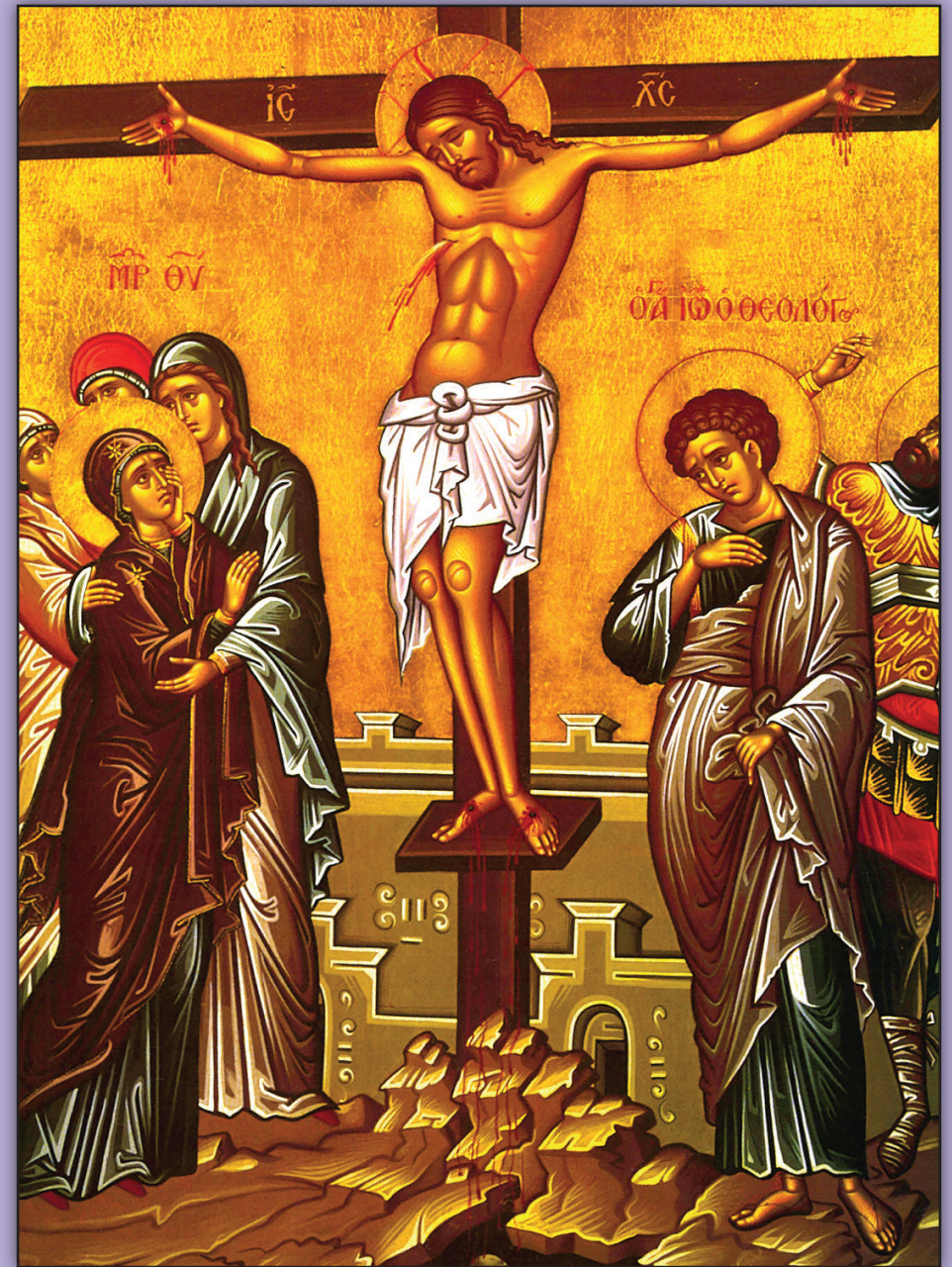


## SUNDAY BEFORE THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS



*Icon of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross*

### *The Foolish Cross is the Power of God*

Every action of Christ glorifies the Church, but the cross is the glory above all glory. Paul understood that well when he said: 'I will glory in nothing else but the cross of Christ.' (Gal 6:14) That a blind man should have been able to regain his sight by the pool of Siloam is certainly a marvelous fact. But what does this single episode add up to, when you think of the blind all over the world?

The resurrection of Lazarus who had already been dead four days was a miraculous event, overcoming all the forces of nature. But this favor granted to him alone could not be any comfort to all those who had died through their own sin. It was a miracle to feed the

five thousand with five loaves. But what use could that be for all the ignorant people starved of truth?

