

They Saw Because They Believed

At that point, two blind men follow the Lord as He was passing by. But if they could not see, how could the blind men know of the Lord's departure as well as His name? Moreover, they called him "Son of David" and asked to be made well. In the two blind men, the entire earlier pre-figuration is complete. The ruler's daughter seems to be from these people, namely, the Pharisees and John's disciples, who already made common cause in testing the Lord.

To these unknowing persons the law gave evidence as to the one from whom they sought a cure. It indicated to them that their Savior in the flesh was of the line of David. It also introduced light to the minds of those who

were blind from past sins. They could not see Christ but were told about Him.

The Lord showed them that faith should not be expected as a result of health but health should be expected because of faith. The blind men saw because they believed; they did not believe because they saw. From this we understand that what is requested must be predicated on faith and that faith must not be exercised because of what has been obtained. If they should believe, He offers them sight. And He charges the believers to be silent, for it was exclusively the task of the Apostles to preach.

St. Hilary of Poitiers

SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE SIX ECUMENICAL COUNCILS



Icon of Healing Two Blind Men

ST. GEORGE ROMANIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

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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.

July 19, 2020

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

This Sunday: Epistle Titus 2:8-15

Gospel Matt 5: 14-19

Next Sunday: Epistle 1 Cor 1:10-17

Gospel Matt 14:14-21

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday 7/20

No Liturgy

Tuesday 7/21

8:30am Divine Liturgy: H/S Fr. Anton-Petru Moisin

Wednesday 7/22

8:30am Divine Liturgy: +Margie Ray by Amparo Adkins

Thursday 7/23

8:30am Divine Liturgy: H/S Maximilian Fosnaught for
birthday by Mom

Friday 7/24

8:30am Divine Liturgy: William Galida and Ana Heim for
a strong marriage

Saturday 7/25

Wedding ceremony: William Galida and Ana Heim

Sunday 7/26

10:00am Divine Liturgy

Church Bulletin donated in July 2020 by Earl and Amparo Adkins for health.

All scheduled services will be held and can be viewed and prayed with at 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.

Sunday Collection: July 12, 2020

Loose	\$3.00
Sunday envelopes	\$2,007.00
<i>Unirea Canton</i>	\$110.00
In memory of the Suma Family by Aurel and Angie Bosca	\$20.00
In memory of +Walter Hank by John Zagan III, Darlene and Jim Fliger	\$50.00
Candles	<u>\$73.00</u>
Total	\$2,263.00

Someone lit a candle and prayed for you last Sunday:

In memory of all Zagan Family Members	The Zagan Family
+Husband Dan Cseak	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
Special Intention for Carpathian's Club	Anonymous
Special Intention for Carpathian's Club	Officer
For all homebound of our parish	Dave and Debbie Murari
H/S Barbara Greavu	Dave and Debbie Murari
For Rebecca and Brandon – Many Happy Years!	Dave and Debbie Murari
+Dan Orlando	Tony Orlando
+Metodia and +Mary Cristea	Mircea Cristea
H/S Stella Lazar and Family	Mircea Cristea
H/S our congregation-priests and faithful	Mircea Cristea

+Parents and Family	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S our fellow parishioners and clergy	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
Special Intention	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
Happy Birthday Bishop John Michael	Ana Heim and William Galida
Happy Birthday Finn Heatherly	Ana Heim and William Galida
+Patricia Galida	William Galida
+Parents and All Family Members	Chuck Roska Family
H/S Peter Tsafarides-speedy recovery, Jerry Donahue, Aunt Alice Loop, Sheila Diotale, Virgil and Bonnie Stroia	Chuck Roska Family

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Special Announcement:

Please pray for: Sr. Agnes Scalero (eye surgery), Rebecca Walsh and Brandon Baumgartner – for a strong marriage; William Galida and Ana Heim - upcoming wedding, Earl Adkins, End to Corona Virus attack, Clore Family, Georgeta Barcutian, Grace Mary Fein, Barbara Greavu, Connie McAdams, Suzie Dragos, Doris Rotar, Virginia Rogers, Stella Lazar and all who need our prayers.

Sick and homebound: Magdalene Florian (Florida), Alex and Theresa Gonyias (Home), Ann Stimer (Home), Maria Poplacean (Canton Regency Rm.#130), Aurelia Lupsor (Canton Christian 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 July 2020 is donated by **the Craciun Family for the health of Mrs. Georgeta Barcutian and Mrs. Mary Cornea.**

Left Iconostasis Candelabrum for July 2020 is donated by **David Gallagher.**

Right Iconostasis Candelabrum for July 2020 is donated by **William Galida and Ana Heim for blessing for our families and church family.**

Blessed Virgin Mary Candelabrum for July 2020 is donated **in honor of Gabriel and David Marginean birthdays by Family.**

If you would like to sponsor a 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 July 2020: Amparo Adkins, Suzie Dragos, Elena Florea, Ann Fosnaught, Maria Marcu, Debbie Murari, Jacqui Oprean, Virginia Rogers, Patricia Wendt, Dodi Zbuka and Psa. Gabriela Marginean.

