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## **SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 4**

(Remembering the Beheading of the Holy Forerunner John!)

### **Today's Epistle Reading:**

**EPISTLE:** 1 Cor. 16: 13-24

### **Today's Gospel Readings:**

**MATINS:** Mt. 21: 33-42 & **LITURGY:** Matthew 6: 14-30

**Resurrection Troparion:** "When the women disciples of the Lord, learned from the angel the joyous message of Thy Resurrection! They cast away the ancestral curse, and elatedly told the Apostles! Death is overthrown! Christ God is risen, granting the world great mercy!

**Troparion (Tn.2):** "The memory of the righteous is in praise of you; and you, Forerunner, the testimony of the Lord suffices! For in truth, you are nobler than all the prophets, for having been found worthy to baptize in the running waters Him who was preached! Having striven for the Truth, you rejoiced in announcing the glad tidings even to those in Hell, that God appeared in the flesh, taking away the sins of the world and granting us great mercy!"

**REMINDER:** If you haven't done so yet, please send in your PLEDGE CARDS!

**Our Mens' and Womens' Support Groups** will be meeting **THIS MONTH:** September 24<sup>th</sup> (MEN) at the downtown **McKeesport Eat N Park!** Join us for a wonderful session of great Fellowship and even better exchanging of Faith Topics!

**TODAY:** is the Feast Day of the Beheading of John the Forerunner – a strict fast Day in our Church Liturgical Year – so the brunch downstairs is Lenten – meaning Bagels, pastries, juice, etc.

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

**(1) TODAY:** is the Opening Day of our Church-school Year – Classes from 9:30-10:15ish! A Memorial Service for the 21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of 9/11 will be held at the flagpole right after 10AM Liturgy..then JOIN us for the Lenten luncheon/brunch downstairs in the Church hall!  
(Please utilize the insert in the Bulletin for the Memorial service outside!)  
**(Our Matins Service begins at 9:15AM)**

**(2) CONGRATULATIONS:** to Colin and Tess Kracinovsky, on the birth of their son, Mason Novak (a little earlier than expected) – God Be With them all!

**(3) Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved ones:**  
Eva Orr George Pilipovich-RH Melva Buzzelli-NH Danijela Belo  
Anthony Faulds Eugene Gould-NH Dorothy Medic-NH  
Milena Vojnovich Becky Suzich-NH Betsy Cannon Stephanie Hooper  
Margaret Ivkovich-NH Gary Trbovich Nancy Belich Sara Greyno  
Lyle Washowich Beverly Stipanovich-NH All of our Parish "Shut-ins"

**(4) Also pray for the souls of those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:**  
+Protinica Donna Merick +Eli Vojnovich +Vlade Baskot +Child Benjamin  
+Joseph Stercula +William Packosky +Peter Evanovich +Dushka Milo  
+Marie Karas

**(5) IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR:** our "Taste Of Serbia" event– which will be Friday and Saturday, **September 30<sup>th</sup> and October 1<sup>st</sup>** – more detailed information is on our BREEZE Link from our Web-site, **so check your e-mails...**

- (a) IF you are interested in sponsoring a sign for the Event, TODAY is the last day to place your order – please see Dush Mrvos!
- (b) We plan on holding a Lottery Ticket Basket Raffle this year, and are asking for a \$5 donation so we can purchase tickets for the basket – please see Jim Brady!