

**The Saint Sava Serbian Orthodox Church Of McKeesport & Duquesne, Pa**  
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## September 5<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 2

(We remember the Hiero-Martyr St. Irenaeus of Lyons and the Martyr Lupus)

### Today's Epistle Reading:

**EPISTLE:** 1 Cor. 9: 2-12

### Today's Gospel Readings:

**LITURGY:** Matthew 18: 23-35

**Troparion:** “When Thou didst descend 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 out to Thee: ‘O Giver of Life, Christ our God, Glory to Thee!’”

**Kontakion:** “Hell became afraid, O Almighty Savior, seeing the miracle of Thy Resurrection from the tomb! The dead arose! Creation, with Adam, beheld this and rejoiced with Thee! And the world, O my Savior, praises Thee forever!”

**Fr. Stevo continues** to live-stream the Designated Liturgies as well as his Weekly Pod-casts – **which are held on Thursdays at 11 AM – TUNE in!**

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

**REMINDER:** with the Co-vid variant still present, **please be SMART and SAFE:**

If you feel uncomfortable w/o a mask, please wear one! If you feel the need to do so, practice at least 3-feet social distancing.....

**REMINDER:** if you have not yet donated to the Kitchen Renovation Fund, please do so – we are looking to pay all our bill in the near future!

**REMINDER:** IF you desire to be a sponsor for the upcoming “Taste Of Serbia” Event, the deadline is **NEXT Sunday the 12<sup>th</sup>** – Forms are at the Tutors’ Desk!

**THIS SATURDAY (the 11<sup>th</sup>):** Join us for the Feast of the Beheading of John The Baptist, with Liturgy at 9:30AM – and a special Memorial for 9/11 on The 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of that tragic day in our Country! **(At The Flag-pole)**

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

**(1) TODAY:** We will serve the Parastos for all the departed members of the Pacura Family for Dan and Nigel – join us in prayer after Liturgy!

**(1-A)** We will take a special collection for the victims of flooding from Hurricane Ida – **HELP PLEASE!**

**(2) Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved ones:**

Judi Mrvos Mike Stepanovich Eva Orr Katie Repasky Helen Trkula  
Don Vojnovich Beverly Stipanovich Milan Drobac Melva Buzzelli-NH  
Lora Washowich William Pakosky Melva Dandrea Nancy Belich  
Danileja Belo Eugene Gould Dorothy Medic-NH Margaret Ivkovich  
Xenia Vranesevich Infant Joseph-Paul Gregory Melissa Snelling  
Igumen Patrick Maria Sokur Prot. Mirjana Trbuhovich Michael Repasky  
Becky Suzich Heather Bedell Victoria Bruce Bennett

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

+Duke Vranesevic +Samuel Cugalj AP.+Adam Yonitch AP +George Livanos  
AP+Dragoljub Malich +AP Paul Lazor AP+Mihailo Doder, AP+Dr. Filipovic,,  
AP+R.Trbuhovich, AP+Vaso Sokolovic, +George/Mika +Barbara Tomac  
+Rade/Violet/George +Diana Drobac +Joseph Stercula +Nick Trbovic  
+Ann Cervo +Dan Ikach +Amy Pacura +Mimi Pavlovich +Nick Pilipovich  
+Sophie Vranesevic +John Ratesic +Dorothy Shumkaroff +Arlene Crnkovich  
+Nancy/+Milan W. +Alina Esapovich +Eugenia (Slutyak) Longcrier +Helen Lia  
+Victor Pacura +Sam Radanovic +Keith Bedell

**(4) NEXT SUNDAY:** Church starts at 9AM with Matins, and 10 AM for Holy Liturgy – and **Church-school begins with prayer at 9:45AM** in Church – join us after for a cook-out, hosted by our Church-school families and our Sisterhood!

**(5) MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Our “Support Groups” for men and women will be returning in the fall at **Twin Oaks at 7 PM-** (1st Topic: The Toll Houses)

**Tuesday Sept 14<sup>th</sup> - WOMEN and Tuesday the 28<sup>th</sup> of September - MEN!**

(This is a great way to come together in an informal, relaxed atmosphere and enjoy great fellowship and opportunities to learn more of our Faith!)