, dear Mother, in obtaining pardon for our sins, love for Jesus, final perseverance, and the grace always to call upon you, Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Amen.

CALLING ALL

GRADUATES ... Please let us know if you are graduating or have graduated this year, from college, high school, grade school – even kindergarten. We would like to acknowledge your accomplishments and keep you in our prayers in a special way.



Drop the form in the collection basket. Thank you!

Name:

Graduating from:

(Grade, Degree and Name of School)

Pope Francis and Metropolitan William want to hear from you! The Ordinary Synod of Bishops in 2018 will discuss and reflect on the theme “Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment.” You will find a survey on the Eparchy of Passaic’s website: www.eparchyofpassaic.com. The answers you submit in this survey will be compiled by Metropolitan William who will compile a special report reflecting on the responses of the Byzantine Catholic Church in America and present it at the synod. People of all ages are encouraged to complete this survey which will give our church a voice in this upcoming synod. If you have any questions, please see Fr. Ed. Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey!

Remember Our Lady of Perpetual Help

It's not a topic we are very comfortable talking about or even thinking about. Maybe that's why over 60 percent of Americans die without a will. And yet a will is one of the deepest expressions of love and commitment we can leave behind. It is the way we let family and friends know how much we truly treasure them. It is also a way to ensure that our parish will continue to prosper after we are gone. Your bequest to OLPH is a wonderful way to thank God for the place our parish has had in your life. Please complete a will for your own sake and for your family's sake after you are gone. Please consider OLPH in your estate plans.