

Authority of the Council - Authority of the Church

The authority of the Councils is based also on their ecclesiological grounding. A council is not an independent, autonomous body, additional, coming from outside, acting unilaterally. It is not the product of accidental circumstances in history and imposed afterwards. It is closely, or rather organically, related with the very essence of the Church. This body of Christ is a living organism, destined to grow, to face difficulties during this process, to be implanted in other regions of the world needing inculturation and a certain adaptation. Such embodiment and multifaceted ministry creates problems, tensions, even divisions and in spite of the good will of the local bishop and pastors, the convocation of as a major

assembly is considered as a natural instrument, salutary and indispensable. The official voice of the catholicity and the *koinonia* of all the other sister churches, in harmony and guided by the Spirit, would only provide the new assessments, possible remedies and solutions. The functioning of such a council was such that the opinions and requests at issue found expression from the very womb of the Church. Once the decision was made, the people had a part in receiving it and publicizing it (Acts 15:22) as is seen in the first assembly of Jerusalem.

Metropolitan Emilianos

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SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE FIRST SIX ECUMENICAL COUNCILS



Icon of the First Six Ecumenical Councils

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Schedule for Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil Vespers: 6:00 p.m.

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

Confessions: See calendar or at any time by request.

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July 16, 2023

**Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the
First Six Ecumenical Councils**

This Sunday: Epistle Titus 3:8-15

Gospel Matt 5:14-19

Next Sunday: Epistle 1 Corinthians 1:10-17

Gospel Matt 14:14-21

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday 7/17

No Liturgy

Tuesday 7/18

12:00 Liturgy: For all the Senior Citizens

Wednesday 7/19

8:00am Liturgy: +Earl and +Jodie Fosnaught by Family

Thursday 7/20

8:00am Liturgy: +Fr. Gheorghe Opris

Friday 7/21

8:00am Liturgy: +Martha Hilt

Saturday 7/22

No Liturgy

Sunday 7/23

10:00am Divine Liturgy – 8th Sunday after Pentecost

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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. The obligation to attend Liturgy for Holy Days and Sundays **In-Person** has been reinstated.

Coffee Hour is donated by Dumea Family in the Small Hall. Thank you!

Sunday Collection: July 9, 2023

Loose	\$45.00
Sunday envelopes	\$1,165.00
Peter's Pence	\$25.00
Unirea Canton	\$165.00
Candles	<u>\$61.00</u>
Total	\$1,461.00

Someone lit a candle and prayed for you last Sunday:

In memory of all Zagan Family Members	The Zagan Family
+All family members	Del and Sandy
H/S All family members	Del and Sandy
In loving memory of daughter +Trisha Schock	Del and Sandy
In memory of loved ones	Doru Jacobs and Ann Fosnaught
H/S Family	Nicu and Marcela Greavu
H/S Ileana, Nicusor and Angelica	Nicu and Marcela Greavu
Safe travels for Bishop	Mark Botean
Happy Birthday, Brother Mike!	Mark Botean
+Chuck Mailat	Dave and Debbie Murari
+Amelia Botean	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
+Parents and Family	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S Bishop John Michael birthday	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S Fin Heatherly's birthday	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S Tony Orlando	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S Nick, Bob and Aurel	Aurel Bosca
Special Intention	Liviu Barcutian

+Georgeta, wife and +Mary, mother-in-law	Liviu Barcutian
H/S For all who pray for us	Liviu Barcutian
+Parents, all family members, +Charles Mailat	Chuck Roska Family
H/S Aunt Alice Loop, Sheila Diotale, Mark Botean, Happy Birthday Bishop Mike	Chuck Roska Family

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Special Announcement:

Prayer requests: Ashley Hodkinson, Debbie Maier, Rose Maier, Ray Cockran, Beverly Campian, Mark Botean, Rose Karavolas, Tiffany McCormick, Mary Franchini, Vicky Dash (Doug Babb's sister), Tim Shocksneider, Timothy John, Troy Kilpatrick, Sadie Dexter, Neil Weakland, Edward Sutek, Lanette Fliger, Friedrich Neading, Clore Family, Rodriguez Family, Patron Family, Seesan Family, Liviu Barcutian, Suzie Dragos, Virginia Rogers, Bob and Barbara Greavu and all who need our prayers.

Always in our prayers: Esther Dershaw (Sprenger Health Care Rose Lane Nursing and Rehabilitation), Alex and Theresa Gonyias (Home), Sr. Agnes Scalero (St. Joseph Center), Ann Stimer (Home), Doris Rotar (home in Florida)

Altar Candelabrum for July 2023 is donated by **Tony Orlando in loving memory of +Theresa Orlando.**

Left Iconostasis Candelabrum for July 2023 is donated by **Ana and William Galida in celebration of Bishop John Michael Botean's and Finn's Birthday. Happy Birthday!!**

Right Iconostasis Candelabrum for July 2023 is donated by **Ana Heim and Grete Heatherly in loving memory of +Bela Raruk, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, anniversary of death on July 20, 1980, 43 years.**

Blessed Virgin Mary Candelabrum for July 2023 is donated by ...

