

The Saint Sava Serbian Orthodox Church Of McKeesport & Duquesne, Pa
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JULY 16th – 6th Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 5!

(Commemorating the Holy Martyr Hyacinth & St. Anatolius, Patr. Of Constantinople)

Today's Epistle Reading:

EPISTLE: Romans 12: 6-14

Today's Gospel Readings:

LITURGY: Mt. 9: 1-8

Resurrection Troparion (Tn. 5):

"Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, coeternal with the Father and the Spirit; born from a Virgin for our sakes; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection!"

Resurrection Kontakion – Tone 5:

"Thou didst descend into hell, O my Savior, shattering its gates as almighty; resurrecting the dead as Creator, and destroying the sting of death; Thou delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Man, and we all cry to Thee: 'O Lord, save us!'"

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!!

TODAY: His Grace, Bs. IRINEJ, has asked that we offer a special memorial service for the 1st Bishop of the Eastern Diocese, +Bs. Stefan Lastavica, on the occasion of his Anniversary Consecration as the new Bishop....

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

- (1) On this last day of the "3-Day Weekend", come out for the Picnic at the Castle-Shannon Grounds for great food and better music – see you there!
- (2) Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved one:
Eva Orr-NH Violet Petrovich 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 Lihars Presv. Linda Cervo Tassos Psillidis
- (3) Also pray for the souls of those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:
+ Lindsay Palaschak + Arcm. 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
- (4) **DIOCESAN DAY AT SHADELAND: Saturday, August 5th!**
(If interested in renting a Bus or Mini-Van – give your name at the Tutors' Desk!)
- (5) **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!
 - 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!!!**