

Trust in Prayer

A man sat in his luxurious hotel room and dialed room service. He marveled at the fact that at the other end of the telephone line was an individual waiting to respond to his every need. All he had to do was ask.

Many people believe that prayer is supposed to work the same way. For them, God is at the receiving end of their prayers and is expected to grant every prayer requested. “And why shouldn’t it be?” they might ask. “Doesn’t God want me to get this new job?” “Doesn’t God want my marriage to work?” “Doesn’t God want my surgery to be successful?” After all, don’t we read in the Scriptures, “Ask and you shall receive?”

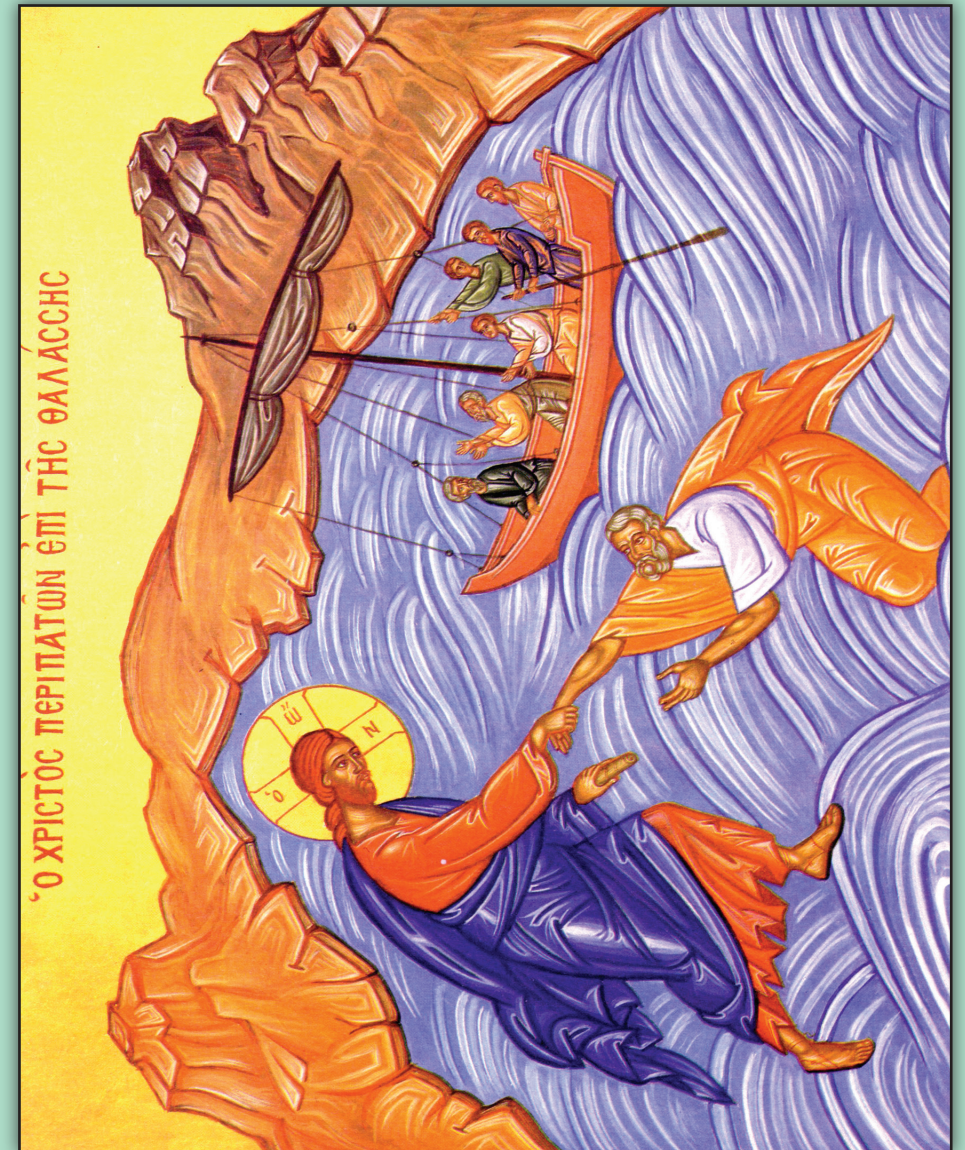
The answer is, yes – God always wants what is best for us, and every prayer is answered. But, not every prayer is answered as we expect it to be. In order to be able to accept God’s answers

to our prayers, especially the unanticipated answers, we need to exercise patience, trust and openness to God’s will and His wisdom.

