

The Saint Sava Serbian Orthodox Church Of McKeesport & Duquesne, Pa
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OCTOBER 9th – 17th Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 8

(The Commemoration of the Repose of the Apostle and Evangelist John)

Today's Epistle Reading:

EPISTLE: 2 Cor. 6: 17-7:1

Today's Gospel Readings:

MATINS: Lk. 24: 36-53/LITURGY: Matthew 15: 21-28

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

Kontakion: "By rising from the tomb, You did raise the dead, and resurrect Adam! Eve exults in Your Resurrection, and the world celebrates Your rising from the dead, O greatly Merciful One!"

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:** October 15th (WOMEN) and October 29th - (MEN) at the downtown **McKeesport Eat N Park!** Join us for a wonderful session of great Fellowship and even better exchanging of Faith Topics!

THIS SATURDAY'S GROUP MEETING: on the 15th will meet at 9:30am instead of 10AM, with our topic being, "Abortion"!

Church-school Classes: Class-day is TODAY – with continued the hope that this will encourage Parents to mark those dates on their Calendars BEFORE any other considerations.....and on the Sundays w/o official classes, families can come and pray in Church together!

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

- (1) **CONGRATULATIONS TO:** our newly-united in Christ, **Richard and Alyssa Young**, and may God grant them long life, peace, happiness, and salvation – Ziveli!!
- (2) **THIS WEEK: THURSDAY** – Choir Practice at 7 PM!
- (2-A) **Special Thanks To:** The Baskot Family, for the donation of the beautiful new Antidoron Bowl for the Church!
- (3) **THIS FRIDAY:** The Feast of Protection of the Theotokos – 9:30AM Matins!
- (4) **Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved ones:**
Milena Vojnovich-H Eva Orr George Pilipovich Katie Repasky
Dushan Rocknage Danijela Belo Melva Buzzelli-NH Dane Medich
Anthony Faulds Eugene Gould-NH Dorothy Medic-NH
Becky Suzich-NH Betsy Cannon-NH Stephanie Hooper
Margaret Ivkovich-NH Gary Trbovich Nancy Belich Sara Greyno
Lyle Washowich Marsha Cugalj All our Parish "Shut-ins"
- (5) **Also pray for the souls of those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:**
+Beverly Stipanovich +Protinica Donna Merick +Eli Vojnovich +Vlade Baskot
+Child Benjamin +Joseph Stercula +William Packosky +Peter Evanovich
+Dushka Milo +Marie Karas
- (6) **SPECIAL INVITATION:** to all! Our Sisterhood Slava will be on **SUNDAY, October 16th**, right after Church, with a Catered Breakfast to follow in the Church Hall!
- (7) **UPCOMING:** Thursday, the 27th: St. Petka – 9:30AM Matins!
Sunday, November 6th: Our Parish 121st Anniversary Celebration – JOIN Us!