

The Saint Sava Serbian Orthodox Church Of McKeesport & Duquesne, Pa
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APRIL 4th, 2021- Third Sunday Of Great Lent – Veneration of the Cross!
(Today – we remember the Hiero-martyr Basil, Presbyter of Ancyra)

Today's Epistle Reading:

EPISTLE: Hebrews: 4: 14-5, 6)

LITURGY: Mark 8: 34-9:1

Today's Gospel Readings:

MATINS: Jn. 21: 1-14

Troparion: “O Lord, save Thy People, and Bless Thine Inheritance! Grant victories to all Orthodox Christians, over their adversaries! And by virtue of Thy Cross, preserve Thy habitation!”

(Tn. 2): When Thou descended to death, O Life Immortal; Thou didst slay hell with the splendor of Thy Godhead! And when from the depths, Thou didst raise the dead; all the powers of Heaven cried aloud: ‘O Giver of Life, Christ our God, 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!!

Fr. Stevo continues to live-stream the Designated Liturgies as well as his Weekly Pod-casts – **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!**

PLEASE: Fill out your Stewardship Cards For 2021 – send them back in!

UPCOMING SERVICES: Friday the 23rd and Saturday the 24th – Lazarus Services!
(Friday – Confessions at 5 PM – Great Vespers at 6 PM/Saturday – Confessions at 8:30AM – Festal Liturgy at 9:30AM)

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

- (1) YOU all are welcome in Church!** However, we are still observing Co-vid Protocols: social distancing and the wearing of masks!
- (2) THIS WEEK:** Tuesday night – **Gr. Vespers – 6 PM;** Wednesday – Feast Of Annunciation of the Mother of God – **9:30AM Liturgy!** (NO Pre-Sanctified Liturgy this week)
- (3) Also, this week:** Join us for our Weekly Pod-cast this **Thursday at 11AM...**
- (4) Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved ones:**
Mike Stepanovich Eva Orr Helen Trkula Beverly Stipanovich Milan Drobac
Melva Buzzelli-NH Lora Washowich William Pakosky Melva Dandrea
Nancy Belich Danileja Belo Eugene Gould Dorothy Medic Margaret Ivkovich
Duke V. Todd Stanesic Gregory Heather Bedell **AP:** George Livanos,
Adam Yonitch Igumen Patrick C. Prot. Mirjana Trbuhovich
- (5) Also pray for the souls of those fallen asleep in the Lord:**
+Lou Washowich +Helen Sinsel +Stella McKeag +Alex Stipanovich +Met Atanasije
+Patr. IRINEJ +AP Paul Lazor +Mihailo Doder, +Dr. Filipovic,, +Rast.Trbuhovich,
+Vaso Sokolovic, +George/Mika +Barbara Tomac +Rade/Violet +Diana Drobac
+Joseph Stercula +Nick Trbovic +Ann Cervo +Helen Holko +Dan Ikach +Amy Pacura
+Mimi Pavlovich +Nick Pilipovich +Sophie Vranesevic +John Ratesic
+Dorothy Shumkaroff +Keith Bedell +Arlene Crnkovich +Nancy/+Milan W.
+John Copeland +Eugenia (Slutyak) Longcrier +Margie Shegan
- (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) SPECIAL PRAYERS FOR:** our Serbian Bishops – Bishops Nikodim Teodosije, Nikanor, and Irinej (of Backa), all seriously ill with Co-vid-19.
- (8) MAKE sure** to take home Next Month's Calendar for April – to stay informed!
- (9) CHORAL SURPRISE:** will be forthcoming for Pascha – stay tuned!!
- (10) CHOIR REHEARSALS:** Coming up – **Thursday the 15th and the 22nd** at 7 PM in the Church hall – with social distancing!