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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

June 9, 2024

Epistle: Acts 16: 16-34

Gospel: John 9:1-38

CHRIST IS RISEN! TRULY HE IS RISEN! XPNECTOC BOCKPEC!

COFFEE HOUR: Chicken dinners may be picked up following Divine Liturgy. Enjoy!

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, Bradley Webster, Jestin Spears, Roger Wodkowski, Daniel Moran, Marge Wade, Mary Varchola, Zlatko Petrovich, Thomas Barkulis, Ronald Miller, Ronald Buck, David Tomchuck, Joanne Kowalenok, Tamara Perri, Wyatt Alexander Jankowski, Dr. Anthony Munaco, Helen Woytowich, Jim Fisher and Brandon Henkel.

RECUPERATING AT HOME: *Nancy Hay* is now at home recovering from knee surgery on Tuesday, May. Please pray for her health and improvement.

PLEASE PRAY for *Branon Henkel*, son of Dean & Stephanie Henkel, who was involved in a very serious motor vehicle/bicycle accident and is hospitalized in critical condition in California. Please pray for him and Dean & Stephanie and their family during this very difficult time.

CHURCH SERVICES THIS WEEK:

Wednesday, June 12th – Vespers for the Holy Feast of Ascension Day

5:00 p.m.

Thursday, June 13th – Holy Feast of Ascension Day – Divine Liturgy

10:00 a.m.

Fr. Timothy will be celebrating his 44th year in the Holy Priesthood on Ascension Day!

Come to church and pray with your family and Fr. Timothy on this important Feast of Ascension Day!

A CHEROKEE PARABLE:

An old Cherokee was teaching his grandson about life. “A fight is going on inside me”, he said to the boy. “It is a terrible fight, and it is between two wolves. One is evil – he is anger, sorrow, regret, greed, arrogance, self-pity, guilt, resentment, inferiority, lies, false pride, superiority, and ego.”

He continued, “The other is good – he is joy, love, hope, serenity, humility, kindness, benevolence, empathy, generosity, truth, compassion, and faith. The same fight is going on inside of you - and inside every other person, too.”

The grandson thought about it for a minute and then asked his grandfather, “Which wolf will win?”

The old Cherokee simply replied, “The one you feed.”

JESUS said – “A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, That ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if you have love one to another.” (John 13: 34, 35)