

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Saint Prochorus and Others -- July 28th

The Need for Assistants

“At that time, as the number of disciples continued to grow, the Hellenists complained against the Hebrews because their widows were being neglected in the daily distribution. So the Twelve called together the community of the disciples and said, ‘It is not right for us to neglect the word of God to serve at table. Brothers, select from among you seven reputable men, filled with the Spirit and wisdom, whom we shall appoint to this task, whereas we shall devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word.’ The proposal was acceptable to the whole community, so they chose Stephen,

a man filled with faith and the holy Spirit, also Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicholas of Antioch, a convert to Judaism. They presented these men to the apostles who prayed and laid hands on them.” [Acts 6:1-6]

You were deacons and eyewitnesses of the Word, chosen vessels of the faith and glorious saints. Today we take up the celebration of your memory and glorify you with a light and happy heart.
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"Slava Isusoo Khristoo!"
"Glory to Jesus Christ!"

July 28, 2013
The 10th Sunday

FATHER PASTOR will be on his annual ("fishin") vacation from Sunday, July 28, to Friday, August 9. Fr. George Worschak is scheduled to substitute for Father Pastor next weekend and celebrate only one Holy Liturgy on Sunday, August 4th at 9 am. There will be no services next Saturday, August 3. If serious illness or accident occurs in your family, please contact the local priest or the hospital chaplain for the sacraments. If a death occurs in your family and/or the need to open a grave in our parish cemetery, please leave a message on the rectory phone and call the caretakers Anna and Michele at 610-246-6141.

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU goes out to Jack Strouse and his crew for all the beautiful landscaping work this week at the Church estate. The fellows trimmed and weeded, pruned and cleaned the property, as well as planted bright new flowers for the fall. God bless all these good men and the Strouse Family!

WE HAVE APPOINTED Zenny Martyniuk Jr. a member of our Parish Finance Council to take the place of Frank Katarynick. We thank Frank most profusely for his decades of service to our church and wish him and Sandi well on his retirement.

OUR CEMETERY FENCE has now been repaired and replaced, all 150 feet of the damaged fencing. We thank the Eagleville Fence Co. for the fine and prompt work on this project.

THE ANCIENT AND GREAT FEAST of the Transfiguration of Our Lord on Mt. Tabor (August 6) will be solemnly marked in our parish on the weekend of August 10-11. We will bless and distribute various fruits on this feastday as a sign of our thanksgiving to God for all His great blessings and graces throughout the year.

WE ARE SO GRATEFUL to all our many folks who attend the Holy Liturgy, pray and sing with us, donate and support our beautiful parish. We realize the sacrifice many of you make each week and, we are sure, Our Lord Jesus Christ will love and bless you a hundred-fold, not only on this earth-born life but in the one to come!

DIVINE SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, 6 pm +Stephen and Mary Byus (The Joe Dudas Family)
Sunday, 9 am For all the Faithful

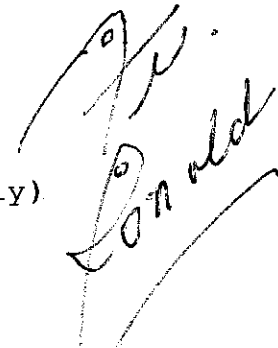
Sunday, August 4, 9 am For all the Faithful

TODAY'S TROPAR: Although the stone was sealed by the Judeans and soldiers guarded Your most pure Body, You rose, O Savior, on the third day and gave life to the world. And so the Heavenly Powers cried out to You, O Giver of Life: "Glory to Your Resurrection, O Christ! Glory to Your Kingdom! Glory to Your Saving Plan, O Only Lover of all mankind."

GLORY TO THE FATHER...

TODAY'S KONTAK: You arose in glory from the tomb and with Yourself You raised up all the world. All humanity acclaimns You as God and death has vanished. Adam and Eve exult, now saved from bondage as they cry out: "You are the One, O Christ, Who gives Resurrection to all the world.

TODAY'S PROKIMEN: Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, for we have hoped in You.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donald", is written vertically on the right side of the page. The signature is stylized and includes a large flourish at the top.