The glory of the cross, by contrast, has enlightened all those who were blinded by ignorance. It has set free all those who were slaves of sin. It has redeemed the whole human race.

Let us glory in the cross of the Savior. 'The word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.' (1Cor 1:18)

*Catechesis of St. Cyril of Jerusalem*

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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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## **September 11, 2022**

### **Sunday before the Exultation of the Holy Cross**

**This Sunday: Epistle Galatians 6:11-18**

**Gospel John 3:13-17**

**Next Sunday: Epistle Galatians 2:16-20**

**Gospel Mark 8:34-9:1**

### **Weekly Liturgy Schedule**

Monday 9/12

No Liturgy

Tuesday 9/13

8:00am Divine Liturgy: Speedy recovery for Emily Stoffer

**Tuesday 9/13**

**6:00pm Great Vespers: Exultation of the Holy Cross**

**Wednesday 9/14**

**10:00am Divine Liturgy: Holy Day of Obligation**

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**6:00pm Divine Liturgy: Exultation of the Holy Cross**

Thursday 9/15

8:00am Divine Liturgy: H/S Amparo Adkins

Friday 9/16

8:00am Divine Liturgy: Happy Birthday Mama Ileana!

Saturday 9/17

No Liturgy

**Sunday 9/18**

**10:00am Divine Liturgy: Sunday after the Exultation of the Holy Cross**

***Church Bulletin donated in September for Happy Anniversary  
Fr. Ovi and Gabriela along with Grete and Dan Heatherly.***

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.

All are invited to coffee hour in the small hall provided by the Pontones Family in memory of +Joe and +Irene Pontones! May their memory be eternal! Thank you!

**Sunday Collection: September 4, 2022**

|  |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Sunday envelopes   | \$2,244.00      |
| Central and Eastern Europe Special Collection                              | \$90.00         |
| +Lawrence, John, Erma, Teresa Popa and Carolyn Cheton by Barbara Baumbaugh | \$50.00         |
| Candles  | <u>\$102.00</u> |
| Total  | \$2,396.00      |

**Memorial Donations: +Irene Pontones**

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Christine Pontones       | \$100.00 |
| John and Carol Pontones  | \$150.00 |
| James and Julie Martin   | \$50.00  |
| Cheryl and Robert Eakins | \$100.00 |

Someone lit a candle and prayed for you last Sunday:

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| In memory of all Zagan Family Members   | The Zagan Family              |
| +All family members and angel +Trisha   | Del and Sandy                 |
| H/S All family members                  | Del and Sandy                 |
| In memory of loved ones                 | Doru Jacobs and Ann Fosnaught |
| H/S Geta Barcutian and Mary Cornea      | Dr. and Mrs. Romeo Craciun    |
| +Ling Ying Smith                        | Dave and Debbie Murari        |
| H/S All homebound and sick parishioners | Dave and Debbie Murari        |
| Special Intention                       | Dave and Debbie Murari        |
| +Patricia Galida                        | William Galida                |
| H/S Fr. Ovi                             | Aurel Bosca                   |
| H/S Marginean Family                    | Aurel Bosca                   |

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| H/S Bosca Family                    | Aurel Bosca            |
| H/S Daniela, Alexandra, Mircea      | Aurel Bosca            |
| In memory of loved ones             | Mihai and Elena Florea |
| Health and Salvation                | Mihai and Elena Florea |
| +John Dragos, husband               | Suzie Dragos           |
| +Dragos and Eberhart Family         | Suzie Dragos           |
| In honor of Fr. Ovi on his birthday | Suzie Dragos           |
| H/S All Family                      | Suzie Dragos           |

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**Special Announcement:**

**Please pray for:** Neil Weakland, Emily Stoffer, Successful Open House event at Most Holy Trinity Church on September 25 in Chesterland, OH, Edward Sutek, Leigh Ann De La Cruz, Lanette Fliger, Baby Gage Glyder-Roska, Friedrich Neading, Clore Family, Rodriguez Family, Patron Family, Seesan Family, Suzie Dragos, George and Maria Marcu, Barbara Greavu, Virginia Rogers and all who need our prayers.

