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MYSTERY OF HOLY CONFESSION: Before & after Saturday evening Vespers. Other Sacraments by appointment.

GOING TO THE HOSPITAL? Please notify Father when you are admitted if you want him to visit. Kindly notify Father also when you are discharged.

SUNDAY, JULY 22, 2018 DIVINE LITURGY 10:00 AM
GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST! GLORY FOREVER!
SLAVA ISUSU CHRISTU! SLAVA NA V'IKI!

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: Very Rev. Father Robert Prepelka will serve. Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Propers for Tone 7 on pp. 99-101. "Zastupnice" from the hand-out sheets.

EPISTLE: I Corinthians 1:10-18. GOSPEL: Matthew 14:14-22.

SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES

For the week of July 22:

NO WEEKDAY SERVICES
NO SATURDAY EVENING VESPERS

Sunday, July 29:

**The 9th Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday of the Fathers of the First 6 Councils**

9:30 AM: *Preparation Prayers for Holy Communion.*

10:00 AM: **Divine Liturgy** for the *Ninth Sunday after Pentecost and the Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the First Six Ecumenical Councils*. Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Tropar for Tone 8 on p. 102. Remaining Propers for the Holy Fathers as given on p. 164. **“Zastupnice”** from the hand-out sheets.

THE ETERNAL LAMP burns with prayers and best wishes for a **Happy Birthday** to **Joseph Komorowski**. Requested by *Sis*.

THE LEFT SIDE ALTAR LAMPS (Prothesis) burn with prayers and best wishes for a **Happy Birthday** to **Daniel Neuhart**. With love from *Mom, Dad & Stephen*.

THE RIGHT SIDE ALTAR LAMPS (Diakonikon) burn with prayers and best wishes for a **Happy Birthday** to **Daniel Neuhart**. Requested by *Laney, Cindi & Aunt Judy*.

THE TETRAPOD LAMPS burn with prayers for **Special Intentions**. Requested by *Theresa Reese*.

PLEASE STAY after the service **TODAY**. There will be a **COOKOUT!** All welcome!

GREETINGS IN CHRIST to **Very Rev. Father Robert Prepelka**, who has come to Barton to be with us today. Father Robert will serve the regular **Divine Liturgy**. We thank Father Robert for making the trip to our church and filling-in for Father Michael today, and we extend the warm embrace of Christian fellowship to him as he joins our parish family for divine worship this day! It's Father Robert's Birthday — **“Many Happy & Blessed Years!”**

VACATION. Father Michael & Pan'i Kelley will still be away on vacation during this week. We will be back sometime *next Saturday evening, July 28*. See you next Sunday morning for Liturgy at **10:00 AM!** Our thoughts & prayers are with all of you! Hope everyone had a blessed week and that all is well. **May the Lord watch over you and keep you under the shadow and protection of His wings!**

IF AN EMERGENCY should arise during this week while Father Michael is still away on vacation, and a priest is needed, **please call the nearest available Orthodox priest**. You can find a convenient listing of all the local Orthodox clergy in the back of the **Parishioner Directory** which is made available to all parishioners each year. If a priest is needed to conduct a Funeral, please contact our council president, **Sam Zitterich**. Fr. Michael will then be notified, and he will coordinate the arrangements between all parties concerned. If it is **absolutely necessary** to contact Fr. Michael this week, contact information has been left with council president **Sam Zitterich**. Please keep in mind that Father and Pan'i are in **Florida**, and will not be able to return until **Saturday, July 28**.

ANNUAL GRECIAN FEST will be held **July 25-28** from **11:00 AM til 9:00 PM** each day at **Saint John the Divine Greek Orthodox Church**, 2215 Chapline St. in **Wheeling, WV**. Open to the public. Everyone welcome!

PARISHIONER EMERGENCY RECOVERY COLLECTION will be taken-up **NEXT Sunday, July 29** to assist parishioners who were devastated by the torrential rains of **July 5**. Please help our parishioners who have suffered such great loss in this flood!

THE 25TH ANNUAL BARTON POLKA-FEST will be held on **Sunday, August 5, 2018** from **11 AM til 8 PM**. Music with **“John Gora & Gorale,” “Ray Jay & the Carousels,”** and **“Polka Country Musicians.”** Held rain or shine at the **Firemen's Field** at 52167 Center Street in Barton, OH. BBQ Chicken, Ribs, Homemade Polish Foods and Desserts. Raffles and Door Prizes. **Free shuttle**. Cash Bar. No B.Y.O.B. or coolers. **Admission is FREE** in observance of our 25th year. A Boot will be out for donations. Sponsored by the Barton Volunteer Fire Department. Enjoy a day of good food, good music and good friends. For more **information**, please call **740-695-3029**.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY. In conjunction with the Barton Polkafest, our parish will have a tent at the Firemen's Field, featuring various Slovak items, as well as information about our church. Around 1:30 PM, Father Michael will bless the food and the various Fire Department vehicles. We will also sing "Many Years" to the men and women of the Barton Volunteer Fire Department for all the great work that they do on behalf of our community, on the occasion of the 25'th Anniversary of the Barton Polkafest.

A POOL PARTY is being planned for **Friday, August 10'th** from **7-9 PM** at **Memorial Park**. This event is open to all of our church school students, their families and friends. The entire parish is welcome as well!

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES

"Search the Scriptures and you will find the commandments; do what they say and you will be freed from your passions."

+ St. Thalassios the Libyan

HATRED IS THE DEVIL'S POISON

"Even if we perform upon thousands of good works, my brethren: fasts, prayers, almsgiving; even if we shed our blood for our Christ and we don't have these two loves [love of God and love of brethren], but on the contrary, have hatred and malice toward our brethren, all the good we have done is of the devil and we go to hell. But, you say, we go to hell despite all the good we do because of that little hatred?

Yes, my brethren, because that hatred is the devil's poison, and just as when we put a little yeast in a hundred pounds of flour, it has such power that it causes all the dough to rise, so it is with hatred. It transforms all the good we have done into the devil's poison."

+ St. Kosmas Aitolos

ADDITIONAL POLKA DANCE. "***Charlie Tansek and Chicago Tradition***" will be featured at the Firemen's Field from **2-6 PM** on **Sunday, September 30'th**. Polish Kitchen. Cash Bar. Raffles. 50/50. Sponsored by the Barton Volunteer Fire Department.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2018

Please mark your calendars now!

Sunday, July 29 to Saturday, August 4 — Tri-State Deanery Summer Camp Week.
