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V. Rev. Daniel Kovalak, Attached

Dn. John Shingara, Attached

John Dotsey, Treasurer

*For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of
power and of love, and of a sound mind. 2 Timothy 1:7*

Sunday July 26, 2020

7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 6. Repose of St. Jacob (Netsvetov), Enlightener of the Peoples of Alaska. Hieromartyr Hermolaus & Martyrs Hermippus & Hermocrates at Nicomedia. Ven. Moses the Hungarian, of the Kiev Caves. Martyr Parasceva of Rome. Ven. Gerontius of St. Anne Skete.

Schedule: **Welcome Ab. Mark! Divine Liturgy (Last names A-D) - 9:30am;**
Open House 11am-12:30pm

Welcome to our Visitors!

Interested in learning more? Please visit our parish website and email our priest, **Fr. Stephen Vernak**.

Hymns & Readings

Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone VI -

The Angelic Powers were at Thy tomb; the guards became as dead men. Mary stood by Thy grave, seeking Thy most pure body. Thou didst capture hell not being tempted by it. Thou didst come to the Virgin, granting life. O Lord, Who didst rise from the dead, glory to Thee.

Troparion of St. Jacob, Tone IV -

O righteous Father Jacob, adornment of Atka and the Yukon Delta; thou didst offer thyself as a living sacrifice to bring light to a searching people. Offspring of Russian America, flower of brotherly unity, healer of sickness and terror of demons: O Holy Father Jacob, pray to Christ God that our souls may be saved!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion of St. Jacob, Tone III -

O Holy Father Jacob, teacher of the knowledge of God, thou didst reveal thy love for thy people, taking up thy cross and following Christ, enduring hardships like the Apostle Paul. Pray on our behalf to Christ our God to grant us great mercy!

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone VI -

When Christ God the Giver of Life, raised all of the dead from the valleys of misery with His mighty hand, He bestowed resurrection on the human race. He is the Savior of all, the Resurrection, the Life, and the God of all.

Prokeimenon & Readings:

Tone : O Lord, save Thy people, / and bless Thine inheritance!
(Resurrection)

Verse: To Thee, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me!

Tone 7: The righteous shall rejoice in the Lord, / and shall hope in Him.
(St. Jacob)

Epistle: (Romans 15:1-7) Brethren, we who are strong ought to bear with the scruples of the weak, and not to please ourselves. ² Let each of us please *his* neighbor for *his* good, leading to edification. ³ For even Christ did not please Himself; but as it is written, “The reproaches of those who reproached You fell on Me.” ⁴ For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope. ⁵ Now may the God of patience and comfort grant you to be like-minded toward one another, according to Christ Jesus, ⁶ that you may with one mind *and* one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁷ Therefore receive one another, just as Christ also received us, to the glory of God.

Alleluia Verses:

He who dwelleth in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the heavenly God.

He will say to the Lord: “My Protector and my Refuge; my God, in Whom I trust.”

Blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who greatly delights in His commandments.

Gospel: (Matthew 9:27-35) At that time, when Jesus departed from there, two blind men followed Him, crying out and saying, “Son of David, have mercy on us!” ²⁸ And when He had come into the house, the blind men came to Him. And Jesus said to them, “Do you believe that I am able to do this?” They said to Him, “Yes, Lord.” ²⁹ Then He touched their eyes, saying, “According to your faith let it be to you.” ³⁰ And their eyes were opened. And Jesus sternly warned them, saying, “See *that* no one knows *it*.” ³¹ But when they had departed, they spread the news about Him in all that country. ³² As they went out, behold, they brought to Him a man, mute and demon-possessed. ³³ And when the demon was cast out, the mute spoke. And the multitudes marveled, saying, “It was never seen like this in Israel!” ³⁴ But the Pharisees said, “He casts out demons by the ruler of the demons.” ³⁵ Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people.

Upcoming Services & Events

NOTE: All in-person events are limited (sign up via parish email) until further notice. All services will continue to be live-streamed.

