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Sunday Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m. – Weekdays Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

General Confession 1st Sunday of month

**Private Confession every Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. or upon request**

**May 7, 2023**

Epistle: Acts 9:32-42

Gospel: John 5-1-15

**CHRIST IS RISEN! TRULY HE IS RISEN!**

**XPNCTOC BOCKPECE!**

**COFFEE HOUR: There is a coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Come and join in Christian fellowship.**

**FOR THE HEALTH:** Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Gloria Wheeler, Doris Sprague, Judy Wadysz, Anna Hagopian, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Michael Gaujanian, Marion Kurtyka, Sonia Kurtyka, William Harvey, Nancy Hawkins, Bradley Webster, Jestin Spears, Matthew Kerrigan, Roger Wodkowski, Daniel Moran, Marge Wade, Mary Varchola, Zlatko Petrovich, , Thomas Barkulis, Tammie Kerrigan, Nancy Wolenter, Zlatko Petrovich, Deacon David Rehn and Ronald Miller.

**REMINDER: THERE IS NO KNEELING FROM PASCHA TO THE PENTECOST KNEELING PRAYERS!**

**PROCESSIONAL CROSS**

Recently I was asked by a parishioner if there was something in church that could be donated toward. There was a broken processional cross that had been stored in the side room of the altar area ever since I came to St. Michael's. It will be replaced with a new cross. If you would like to donate toward this processional cross, please see Fr. Timothy.

**PROCESSIONAL CROSS MEMORIAL DONATION:**

Allen & Susan Owen \$ 50.00

**TOTAL RECEIVED TO DATE - \$2,050.00**

**CHURCH DONATION:**

Mary Varchola (my gift to St. Michael's on my 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday). Many Years! \$ 99.00

**MEMORIAL DONATION:**

Nick Nicholas (in memory of Joanne Nicholas 40<sup>th</sup> day memorial) \$100.00

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!**

**ELVIS TRIBUTE CONCERT** – Don't forget to get your tickets for this fund raiser to be held on Friday, May 19, 2023. Tickets are \$40 and you can get them from Susan Telep or Marianne Hermes. Tickets include a buffet meal and the entertainment. There will be a cash bar. *Tickets will not be sold at the door.* Hope to see you there!

**THE WISDOM OF PAUL: WEALTH ISN'T EVERYTHING**

Well, religion does make a man very rich, if he is satisfied with what he has. What did we bring into the world? Nothing! What can we take out of the world? Nothing! So then, if we have food and clothes, that should be enough for us. But those who want to get rich fall into temptation and are caught in the trap of many foolish and harmful desires, which pull men down to ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a source of all kinds of evil. Some have been so eager to have it that they have wandered away from the faith and have broken their hearts with many sorrows. (1 Timothy 6:6-10)

But you, man of God, avoid all these things. Strive for righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness . . . Command those who are rich in the things of this life not to be proud, and to place their hope, not on such an uncertain thing as riches, but on God, who generously gives us everything for us to enjoy. Command them to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous and ready to share with others. In this way they will store up for themselves a treasure which will be a solid foundation for the future. And they will be able to win the life which is true life.

(1 Timothy 6:11, 17-19)