Rise and Walk

It is easier said than done. Whether the sins of the paralytic were forgiven, only He who forgave them knew for sure. "Arise and walk." Both he who arose and those who saw him arise were able to vouch for this. Hence there is a bodily sign in order to demonstrate a spiritual sign, though its impact is to curb the imperfections of body and soul. And we are given an understanding of sin and many bodily weaknesses to come. Perhaps, too, sins are forgiven first, so that with the causes of infirmity removed health may be restored.

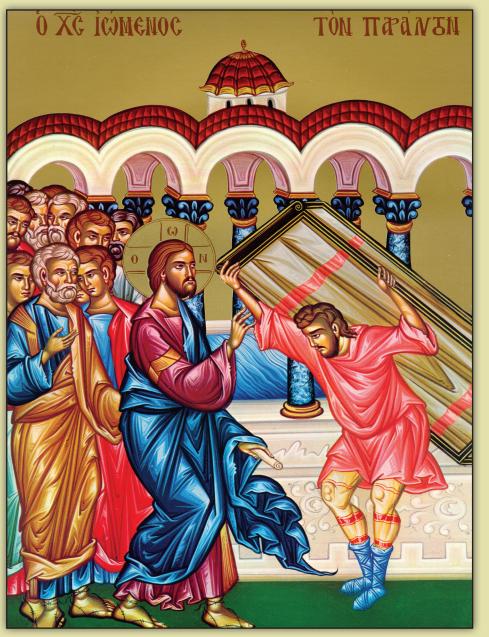
St. Jerome

Furthermore, so it could be understood that He was in a body and that He could forgive sins and restore health to bodies, Jesus said, "That you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins," then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your pallet." He could have simply said "Arise," but since the reason for doing every work had to be explained, He added, "Take up your pallet and go home." First He granted remission of sins; next He showed His ability to restore health. Then, with the taking up of the pallet, He made it clear that bodies would be free from infirmity and suffering; lastly, with the paralytic's return to his home, He showed that believers are being given back the way to paradise from which Adam, the parent of all, who became profligate from the stain of sin, had proceeded.

St. Hilary of Poitiers

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SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Christ Healing the Paralytic

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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.

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

July 9, 2023

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

This Sunday: Epistle Romans 12:6-14Next Sunday: Epistle Titus 3:8-15

Gospel Matthew 9:1-8
Gospel Matthew 5:14-19

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday 7/10 No Liturgy Tuesday 7/11 No Liturgy

Wednesday 7/12 8:00am Liturgy: Happy Birthday Bishop John Michael and

Fintan Heatherly; Safe travels Bishop John Michael

Thursday 7/13 8:00am Liturgy: +Chuck Mailat

Friday 7/14 8:00am Liturgy: H/S Tim Shocksnider

Saturday 7/15 No Liturgy

Sunday 7/16 10:00am Divine Liturgy – Sunday of the Fathers of the first

six Ecumenical Councils

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 Aurel Bosca Family in the Large Hall. Thank you!

Sunday Collection: July 2, 2023

Loose	\$80.00
Sunday envelopes	\$2,015.00
Peter's Pence	\$45.00
Unirea Canton	\$40.00
Candles	\$151.00
Total	\$2,331.00

<u>Additional Homecoming Donations</u>

Ana Heim and William Galida \$100.00

Someone lit a candle and prayed for you last Sunday:

The Zagan Family
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In memory of loved ones Doru Jacobs and Ann Fosnaught

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H/S Mihalteanu Family

Special Intention: Adrian and Romulus, Jr.

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H/S Fam Ouzts and Family Dennis and Molly

H/S Rosie, Happy Birthday! H/S Ben, Happy Birthday! Scott and Jaime Parker Scott and Jaime Parker

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Special Announcement:

Prayer requests: Ashley Hodkinson, Debbie Maier, Rose Maier, Ray Cockran, Beverly Campian, Mark Botean, Rose Karavolas, Tiffany McCormmick, Mary Franchini, Vicky Dash (Doug Babb's sister), Tim Shocksnider, 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 ...

<u>Prescura for 2023:</u> 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:

Thank you for your generous support in last week's **Peter's Pence Collection**! Our contributions will join those from our brothers and sisters worldwide to help Pope Francis in his ministry to the Universal Church, including relief to people in need and support for the Holy See. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give. Visit <u>www.usccb.org/peters-pence</u>.

Have you heard of **Planned Giving**? It's definition is **any major gift**, **made in lifetime or at death as part of a donor's overall financial and/or estate planning**. Consider adding St. George Cathedral to your will or other estate plan. +Amparo Adkins had done this. She donated all she had to our parish that she loved.

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:

Romansul Dance Troup will practice on July 9 and July 30 after coffee hour. Talk with Kathy Walsh for questions.

Pastoral Council will meet on Thursday, July 13 at 6:30pm in the Small Hall. If you are a chairman of a committee for the **Festival**, please come!

Ladies Auxiliary will meet on Sunday, July 16 following coffee hour.

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.

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

Happy Birthday! La mulţi ani!

Bishop John Michael Botean – July 9th
Fintan Heatherly – July 9th
Valerie Trevino – July 10th
Aurel Bosca – July 11th
Tim Shocksnider – July 14th

Tickle Your Funny Bone:

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God made Saul freaked Adam bit David peeked Prophets warned Noah arked Abraham split Jesus born Jacob fooled God walked Joseph ruled Love talked Bush talked Anger crucified Moses balked Hope died Pharaoh plagued Love rose People walked Spirit flamed Sea divided Word spread Tablets guided God remained

Wisdom of the Saints by Matthew Kelly

Our life and our death is with our neighbor. When our brother, we have gained God, but if we scandalize your brother, we have sinned against Christ. St Anthony the Great

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See the bulletin board for more information about events like a Catholic cruise to the Caribbean from July 27-August 3, 2023.

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