Prescura for 2023: Annie Collins, Esther Dershaw, Suzie Dragos, Elena Florea, Ann Fosnaught, Mariana Greavu, Ana Heim, Grete Heatherly, Ileana Hotiu, Nancy Maciag, Maria Marcu, Debbie Murari, Virginia Rogers, Kathy Walsh, P-sa. Patricia Wendt, Dodi Zbuka and P-sa. Gabriela Marginean

Announcements:

Check out <https://godwithusonline.org/>. There are upcoming events and catechetical resources about our Eastern Catholic faith at **God With Us**. If you have checked out any of these resources and think they would be good to share in a group, let Ann know and maybe we can schedule a group for discussion, etc.

Parish events:

TODAY, Ladies Auxiliary will meet following coffee hour.

Festival Raffle tickets are ready for pick up in the Narthex. See Ann in the office if you need more tickets or to turn in money before August 20. \$5 for a book of 6 tickets. Please turn in money and tickets at the same time.

Senior Citizens will meet on Tuesday, July 18. Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at noon with a social to follow in the small hall.

Stewardship Committee will meet on Wednesday, July 19 at 6:30pm virtually. Contact Fr. Ovi for an invitation.

The Carpathian Men's Club is sponsoring a bus trip to the **Serbian Festival** on **Sunday, July 23**. The bus will leave St. George Cathedral at 1:00pm. Participation will cost \$25 per person which includes bus transportation and admission. Others can make reservations with Harry Walsh or Johnnie Maier. After July 2, seats will be open to anyone wishing to participate on a first come first served basis. All seats must be paid for in advance.

Youth Retreat – July 26 and 27. Ages 13-18 will meet on July 26. July 27 will start with Divine Liturgy at 9am in St. Panteleimon for all children 7 and up. More details to follow. Sign up on the Narthex table.

Romansul Dance Troup will practice on July 30 after coffee hour. Talk with Kathy Walsh for questions.

Our **Romanian Festival** will take place on Sunday, August 27 from noon to 7pm. Share with everyone!

SAVE THE DATE:

Sf. Maria Ladies Auxiliary present "**Viva Il Vivo**", an Italian wine and food pairing event. October 14, 2023. Details to follow.

Happy Birthday! La mulți ani!

Elizabeth Fisher – July 16th

Charles Maier – July 16th

Alexis Dumea – July 17th

Jessica Seeberger – July 18th

Mia Fodor – July 18th

Rose Maier - July 20th

Ben Sima – July 21st

Tickle Your Funny Bone:

When Josh was in seminary, his homiletics professor told the preaching class how important it is to use alliteration in one's sermon. Josh took it to heart, so on his first Sunday behind a pulpit, he presented this alliterated sermon based on the prodigal son story:

Feeling footloose and frisky, a feather-brained fellow forced his fond father to fork over the farthings and flew far to foreign fields and fabulously frittered his fortune with faithless friends. Fleeced by his fellows in folly and facing famine, he found himself a feed-flinger in a filthy farmyard. Fairly famishing, he fain would have filled his frame with foraged food from fodder fragments.

"Fooley, my father's flunkies fare far finer." The frazzled fugitive forlornly fumbled, frankly facing facts. Frustrated by failure and filled with foreboding, he fled forthwith to his family.

Falling at his father's feet, he forlornly fumbled, "Father, I've flunked, and fruitlessly forfeited family fellowship and favor."

The farsighted father, forestalling further flinching, frantically flagged their flunkies. "Fetch a fatling from the flock and fix a beast." The fugitive's faultfinding brother frowned on the on fickle forgiveness of former folderol. But the faithful father figured, "Filial fidelity is fine, but the fugitive is found! What forbids fervent festivity? Let flags be unfurled! Let fanfares flare!" Father's forgiveness formed the foundation for the former fugitive's future fortitude!

Wisdom of the Saints by Matthew Kelly

A Christian's treasure is not on Earth. It is in Heaven. Well, then! Our thoughts must go where our treasure is. Man has a fine function: to pray and to love. You pray, you love: that is man's happiness on Earth! *St. John Vianney*

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See the bulletin board for more information about upcoming events!

	Mon 7/17	Tue 7/18	Wed 7/19	Thu 7/20	Fri 7/21	Sat 7/22	Sun 7/23
	Alexis Dumea's birthday Great-martyr Marina	Jessica Seeberger's Mia Fodor's birthday Emilian, martyr.	Abstinence Ven. Mother Macrina.	Rose Maier's birthday Dispensation (Harti) Holy Prophet Elijah the	Ben Sima's birthday Abstinence Ven. Symeon, Fool-for-	Holy Myrrh-bearer Mary	Caitlyn Mary Cleator's 8th SUNDAY AFTER Translation of the Relics
8am			Liturgy: +Earl and +Jodie Fosnaught by Ann Fosnaught 8am - 9am	Liturgy: +Fr. Gheorghe Opris 8am - 9am	Liturgy: +Martha Hilt 8am - 9am		
9am							
10am							Divine Liturgy 10am - 11:30am
11am							
12pm		Liturgy: For all the Senior Citizens 12pm - 1pm					Bus trip to Parma 12pm - 8pm
1pm		Senior Citizens Club 1pm - 2pm					
2pm							
3pm							
4pm							
5pm							
6pm							
7pm			Stewardship Committee meeting Virtual Meeting - invitation needed 6:30pm - 8pm				