**Sick and/or homebound:** Amparo Adkins(The Laurels of Massillon #210), Mary Cornea (Home), Alex and Theresa Gonyias (Home), Ann Stimer (Home), Aurelia Lupsor (Canton Christian Home), Doris Rotar (home in Florida)

**Altar Candelabrum** for September 2022 is donated **by Scott and Jaime Parker in celebration of wedding anniversary.**

**Left Iconostasis Candelabrum** for September 2022 is donated **by Mircea Cristea in memory of +Metodia and +Mary Cristea, parents.**

**Right Iconostasis Candelabrum** for September 2022 is donated **by Robert and Mihaela Dumea.**

**Blessed Virgin Mary Candelabrum** for September 2022 is donated **by Bob and Nancy Maciag in memory of +Opal Junka.**

**Prescura for 2022:** Amparo Adkins, Annie Collins, Esther Dershaw, Suzie Dragos, Elena Florea, Ann Fosnaught, Mariana Greavu, 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 to Steve Bosca** and staff for donating the mulch and labor for the grounds in preparation for the Festival! Spraying the weeds made the flower beds and circle look beautiful! Thank you for the hard work and service you did for our St. George Cathedral!!

### **Parish events:**

The first Byzantine Catholic **Our Lady of Montligeon Prayer Group** will meet on Wednesday, September 21. The focus will be praying for our deceased loved ones. We will aim to meet the last Wednesday of each month starting with Divine Liturgy, Rosary and other prayers. See Tony Orlando or Annie Collins for more details or information.

### **SAVE THE DATE:**

The Ladies Auxiliary is having a **French Wine Pairing** on Saturday, October 15. Details to follow soon!

The Carpathian Men's Club will host a **Night at the Races** on November 19.

### **To Tickle Your Funny Bone 😊**

There was an energetic young preacher who took his sermonizing very seriously. Now there was a deacon in his congregation who did very little and seemed to care less. The preacher often took aim at the deacon in his preaching, but the old deacon never caught the point. He always thought the pastor was preaching to someone else.

One Sunday, the preacher was particularly pointed. Following the service, the deacon exclaimed, "Preacher, you sure told them today."

The next sermon, it was the same reaction again.

The third Sunday the preacher was even more pointed. Again the deacon enthused, “Preacher, you sure told them today.”

The fourth Sunday it rained so hard that no one came to church except for the pastor and his deacon. Preacher thought he'd now have a real opportunity to take aim and hit his deacon-target. After a hard-hitting thirty minutes and a hymn of invitation, the pastor went to his place at the door to greet his one-person congregation.

In a moment the Deacon walked up to his pastor, held out his hand and announced, “Preacher, you'd sure told them if they had been here!”

### **Do Something Beautiful for God by Mother Theresa**

I heard the Pope John Paul II speak about peace, and one thing he said was this: “No to violence and yes to peace.” What is violence? In the first place, we think of weapons, knives, killings. We never think of connecting violence with our tongues. But the first weapon, the cruelest weapon, is the tongue. Examine what part of your tongue has played in creating peace or violence. We can really wound a person, we can kill a person, with our tongue.

### **Happy Birthday! La mulți ani!!**

Annie Collins – September 11<sup>th</sup>

Debbie Maier – September 14<sup>th</sup>

Deacon Viorel Badiceanu – September 14<sup>th</sup>

Hemennah Parker – September 17<sup>th</sup>

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|      | Leavetaking of the | Dedication of the                                       | Debbie Maier's birthday<br>Viorel Badiceanu's<br>+EXALTATION OF THE<br>Abstinence<br>Strict fast and | First Day of Hispanic<br>Nicetas the Goth, martyr. | Abstinence<br>Euphemia the All-                   | Hemennah Parker's<br>Sophia (Wisdom) & her | Ileana Hotiu's birthday<br>Sebastian Carter<br>H. Father Eumenius of<br>SUNDAY AFTER THE |
| 8am  |                    | Liturgy: Speedy recovery for Emily Stoffer<br>8am - 9am |  | Liturgy: H/S Amparo Adkins<br>8am - 9am            | Liturgy: Happy Birthday Mama Ileana!<br>8am - 9am |  |  |
| 9am  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 10am |                    |   | Liturgy: Exaltation of the Cross<br>10am - 11:15am   |  |   |  | Divine Liturgy<br>10am - 11:30am   |
| 11am |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 12pm |                    |   |  |  |   |  | Coffee: Mircea Cristea<br>11:30am - 12:30pm  |
| 1pm  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 2pm  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 3pm  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 4pm  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 5pm  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |
| 6pm  |                    | Great Vespers<br>6pm - 7pm                              | Liturgy: Holy Day of Obligation<br>6pm - 7:30pm  |  |   |  |  |
| 7pm  |                    |   |  |  |   |  |  |