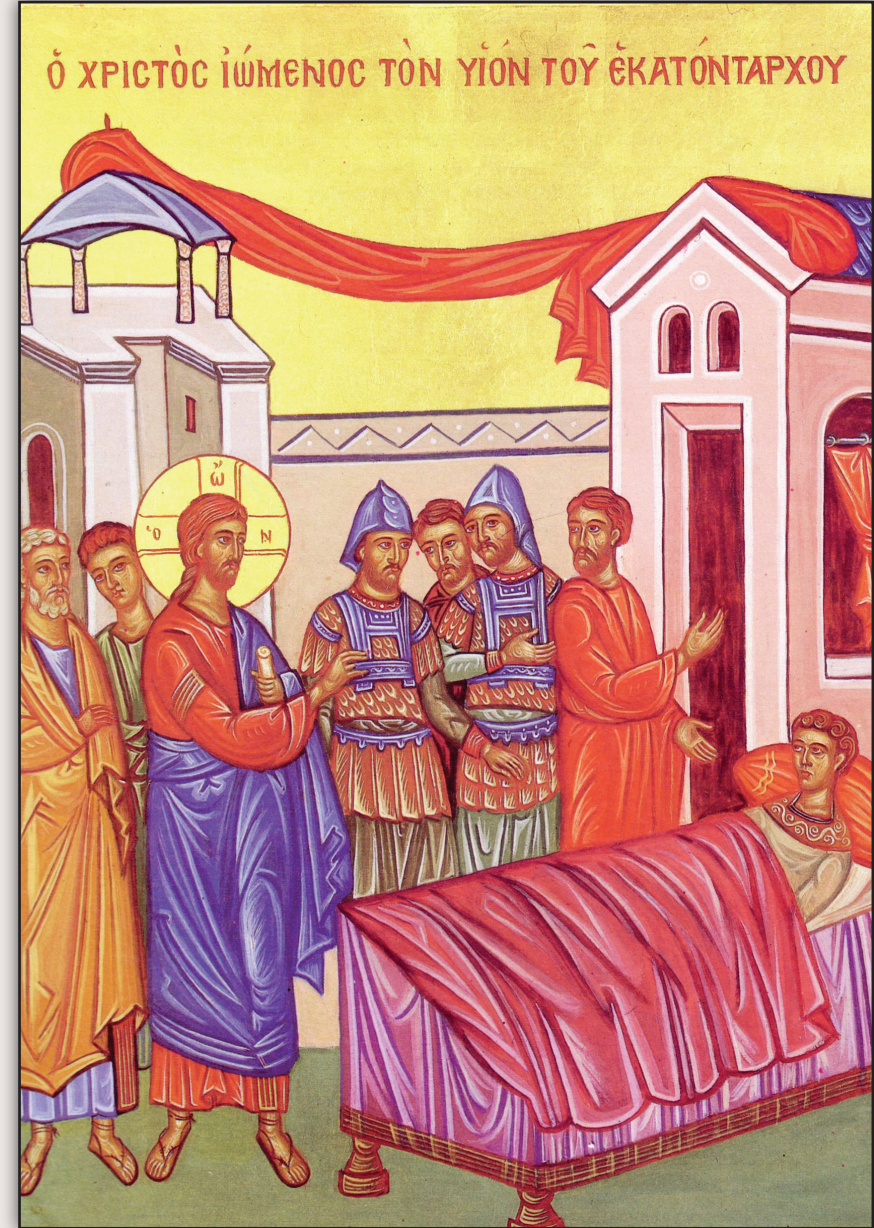


FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Christ Healing the Centurion's Servant

Nowhere in Israel Have I Found as Much Faith

The Lord Jesus agreed to go to the centurion's house to cure his servant, but he replied: *I am not worthy to have you under my roof; only say the word and my servant will be healed.* In protesting his unworthiness the centurion showed himself worthy to have Christ enter not his house but his heart. Yet he could not have said this with such faith and humility unless he already bore within his heart the One he was too overawed to have within his house. In any case, there would have been no great happiness at the entry of the Lord Jesus within his walls if he were not present in his heart.

But what emboldened the centurion to act as he did? *I am under authority myself*, he said, *and have soldiers under me; and I say to one man, Go,*

and he goes; to another, Come here, and he comes; to my servant, Do this, and he does it.