Saturday **Vespers @ 5pm** ✠ Sunday **Divine Liturgy @ 9:30am**

NEW: "Open House" every Sunday from 11am - 12:30pm

July 29, Wed: Bible Study (Acts) via Zoom – 7:30pm; **Note:** No Vespers

July 31, Fri: Parish Virtual Fellowship via Zoom – 7:30pm

Dormition Fast Aug 1 - Aug 15: Abstain from Meat & Dairy

Aug 1, Sat: Vespers - 5pm

Aug 2, Sun: Divine Liturgy (Last names E-K) - 9:30am; Open House 11am-12:30pm;



Parish News

Re-Opening "Green" Phase: We are able to welcome **50% Capacity with Social Distancing** to the Divine Liturgy - about 50 in the church & 50 in the hall (outdoor increases our capacity even more). We ask you register via this [link](#) (or contact Fr. Stephen) according to Last Name:

- Sun, Aug 2 (E-K) • Sun, Aug 9 (L-R) • Sun, Aug 16 (S-Z)
- Sun, Aug 23 (A-D) • Sun, Aug 30 (E-K)

NOTE: if know we will have good weather **Outdoor Liturgies** which will increase our capacity as long as social distancing and other precautions are met. **Outdoor Liturgy's will be announced on Saturday.**

A note of thanks to all of my fellow parishioners for the prayers, beautiful cards and well wishes during my hospital stay - **Nadine Klipa**

OCCGH Golf Tournament: The OCCGH Board of Directors would like to THANK everyone who participated in this year's golf tournament at Eagles Crossing in Carlisle on July 11th. The tournament had a record 100 golfers & raised a record amount for OCCGH. We hope you will consider playing or participating at next year's tournament on July 10, 2021.

Fr. Stephen Vacation Notice: Please note that from **Mon, July 20 - Fri, July 31** I will be away with my family. If you have a pastoral emergency please contact **Fr. Timothy Hojnicky**, www.holyapostleschurch.org or **Fr. Christopher Rocknagel** www.stnicholassteelton.org.

VIP (Very Important Parishioner) Ministry: Continues to identify and reach out to the most vulnerable members of our parish family.

- **NOTE:** If you are struggling to go to the grocery store, or need some supplies; or if you simply want to pray together or chat, don't hesitate to contact Fr. Stephen



Parish Prayer List

Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.

NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: Helen Gustin (family of A. DiFlorio & J. Wevodau) - July 6 [8/4]; Lydia Klecor, (friend of the Kushlan's) - July 2 [8/10]; Michael Holland Sr. (friend of the Hancher's) - June 26 [8/4]; Azalyn (friend of Nicole Zart) - June 24 [8/2]; Peter Rachko (uncle of Sandy Wood) - June 20 [7/29];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Marlene Kalenak, +Anna Doray's niece, July 26 -8th; Mary C. Cvijic, July 26 -24th; Mary Ann Prodanovic, aunt of Lydia Mantle; July 26 -14th; John Koba, uncle of Chet Lubecki, July 26 - 1st; Wassel Fatich, July 27 -23rd; Theodore Dempolous, Sam Lopez's father, July 27 -6th; Dn. John Protopapas, July 27 - 7th; Nancy Kaniuk, grandmother of Joseph Russian, July 28 -55th; Amber Busin, friend of Di Florio Family, July 28 -18th; Velin Tuskov, cousin of Michael Ivanoff, July 28- 5th; Helen Philapovich, aunt of Sue Wolfe, July 29 -24th; Mary Yahelski, godmother of Donna Bretz, July 29 -14th; George Demchak, father of Suzanne, July 30 -65th; Zoritzta (Zarita) Petrascomiculita, July 30 -34th; Jakob Rybaczenko, July 30 -24th; Mary Anderson, sister of Steve Pawlak, July 30 -18th; M. Gerry Fedetz, July 30 -16th; Viorica Murariu - July 31-1st; Betty Brinkman, friend of M. Theodora, July 31- 1st; Catherine Fatich, Janet Kuzupas' sister-in-law, Aug 1 - 7th; Mary Prislopsky, grandmother of M. Theodora Ressetar, Aug 1 - 69th; Peter Kovach, brother of +Fr. Michael Kovach, Aug 1 - 19th; William Butka, grandfather of Bob Drozd, Aug 1 -20th; Mary Maliniak, sister-in-law of Gloria, Aug 1 -15th; Anastasia M. Kushlan, Jim's mother, Aug 1 - 8th;

