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JULY 9th – 5th Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 4!

(Commemorating the Venerable Father David of Thessalonica)

Today's Epistle Reading:

EPISTLE: Romans 10: 1-10

Today's Gospel Readings:

LITURGY: Mt. 8: 28-34; 9: 1

Resurrection Troparion (Tn. 4):

"When the women disciples of the Lord, learned from the Angel the joyous message of Your Resurrection; they cast away the ancestral curse, and elatedly told the Apostles: 'Death is overthrown! Christ God is risen, granting the world great mercy!'"

Resurrection Kontakion – Tone 4:

"My Savior and Redeemer as God, rose from the tomb and delivered the earthborn from their chains; He has shattered the gates of hell; and, as Master, He has risen on the third day!"

SPECIAL NOTE: TASTE OF SERBIA – Letters have been sent out this past week by email and regular (US) mail; please, **SAVE THE DATES** – September 29-30th! There will be an organizational meeting on Tuesday, August 15th at 7 PM in the hall, Please join us in making this year's event a success!!

SAVE THE DATES: Our Church Health Ministry Team is planning a great weekend in conjunction with our 122nd Church Anniversary, A Homecoming & Sarma (Cabbage Roll) Cook-off! The weekend of **November 4th-5th, 2023!**

- ALSO: our Parish Trip to Ellis Island, the 9/11 Memorial, and St. Vladimir's Seminary is scheduled for **October 6-8th, 2023** – PLEASE reserve your place NOW for the trip – deadline August 1st!!!

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

- (1) **SPECIAL THANKS:** again, from Fr. Stevo for ALL of your loving thoughts, best-wishes, and gifts **still coming in**, on the occasion of his 70th birthday – You are all soo appreciated!
- (2) **THIS THURSDAY:** Making Nut-rolls at 9 AM – NEED YOU!!
- (3) **THIS WEDNESDAY: Feast of Sts. Peter and Paul: 9:30AM Liturgy! (Confessions at 8:45AM)**
- (4) **Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved one:**
Eva Orr-NH Samuel Orr Susan Anastas Chuck Hutsko
Melva Lugares Melanie & Helen Trkula Melva Buzzelli-NH
Dorian Vojnovich Dorothy Medic-NH Betsy Cannon-NH Michael Repasky
Nancy Belich Milan Drobac Stella Medich-NH Gary Trbovich
Margaret Ivkovich-NH Peter Lihias Presv. Linda Cervo Tassos Psillidis
- (5) **Also pray for the souls of those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:**
+Arm. Polycarp Ramaeus +AP Angelo Artemas +AP Srboljub Jockovich
+AP Paul Lazor +Stephanie Hooper +Eugene Gould +John Belich
+Sophie Vargo +Amelia Opacic +Marsha Cugalj +Olga Yandrich
+Eli Vojnovich +Vlade Baskot +Joseph Stercula +Milica Popovich
+James Bedell +Becky Suzich
- (6) **DIOCESAN DAY AT SHADELAND: Saturday, August 5th!**
(Is there interest in renting a Bus or Mini-Van?)
- (7) **MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Monday, August 28th** – Our Parish will host the 120th Anniversary of the founding of the Diocesan Kolo of Sisters with the Hierarchal Liturgy at 9:30AM and a banquet to follow!
- **We NEED YOU here:** there will also be an Ordination of a former Shadeland camper and Counselor, Nebojsa Varagic here that day!
Look for more details!