Now the man who said this was a Gentile as well as a centurion. He was a professional soldier and, as a centurion, acted according to his rank: subject to authority and exercise in authority, obeying as a subordinate and giving orders to those subordinate to him. As for the Lord, though living among the Jewish people, He was already beginning to make it known that His Church would extend throughout the whole world into which He was about to send His apostles. Although the Gentiles would not see him they would believe in him, whereas the Jewish leaders who saw him would put him to death.

St. Augustine of Hippo

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Schedule for Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil Vespers: 6:30 p.m.

Day of Feast: 10:00am and 6:30 p.m.

Confessions: See calendar or at any time by request.

Ann Fosnaught, Secretary 330-492-8413 or annf@rcdcanton.org

June 20, 2021

4th Sunday after Pentecost

This Sunday: Epistle Romans 6:18-23

Gospel Matt 8:5-13:22-23

Next Sunday: Epistle Romans 10:1-10

Gospel Matt 8:28-9:1

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday 6/21

No Divine Liturgy

Tuesday 6/22

8:30am Divine Liturgy: Vasile & Rodica Nan family

Wednesday 6/23

8:30am Divine Liturgy: Valer & Mihaela Cozma family

Thursday 6/24

8:30am Divine Liturgy: H/S Amparo Adkins

Friday 6/25

8:30am Divine Liturgy: For the sick and homebound

Saturday 6/26

No Divine Liturgy

Sunday 6/27

10:00am Divine Liturgy

Church Bulletin donated in June 2021 by Amparo Adkins for my lawyer.

Please keep Fr. Ovi and his family in your prayers as they travel for vacation. *Drum bun!* Safe travels! They will be through June 30. Call the office for pastoral emergencies.

The **Apostle's Fast** started on Monday, May 31 and lasts through June 27. There is a dispensation throughout the fast except Wednesday and Friday until the end.

All scheduled services will be held and can be viewed and prayed with at <https://stgeorge.click2stream.com/>. Make sure to click on the volume to unmute at the bottom right hand corner. Also, we are every Sunday on St. George Cathedral Facebook.

Coffee hour provided by Doru Jacobs in memory of his aunts: +Elisabeta Igna and +Rafila Cuntan. Thank you!

Sunday Collection: June 13, 2021

Loose	\$1.00
Sunday envelopes	\$1,555.00
Candles	<u>\$112.00</u>
Total	\$1,668.00

Online Donations \$125.00

Donations in memory of +Maria Poplacean to the Ladies Auxiliary

Danny & Cyndi Ardelean	\$50.00
Kathy Moore	\$100.00

Someone lit a candle and prayed for you last Sunday:

In memory of all Zagan Family Members	The Zagan Family
+Husband Dan Cseak and Family	Natalie Cseak
+All family members and angel +Trisha	Del and Sandy
H/S All family members	Del and Sandy
Special intention for family	Doru Jacobs

Health and Salvation
Special Intention for Family
Special Intention
H/S Doru Jacobs – Happy Father’s Day!
H/S Amelia Botean
H/S Amelia Botean and Family
+Parents and Family
H/S Penny Botean
Special Intention: Adriana and John Bikis
H/S Fr. Ovi’s Family
Happy 52nd Birthday Erik!
+Alex Eli Puia
+Parents, All Family Members and Art Steele
H/S Steele Family, Jerry Donahue, Aunt
Alice Loop, Sheila Diotale, Joe Rsanovich
Happy Birthday
+Stella Lazar
Health of Stephen Swope – bicycle accident
H/S Ruth Hambach and Roy Hambach
H/S Amelia Botean
H/S Barbara Greavu
For peace in Israel

Mihai and Elena Florea
Mihai and Elena Florea
Amparo Adkins
Ann Fosnaught
Mark Botean
Liviu and Mariana Greavu
Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
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John Puia
Chuck Roska Family
Chuck Roska Family

Doug Babb
Deb and Tim Reichel
Bob and Nancy Maciag
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Bob and Nancy Maciag
Mircea Cristea

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Special Announcement:

Please pray for: Lance Downey, Sonya Paul, Bryan Pryce, John Contini, Missy Lawver, Veronica Maier, End to Corona Virus attack, Clore Family, Liviu and Georgeta Barcutian, Grace Mary Fein, Barbara Greavu, Doris Rotar, Virginia Rogers and all who need our prayers.