Announcements

Support the **Catholic Home Missions Appeal today!** Right now over 40 % of dioceses in the United States are considered mission territories because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

Hammer and Nails, a local nonprofit Christian outreach ministry to fixing houses and changing lives, is inviting locals to help with projects in the

area. For more information, call 330-453-6277 or go to website www.hammerandnails.org.

The **Large Hall bathrooms are being remodeled**. The floor will be redone. They are out of order for the time being.

For the sick and homebound, St. George Cathedral offers a **live stream** of the Divine Liturgy which can be found at the following website: stgeorge.click2stream.com. Please make sure that you turn on the sound at the bottom right hand corner of the screen.

Amazon donates a percentage of your purchases to the charity of your choice when you go to smile.amazon.com. As you are shopping online, you can go to choose the St. George Cathedral. Thank you for using smile.amazon.com!

Parish events:

St. George Cathedral will host a **curbside Romanian Heritage Festival on Sunday, August 23**. More details will follow when they are decided. There will be no booklet, no raffle. Sponsors for the Festival would be gratefully accepted! Please consider how you can help to make this the best Festival yet while maintaining social distancing!

To Tickle Your Funny Bone ☺

Dear Pastor, ...

I'm sorry I can't put more money in the plate, but my father didn't give me a raise in my allowance. Could you have a sermon about a raise in a kid's allowance? Patty, age 10.

I liked your sermon when you said that good health is more important than money, but I still want a raise in my allowance. Eleanor, age 12.

Please say in your sermon that Peter Peterson has been a good boy all week, and that he ought to have a bigger allowance. I am Peter Peterson. Pete, age 9.

My father ought to be a minister. Every day he gives us a sermon about money. Robert, age 11.

Word of Life

“Married love differs from any other love in the world. By its nature, the love of husband and wife is so complete, so ordered to a lifetime of communion with God and each other, that it is open to creating a new human being they will love and care for together. ... That power to create a new life with God is at the heart of what spouses share with each other.”

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

“Married Love and the Gift of Life”

May married couples embrace their call
to total, faithful, and fruitful love,
and joyful openness to new life;

Let us pray to the Lord, Lord have mercy.

Happy Birthday! *La mulți ani!!*

Rose Maier – July 20th

Caitlyn Cleator – July 23rd

Maximilian Fosnaught – July 24th

	Mon 7/20	Tue 7/21	Wed 7/22	Thu 7/23	Fri 7/24	Sat 7/25	Sun 7/26
	Rose Maier's birthday Dispensation (Harti) Holy Prophet Elijah	Ven. Symeon, Fool-	Holy Myrrh-bearer Abstinence	Caitlyn Mary Cleator's Translation of the	Maximilian Christina, woman Abstinence	Dormition of St. +Rev. Fr. Alexandru	Hermolaus, 8th SUNDAY AFTER
9am		Liturgy: H/S Fr. Anton-Petru Moisin 8:30am - 9:30am	Liturgy: +Margie Ray by Amparo Adkins 8:30am - 9:30am	Liturgy: H/S Maximilian Fosnaught by Mom 8:30am - 9:30am	Liturgy: William Galida and Ana Heim 8:30am - 9:30am		
10am							Divine Liturgy 10am - 11:30am
11am							
12pm							Coffee: 11:30am - 12:30pm
1pm							
2pm							
3pm							
4pm							
5pm							Wedding Nuti Heim and Bill Galida 4pm - 9pm
6pm							
7pm							
8pm							

ROMANIAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE
Eparchy of St. George in Canton



STRENGTHENING THE CHURCH AT HOME

June 26, 2020

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Every year, I have had the occasion to write you, asking you for your support of the Catholic Home Missions collection. I've pointed out that our own Eparchy is a beneficiary of this collection—indeed, we rely upon it. But we aren't the only Byzantine Catholic diocese that relies upon this collection to carry out its work. Here is an example from one of our Byzantine neighbors in Parma, Ohio:

From the post-industrial cities of Ohio and Michigan in the east to the prairies of Nebraska and Kansas in the west, the Byzantine (Ruthenian) Catholic Eparchy of Parma encompasses a vast and diverse territory of 12 Midwestern states. Founded in 1969 to serve the needs of Slavic immigrant families, the eparchy currently ministers to more than 5,200 Catholics in 28 parishes and 6 missions. One of the most effective ways the eparchy fosters unity among this widely dispersed flock is through its *Horizons* newspaper, published every three weeks, which reaches readers not only in the eparchy's 12 states but beyond, in Canada and even Europe.

It is wonderful to see what the Catholic Home Missions collection is able to do to support other Eastern Catholic Churches like our own. Your support of this appeal makes a difference in the lives of our brothers and sisters right here in the United States: not only Eastern Catholics, but mission dioceses throughout the country. *It is no exaggeration when I tell you that without this collection, our Eparchy of St. George in Canton for Romanians would not be able to function.* Please prayerfully consider how you can support the appeal this year. To learn more about the appeal and those who benefit from it, visit www.usccb.org/home-missions.

Thank you for strengthening the Church at home.

Sincerely in Christ-God,

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

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For more information on the Catholic Home Missions and the dioceses and eparchies funded by the Catholic Home Missions Appeal, please visit www.usccb.org (search "home missions").