We see Saint Peter exercise this kind of trust in God in today’s Gospel lesson. While the disciples’ boat was being storm-tossed on the sea, Jesus came walking on water toward them. Then, Jesus issued a most unexpected command to Peter. “Come,” Jesus said and Peter actually began walking on water toward Him! It was only when Peter took his eyes away from Jesus and focused again on the perilous storm around him that he began to sink. The same is true for us. When we trust God, He will lead us to safety. When we take our eyes away from Him, we become overwhelmed by the storms of life.

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NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Christ Walking on Water

ST. GEORGE ROMANIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

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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 30, 2023

9th Sunday after Pentecost

This Sunday: Epistle 1 Corinthians 3:9-16

Gospel Matt 14:22-34

Next Sunday: Epistle 2 Peter 1:10-19

Gospel Matt 17:1-9

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday 7/31

No Liturgy

Tuesday 8/1

8:00am Liturgy: +Frank and +Mary Getz by Remark
Family

Wednesday 8/2

8:00am Liturgy: Thanksgiving for all the gifts and
blessings received by Dc. Viorel Badiceanu

Thursday 8/3

8:00am Liturgy: Happy Birthday Willow by Family

Friday 8/4

8:00am Liturgy: For the living and deceased members of
the Ladies Auxiliary by the Ladies Auxiliary

Saturday 8/5

No Liturgy

Sunday 8/6

**10:00am Divine Liturgy: Transfiguration of our Lord
Jesus Christ**

Church Bulletin donated in July by ...

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 St. George Cathedral in the Large Hall. Thank you!

Sunday Collection: July 23, 2023

Loose	\$36.00
Sunday envelopes	\$1,160.00
Unirea Canton	\$10.00
Candles	<u>\$53.00</u>
Total	\$1,259.00

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 trip for Finii John, Adriana and children	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S My family and all parishioners of St. George	Rosemary
Health and salvation	Ioan and Maria Marginean
+Theodore Popa	Mark Botean
In memory of loved ones	Mihai and Elena Florea
Health and salvation	Mihai and Elena Florea
Special Intention	Mihai and Elena Florea
+Terry Varn	Greg and Cheti Bikis
Special Intention	Greg and Cheti Bikis
+Parents and Family	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean

Thanksgiving to God for His blessings
+Beverly Barnes

Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
Barnes Family

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Special Announcement:

Prayer requests: Bob Maciag, 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 Shocksnyder, 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 Fosnought, 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.

Thank you to all who helped with the Youth Retreat!

Parish events:

Festival Raffle tickets. 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. All families of the parish are asked to buy or sell 4 books. Thank you!

TODAY, Romanasul Dance Troup will practice 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 Vino**", an Italian wine and food pairing event. October 14, 2023. Details to follow.

Happy Birthday! La mulți ani!

Michael Bardin – July 30th

Saige Shaheen - July 31st

Todd Schuller – August 1st

Maria Marcu – August 3rd

Nicole Wolters – August 3rd

Theresa Gonyias – August 3rd

Willow Parker – August 3rd

Miles Wolters – August 4th

Jamey Putt – August 4th

Johnnie Maier Jr. – August 5th

Tickle Your Funny Bone:

Jesus said unto his disciples, “Whom do men say that I am?”

And his disciples answered unto Him, “Master, Thou art the supreme eschatological manifestation of omnipotent ecclesiastical authority, the absolute, divine, sacerdotal monarch.

And Jesus said, “What!?”

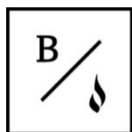
Wisdom of the Saints by Matthew Kelly

Do you know that often a root has split a rock when allowed to remain in it? Give no place to the seed of evil, seeing that it will break up your faith. *St. Cyril of Jerusalem*

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for more information
about upcoming events!

	Mon 7/31	Tue 8/1	Wed 8/2	Thu 8/3	Fri 8/4	Sat 8/5	Sun 8/6
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12pm							<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Coffee: Dave and Debbie Murari 11:30am - 12:30pm</div>
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6pm					<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Small hall in use 6pm - 11pm</div>		
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