Sick and/or homebound: Amelia Botean (Home), Alex and Theresa Gonyias (Home), Ann Stimer (Home), Aurelia Lupsor (Canton Christian Home), Connie McAdams (Home), Natalie Cseak (St. Joseph, Louisville), Eugene Popa (St. Joseph, Louisville) and Irene Pontones (Chapel Hill Retirement Community)

For holy Baptism contact the parish office at least one month prior to the date requested.

For First Reconciliation contact the parish office when your child turns 7.

For Weddings contact the parish office at least six months prior to the date requested.

To guarantee announcements for the bulletin, they need to be given to the office by Wednesday prior to the Sunday bulletin. Thank you!

To facilitate **accurate counting**, please use separate checks/cash for the special collection, candle and Sunday collection envelopes. Thank you for your attention to this detail!

Please let the office know if you have an upcoming surgery, illness, etc., so we can put you on our prayer list. Thank you!

Altar Candelabrum for June 2021 is donated by **Grete, Fin and Dan Heatherly in memory of +Andras Heim, father and grandfather: 1 year memorial.**

Left Iconostasis Candelabrum for June 2021 is donated by **Amparo Adkins for health.**

Right Iconostasis Candelabrum for June 2021 is donated by **Ana and William Galida for health with God's blessings for Grete Heatherly's birthday.**

Blessed Virgin Mary Candelabrum for June 2021 is donated by **Tony Orlando in memory of Frisina and Orlando Families.**

If you would like to sponsor candelabra for any month of the year in honor of a living member or in memory of any loved ones that have passed away, please get in touch with the Church office and Ann will be able to schedule it for you. Thank you for your continuous support of the Church!!!

Prescura for 2021: Amparo Adkins, Annie Collins, Suzie Dragos, Elena Florea, Ann Fosnaught, Mariana Greavu, Nancy Maciag, Maria Marcu, Debbie Murari, Virginia Rogers, Kathy Walsh, P-sa. Patricia Wendt, and P-sa. Gabriela Marginean.

Announcements

Next week, we will take up the **Peter's Pence Collection**, which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need. Please be generous. For more information, see the enclosed letters from Bishop John Michael and/or visit <http://www.peterspence.va/en.html>.

Oriente Lumen XXV Continues as a virtual conference on June 22, 2021 from 1pm to 4pm. Topic: **Liturgy and Scripture: Praying the Word of God**. See the bulletin board for more details or go to <https://olfoundation.net/conferences/ol-xxv/>.

Parish events:

Our Festival will take place on August 29, 2021. More details will follow after Pastoral Council meeting. Volunteers are needed. See P-sa. Gabi, if you are available to work.

To Tickle Your Funny Bone ☺

A little girl from Minneapolis came home from church with a frown. "I'm not going back there anymore," she announced. "I don't like the Bible they use in Sunday school."

"Why not?" asked her astonished mother.

"Because," the little girl declared "The Bible they use is always talking about Saint Paul, and it never once mentions Minneapolis."

Word of Life

"Through our prayers and through the intercession of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the *irreplaceable* role they hold in the lives of their children, and the responsibility they share in welcoming God's gift of new life!

Most Reverend Shelton J. Fabre, Bishop of Houma-Thibodaux
"Fathers' Irreplaceable Role in Welcoming Life"

May expectant fathers lovingly support
The mothers of their children
In welcoming new life;
Let us pray to the Lord, Lord have mercy.

Happy Birthday! La multi ani!!

- Rick Bollon – June 20th
- Brittani Putt – June 22nd
- Helen Bikis – June 22nd
- Grete Heatherly – June 23rd
- Ben Stoffer – June 25th
- Declan O’Brien – June 26th
- Dennis Stroia – June 26th
- Jacqueline DeBoer – June 26th
- Shafeek Shaheen – June 26th

Advertising Opportunity – business card size:

outside businesses - \$50 per month or \$450 per year
cathedral businesses - \$20 per month or \$150 per year

This is a good opportunity to know the talent in our parish and to grow your business!