AILING: Met. Theodosius; **PARISHIONERS:** Natalie Treece; Larry Lewis; Gloria Maliniak; Michael Ivanoff; John "Jack" Sweikert **FAMILY/FRIENDS:** Joan (friend of the Zart's); M. Lisa Weremedic (wife of Fr. James); Janice & Emil (J. Zuro & G. Leer's aunt & uncle); child Fynn; Fr. George Livanos; Kaye, Richard, & Anya (aunt & friends of K. Leader); Patty (friend of K. Pankiw);

Neal (D. Pawlush's brother); **Richie & MaryAnne** (friends of the White's); **Mitchel** (Jean Dotsey's nephew); **Sue** (E. Bare's aunt); **Steve** (D. Bupp's friend); **Linda** (M. S. Shingara's mother); **M. Valeria Hatrak**; **David** (L. Mantle & C. Kemps brother); **Jeanette** (daughter of E. Onufer); **Jacob** (brother of Pat Drebot); **Connie, Charlie, Harry, Connie, Carol, & Ethan** (friends & grandson of Mallick's); **Wendy** (Matt Deamer's mother); **Janet** (friend of D. Fedetz); **Mona** (sister of Ab. Mark); **Robert** (friend of C. Bucharew); **David** (friend of L. DiClemente); **Michael** (B. Drozd father); **Brandon & Pam** (friends of C. Neumann); **Mary** (mother of S. Kellachow); **Alissa**; **Catherine**; **Andrew, Maureen, Mary, Joanne, Roger, & John** (family & friends of the Kuchta's); **Annie** (daughter of the Africa's); **Carole**; **Hailey** (friend of DiFlorio's); **Fern** (Dn. Peter's mother); **Beth** (daughter of J. Wevodau); **Grace** (J. Mamay's sister); **Maria** (Worley's friend) **Victoria, Erin & David** (friends of L. Smith); **Linda** (J. Africa's sister); **Paul** (J. Osuch's brother); **Pavlina** (friend of B. Slivka); **M. Emily** (Larissa & Anita's aunt); **Karenmay** (friend of L. Mantle); **child Aura** (friend of D. Zullo); **Steven** (J. Hake's father); **child Eva**; **Jerry** (friend of D. Cain); **Lori & Constantine** (Z. Bare's mother & family friend); **Chad** (brother-in-law of J. McClure); **Flora** (T. Gault's mother); **Linda, Christine, & Cynthia** (friends of M. Myra); **Grace** (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); **Wiera, Vera** (Fr. Dan R's cousin & sister); **Elizabeth**; **Cassandra & Peter** (friends of L. Shuga); **Kelly & Linda** (friends of A. DiFlorio); **Gemma, Clarence, Alexia & Marie** (E. Herman's family & friend); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **Barry, Edwin, Phillip, Connie, & Daniel** (family & friends of the Leer's); **Paul, Adam, Jeff, Bev, Alynda, Tina, Jenny, Marilyn, Jan, Alicia, Shelby, & Malynda** (family & friends of the Kushlans); **Seraphima** (friend of J. Barns); **Alexa, Thomas, Leida, Jesus, Marsha, Alexander, Anastasia, Deanna, John, Brian, Timothy, Jessica, Saulo, Theodore, & Tanya**, (Lopez friends & family); **Terry, Morgan, Sara, & Evelyn**, (D. Hisiro's family); **Joseph & Louise** (S Demchak's brother & sister-in-law);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: All victims of Corona-virus, Terror, War, Violence, Racism, Injustice & Civil Strife; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; **PARISHIONERS:** Nadine Klipa; Joseph Sembrot; Birikit & Hannah Zerat; Jeanne Zane; Teklu Ogbamichael; Temesgen Kidane; Una McManus; Katherine Kudelko; BetteAnn Slivka; Evelyn Onufer; Kristen Hertzler; Lazarus (Manny) & Samantha Lopez; Ap. Daniel & M. Myra Kovalak; Joseph (Moe) & Ruth Mazurek; Lazarus (Jonathan) Dunnavent; Ann Cole; Sean Cameron; Loretta Ivanoff; Andrea (Ivanoff) Worley; John & Mary Ellen Osuch; Kathryn Kellachow; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. **HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Carol; Rita; Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Pauline Fecho; William

