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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

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

May 26, 2019

Epistle: Acts 11:19-26; 29-30

Gospel: John 4:5-42

**COFFEE HOUR:** There is a Coffee Hour after Divine Liturgy. Come and enjoy Christian fellowship.

**PRAYERS FOR THE HEALTH:** Please pray for the following: Stephanie Kennedy, Drake Kennedy, Wellington Kennedy, Conrad Kennedy, Pat Federonko, Gloria Wheeler, Doris Sprague, Gregory Harvilla, Judy Wadysz, Barbara Sapick, Paul Sapick, Mary Lusko, Barbara Lamendola, Kenneth Chambers, Mildred Cislo, John Vasilco, Anna Hagopian, Reader Gary (Paul) Repella, Thomas Cherup, Michael Gaujanian, Marion Kurtyka, Alice Caddy, and Ramon Wodkowski.

**HOSPITALIZED:** *John Vasilco* was transferred on Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, to Medilodge of Howell, 1333 W. Grand River Ave., Howell MI. Room 213. Please pray for John's health!

**MARRIAGE BANS:** This is the first announcement of the marriage of: *Nicholas Alexander Buck* and *Holly Marie Fair*, who will be married here at St. Michael's Orthodox Church, on Saturday, June 15, 2019 at 3:30 p.m.

**SERVICE SCHEDULE -- NEXT WEEK**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup>** – Vespers for the Holy Feast of Ascension 6:00 PM

**THURSDAY, JUNE 6<sup>TH</sup>** – Divine Liturgy of the Holy Feast of Ascension 10:00 AM

39<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Father Timothy's ordination into the priesthood

Parastas for the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of D-Day offered by Vera Hurchik after Divine Liturgy

**BLESSING OF GRAVES:** Fr. Timothy is available if you want any of the graves of your loved ones blessed before *Holy Ascension Day, Thursday, June 6th, 2019*. Graves may be blessed at any time, but if you want them blessed before *Holy Ascension Day* - we may all sing -- CHRIST IS RISEN!

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

**ST. MICHAEL'S BOOK CLUB:** next scheduled meeting and discussion will take place on Saturday, June 22, 2019 at 1 p.m. here at St. Michael's Cultural Center in the council room. The book topic is The Glass House by Jeannette Wells.

**CULTURAL CENTER RENOVATION FUND RAISER** – Next Sunday, June 2, 2019, the Coffee Hour will be a luncheon held as a *fund raiser* towards the costs of painting and improving the appearance of the Cultural Center. We hope everyone will make an effort to come and support this endeavor. You can certainly see the improvements the new paint and lighting updates have made. ***The suggested donation for the luncheon is \$10. The food will be provided by Stephan's. Thank you Stefan! There will also be Raffle Drawings.*** Please be generous in your support. If you would like to make a donation towards these costs, please use the envelopes in the pews and mark it "Hall Renovation". Thank you.

**MEMORIAL DAY/DECORATION DAY** – is a federal holiday in the United States for remembering the men and women who *died* while serving in the country's armed forces. Today during Liturgy, we prayed for our soldiers who gave their lives for freedom in our country. Tomorrow, Memorial Day, take a moment to remember those veterans who died for your freedom!