The Saint Sava Serbian Orthodox Church Of McKeesport & Duquesne, Pa

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OCTOBER 4th – 17th Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 8

(Celebrating the Sunday After The Elevation of the Cross and St. Codratus of the 70)

Today's Epistle Reading:

Today's Gospel Readings:

EPISTLE: Galatians 2: 16-20

MATINS: Lk. 24: 36-53

LITURGY: Mk. 8: 34-9:1 & Mk. 15: 21-28

Troparion: "O Lord, save Thy People, and Bless Thine Inheritance! Grant victory to all Orthodox Christians, over their adversaries; and by virtue of Thy Cross, preserve Thy habitation!

Troparion: "Thou didst descend from on high, O Merciful One! Thou didst accept the three-day burial to free us from our sufferings! O Lord, our Life and Resurrection: 'Glory to Thee!'

GOOD SAMARITAN MINISTRY: If you are in need of help with groceries, with prescriptions needing picked up, please contact Joyce Yovetich at 1-724-493-4528, and she will utilize our Good Samaritan Team of Volunteers to assist you in ANY WAY!!

NOTE: This is NOT the time to be proud – if in need, Let us know!!

SPECIAL PRAYERS: we will continue to say the extra-ordinary prayers for those suffering through this C0vid-19 pandemic, as well as for the civil unrest going on, until further notice – please continue your own personal prayers as well for those in need of God's mercy!

Fr. Stevo will continue to live-stream BOTH the weekly Liturgies as well as his Weekly Sessions – which are held on Thursdays at 11 AM – JOIN him!

ATTENTION: IF you can, please do your part to help our Parish financially by keeping up with your regular donations, either via mail, or on-line - we need your support!

Today's Special Announcements and Upcoming Events For Our Parish:

(1) YOU all are invited back to Church, but on a "FIRST-COME, FIRST SEATED" Basis – You do NOT have to call ahead to reserve a seat, but you must be free of any medical symptoms related to Co-vid! We will continue seating restrictions, based on our Social Distancing Protocols already in place!

(Masks and every other pew, with social distancing)

- (1-A) SPECIAL THANKS TO: all who showed up to both volunteer for our 'Serb-Fest' as well as financially support our efforts this past weekend AWESOME EVENT!!
- (2) GREAT VESPERS: Saturdays at 6PM (Confessions by Appt. at 5 PM)
- (3) Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved ones:

The Arch-Priests: George Livanos, Michael Hatrack, Adam Yonitch Denise Vranesevic Helen Trkula Beverly Stipanovich Katie Repasky Milan Drobac-H Melva Buzzelli-NH Lou Washowich Melva Dandrea Nancy Belich Danileja Belo LuAnne Eugene Gould Dorothy Medic-NH Margaret Ivkovich Duke Vranesevic Vlade Baskot Marianne Hantz Eva Orr Todd Stanesic Mike Stepanovich Daria Liposky Gregory John Walker

(4) Also pray for the souls of those fallen asleep in the Lord:

- +AP Paul Lazor +A.Priests: Dr. Filipovic, + Diana Drobac + Milan Washowich +Den Pavichevich, +Rast.Trbuhovich, +Vaso Sokolovic, +Joseph Allen; +George & +Mika Rocknage +Barbara Tomac +Helen Holko +Andrew Spiker +Nick Trbovic +Ann Suzich +Ann Cervo +Joseph Stercula +Anna Pacura +Helen Lia +Alex Stipanovich +Dan Ikach +Anka Kresovich +Mimi Pavlovich +Nick Pilipovich +Sharon Young +Amy Pacura +Sophie Vranesevic +John Ratesic +Dorothy Shumkaroff +Peter Miljus +George Medich +Keith Bedell +Arlene Crnkovich +Hubert Witte +Angela Tankosic +Victor Pacura
- (5) Stewardship Pledges For 2020 Have You Turned Yours in yet?????
- (6) We Need Your Support even if you cannot come MAIL in your pledge Donations...or go online and make your donations there at our Web-site!
- (7) CHURCH-SCHOOL: We will begin our Church-school Program on this coming Sunday, October 11th Children (in Church) will go to class AFTER Holy Communion!