Kantor; Janet Kuzupas; Gloria Maliniak; Millicent Russell; **EXPECTANT MOTHER(S)**: Kristina Leverone; Amanda; *and the children to be born of them*; **EXPECTANT PARENT(S)**: Matthew & Emily *awaiting to adopt*. **COLLEGE STUDENTS**: Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, Amelia & Maria Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, Michelle Gopinath; George Hatalowich, Paige Hisiro; Shawn Jacob; Vladimer Kellachow; Sammy, & Salina Kidane; Alexander & Drake Lamb; Joseph Martin, Evan & Johnna McGreevy, Timothy Monko, Otilia Murariu, Nicole & Shane Staller, Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; **MILITARY**: Gabriel; Dimitrios; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS**: Raul (friend of B. Drozd); Ron (friend of K. Pankiw); Vasiliki; George (friend of J. Mamay); Harry & Dottie Sysak; Shannon (daughter-in-law of the Henry's); Steve (nephew of L. Hancher); Heather (sister of S. Cameron); Shenia (sister of N. Schilling); Martha (aunt of A. Cole); Frank (uncle of U. McManus); Eva & Donna (friends of the Kuchta's); Rosalie; David & Dawn (cousins of Chet); Ronald; Alexandra; Masha, Ethan & Wesley (M. Cameron's family/friend); Pauline, Robert (friend & uncle of E. Bare); Nancy & family (Snyder's friends); Kristina; Terri & Charlie (E. Herman's friends); Blake & Keisha, Cynthia, Dimitrios, child Evangelia, Martha, David, Emma, Nicholas, Theodore, Steve, John, Alexandra, Juan, Isaac, Daniel, Judy, Luke, (family/friends of the Lopez's); George (Leavitt); Christine (M. Gopinath's aunt); Natalie (E. Herman's family); Christine (sister of P. Taleff); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, David & William (family & friends of J. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's mother); Ben & Amanda (S. Marasco's children); Marc & Cecilia (L. Smith's cousins); **SEMI-NARIANS**: TBD **CATECHUMEN(S)**: John Romain; Fred Heimbaugh & Dorothy Durst, Gabriel, Sophia, Payton, & Emma; Ethan Mandel & Annie; Judith Mamay; Timothy Marasco; [newborn] Miles Dupkanick; Matthew Deamer



Many Years!

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ANNIVERSARIES: Fr. Daniel Ressetar (*Holy Priesthood*) – July 27; Natalie & Glenn Treece – July 29; John & Mary Ellen Osuch – July 29;

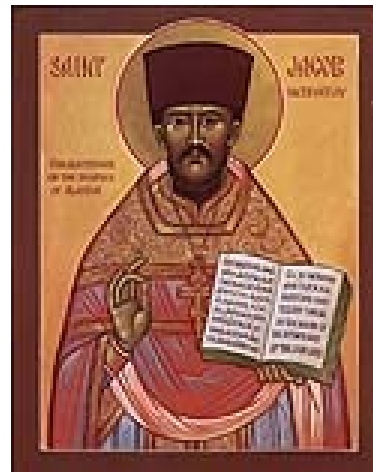
BIRTHDAYS: Tim Marasco – July 26; Tony Gault – July 26; Sandy Wood - July 27; Olga Womer - July 27; Hattie Kaznowsky - July 27; Rdr. Christopher Rakowski - July 28; Anthony Onufer, Sr. – July 30; Claire Yerke – July 31; Gloria Maliniak - July 31; Natalie Zuro – July 31;

NEWLY MARRIED: Stephen & Christina Velott – July 19

Candle Offerings

To donate, please speak with one of the vestrypersons

7 Day Votive is offered in Memory of **Theodore & Haralampos Demopoulos**, family of Samantha Lopez



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