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	Apostles' Fast - Dispensation from abstinence in 2021 except Wednesdays and Fridays						
	Fr. Ovidiu on vacation						
	Julian of Tarsus,	Brittani Putt's	Grete Heatherly's	+Nativity of St. John	Benjamin Stoffer's	Declan Michael	Gabriel Ovidiu
		Helen Bikis's birthday	+Rev. Fr. Anthony	Dispensation (Harti)	+Deacon Jonathan	Dennis Stroia's	Raul Botha's birthday
		Hieromartyr Eusebius	Abstinence		Abstinence	Jacqueline DeBoer's	5th SUNDAY AFTER
			Agrippina, woman		Ven. Febronia, nun	Shafeek Shaheen's	Ven. Father Sampson
						Ven. Father David of	
7am							
8am							
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10am							Divine Liturgy 10am - 11:30am
11am							
12pm							Coffee: 11:30am - 12:30pm
1pm					Visinata Band practice 12pm - 3pm		
2pm							
3pm							
4pm							

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June 3, 2021

Peter's Pence Collection
Be a sign of
mercy.

[Jesus] journeyed from one town and village to another, preaching and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom of God. Accompanying him were the Twelve . . . and many others who provided for them out of their resources.
—Lk 8:1, 3

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Peter's Pence Collection allows participants to support the Universal Church and help the Holy Father as he shows mercy to the neediest people around the world, in recognition of the common humanity shared by peoples of all ethnicities and religious backgrounds.

In this spirit of mercy, Pope Francis helped the people of Iran when they suffered death and catastrophic damage from floods in March and April 2019. More than 10 million people suffered property damage, and the city of Ahwaz and numerous villages were evacuated. Two million people required immediate assistance. Pope Francis donated €100,000 to direct relief efforts coordinated by the Iranian Red Crescent Society, in which Caritas Iran also participated.

By participating in the Peter's Pence Collection, you join the Holy Father's efforts to show mercy to all in two ways: you support the ongoing activities of the Holy See, and you contribute to the charitable works of the Holy Father on behalf of those who are most in need. Our Catholic tradition calls us to provide for the material needs of the Church, and the Peter's Pence Collection is one of the opportunities we have to do so. When you answer the call, you build up the Church so that it will continue to minister to all for generations to come.

For more information, please visit www.peterspence.va/en.html. Please prayerfully consider supporting this year's collection as an act of mercy and charity. Join our brothers and sisters in faith from around the globe to help Pope Francis in his ministry to the Universal Church and in reaching out to the most marginalized in our world. Thank you, and may God bless you abundantly.

Sincerely in Christ-God,

(Most Reverend) John Michael Botean, DD
Bishop of the Eparchy of St. George in Canton

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Be a sign of mercy.

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How You Can Help

PRAY

Pray for the Holy Father, those he reaches out in compassion to serve, and the ongoing activities of the Holy See, all of which will benefit from this collection.

SHARE

Share this bulletin insert with anyone who might be interested. More information is at www.vatican.va/roman_curia/secretariat_state/obolo_spietro/documents/actual_en.html and www.peterspence.va/en.html.

GIVE

Give generously to this collection as a sign of mercy to those who suffer around the globe and in support of the ongoing work of the Holy See. By doing so, you help build up the Church so that it will continue to minister to all for generations to come.

The Peter's Pence Collection occurs yearly on the Sunday closest to June 29, the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, as a sign that Catholics around the world are joined together in support of the Holy Father.

A Concrete Sign of Mercy

The concrete participation in the needs of the universal ecclesial community has taken different forms throughout history. Collections and donations by the individual faithful or entire local churches raise awareness that all the baptized are called to materially sustain the work of evangelization and, at the same time, to help the poor in whatever way possible. By doing so, they build up the Church so that it will continue to minister to all for generations to come.

During his apostolic visit to Bangui in the Central African Republic in 2015, Pope Francis visited the city's pediatric hospital with a donation of medicines and a promise that he would not forget the country's children. With contributions raised to support Peter's Pence, the Holy Father kept that promise to the children of Bangui

by founding a new facility in 2017. The existing hospital was renovated, and a new facility specifically for malnourished children was constructed. In a March 2019 message, Pope Francis described the hospital as "a concrete sign of mercy" originating with his 2015 visit.

A Tradition of Support for the Holy Father

Support for such papal efforts has its roots in the scriptural message to take care of the poor and is an expression of unity with the Holy Father. Peter's Pence expresses this unity in two ways: through the ongoing activities of the Holy See and through the charitable works of the Holy Father on behalf of those most in need.



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