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## **AUGUST 20<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost – Tone 2!** (Commemorating the Holy Monk-Martyr Dometius and the Venerable Priest Or)

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

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

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

**LITURGY:** Mt. 18: 23-35

### **Resurrection Troparion (Tn. 2):**

"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!'"

### **CHOIR: St. Sava Troparion**

### **Resurrection Kontakion (Tn. 2): "Glory..."**

"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!"

### **SPECIAL NOTE: TASTE OF SERBIA - Important Reminders:**

#### **SAVE THE DATES** – September 29-30<sup>th</sup>!

1. Join us for an organizational meeting this **TOMORROW at 7pm** in the hall.
2. We are asking for a \$5 donation toward a lottery ticket basket again this year. This was very popular last year!
3. *Please don't wait!* - If you are interested in sponsoring a yard sign, please submit your order and payment at your earliest convenience. **The last day to order is September 10th.**

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

- (1) **Special Prayers for: Jordan and Valerie Medich**, on the birth of their Daughter, Ellen, – *God Grant them Many Years!*
- (2) **MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Monday, August 28<sup>th</sup>** – Our Parish will host the 120<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the Diocesan Kolo of Sisters with the Hierarchal Liturgy at 9:30AM and a Gala 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!**
- (3) **Please pray for the health and well-being of the following loved one:**  
Fr. Christopher Violet Petrovich Susan Anastas Michael Repasky  
Chuck Hutsko Melva Lugares Melanie & Helen Trkula Eli Yaich Melva  
Buzzelli-NH Dorothy Medic-NH Nancy Belich Helen Mochan-NH  
Milan Drobac Stella Medich-NH Gary Trbovich Margaret Ivkovich-  
NH Presv. Linda Cervo
- (4) **Also pray for the souls of those who have fallen asleep in the Lord:**  
+Eva Orr +Betsy Cannon +Danijela Belo +Lindsay Palaschak  
+Archm. Polycarp Ramaeus +AP Angelo Artemas +AP Paul Lazor  
+Stephanie Hooper +Eli Vojnovich +Eugene Gould +Amelia Opacic  
+Marsha Cugalj +Olga Yandrich +Vlade Baskot +Joseph Stercula  
+Milica Popovich +James Bedell +Becky Suzich + James Smith
- (5) **Our Church Health Ministry Team** is planning a great weekend in conjunction with our 122<sup>nd</sup> Church Anniversary, A Homecoming & Sarma (Cabbage Roll) Cook-off! The weekend of **November 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>, 2023!**
- (6) **SPECIAL HEART-FELT THANKS TO:** All of you who sent cards, notes and texts to our family with the falling-asleep of our dear +Eva – we are all so thankful for your support!