



# St. Mary's Orthodox Church

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**OUR WEBSITE...www.stmarysnativity.org**

**Serving Today: Fr. Michael Evans**

Retired Attached: V. Rev Paul Ropitsky

Choir Director: Wash King

Readers: **3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: 5/14 Claire Remington – 5/21 Gloria Bench**

**Epistle 5/14 Michael Ropitsky – 5/21 Nancy Lorchak**

**Sunday, May 14, 2017**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sun/ Pascha – Samaritan Woman**

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Epistle –Acts 11:19-26,29-30

Gospel –John 4:5-42

*Christ Is Risen!*

*Indeed He Is Risen!*

Sun.....May 14.....9:30am

Divine Liturgy ... **HAVE A BLESSED MOTHER'S DAY!**

Sun.....May 21.....9:30am

Divine Liturgy

**We WELCOME all our visitors today!** We want to let you know that we are **so glad** you came to pray with us. **Please come again;** join us after services in the Church Hall for Coffee Hour. If you do not have a home church, we invite you to become a part of our Church Family. **Please sign the guest book in the Vestibule, so we can have a record of your visit.....** **Please Note:** Only those Orthodox Christians that have properly prepared themselves may approach the Chalice and receive Holy Communion.

**Flowers/Tetrapod...For the health of all Living Women and In memory of all Deceased Women of St Marys.**

**7-Day Vigils/Altar ...For the health of All our Shut-ins offered by the Good Samaritans.**

**Altar Candles...In memory of mother Mary Lorchak offered by Martha, Marie & Jacob..**

**Eternal Lamp... In memory of father John offered by Mat. Lovey Ropitsky.**

**Vigil Crosses ... For the health of EVERYONE celebrating their Birthday or Wedding Anniversary during the month of May offered by the Ladies Aid Society.**

**7-Day Vigils/Tetrapod... In memory of Helen & Mary Herbert offered by Mildred O'Shura.**

**Dec Candles /Tetrapod...For the health of Godmother Pauline Maholick offered by Melanie Preschutti.**

**Prayer List: HEAVENLY FATHER,...** Physician of our souls and bodies, Who has sent your only begotten Son to heal every sickness and infirmity, visit us and heal us, Your servants, from all physical and spiritual ailments through the grace of Your Son Jesus Christ; grant to us patience in this sickness, strength of body and spirit, and recovery of health. **Lord, You have taught us through Your word to pray for each other that we may be healed.** You are the source of healing and to You we give glory; to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Clark Bogosh, Ted Bogosh, Jane Bubernak, Stephanie Chmel, Edward Conarty, Raymond Danchak, John Evetushick, Nadine Fegley, Gloria Ferri, Michael & Julia Harahus, Mary Harahush, Olga Hebda, Mary Hudak, Joseph Herbert, Martha Katchur, Andrew Kinn, Barbara Kinn, Al & Claire Kononchuk, Michael Kulick, John Kushnir, Mary Lutash, Olga Macalush, Helen Macenka, Nicholas Maholick, Barbara Maliniak, Paul & Kay Maliniak, Gloria Maliniak, Natalie Miller, Mildred O'Shura, Helen Ostrosky, Kathy Puschak, Nancy Ruggeri, Helen Scheese, Helen Sheers, Eleanor Sidorjak, Olga Sidorjak, Martha Teno, Elizabeth Warcholak, Richard York, Ronald & Marie Yurchak.

**(If you wish to have loved ones added to or removed from the Prayer List...Please contact Kay Maliniak 570-668-4248)**

**If anyone is in need of a priest please call Father Paul Ropitsky at 570-874-3507....** Father asks that he be notified when a parish family member is sick or in the Hospital, unless he is told, he is unable to attend to their needs.

**For emergency sick call.....in hospitals in the Allentown Area, please contact Rev. Tim Hasenecz at 610- 997- 5459.**

## COMING EVENTS

Tues May 23 .....1:00pm

Ladies Aid Society Meeting

Wed May 17..... 7:00pm

Church Council Business Meeting

Please take the time to check the **BULLETIN BOARD IN THE CHURCH HALL** for activities in the Diocese and events in our area.

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**Financials 5/7/17 Operating Acct:** Dues 0- Candles 79- Weekly 473- Non-Env13 – Holy Day 28  
Good Friday 5 Altar Candles 60 = Total **\$ 658.00**  
Building Fund 55.....Cemetery Care 155-.... Thank You.

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**Coffee Hour:** Please join us in the Parish Hall following Divine Liturgy, every Sunday, for a time of fellowship and refreshments.

May 14- Margaret Miller, Kathy Paterson, Marie Skripnek

May 21- IN SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOMS John & Mary Evetushick, Roz Harkins, Lynn Sharpe

May 28- Gloria Bench, Olga Kushnir, Helen Ostrosky

June 4- Barbara Teno, Marie Yurchak

Drawing Winner – Fr Evans Family

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**May Birthdays:** 2-Lynn Sharpe, 8-Pauline Maholick, 17-Russell King, 17- Julia Forte, 22- Andrew Miller,  
31 Marie Skripnek.

**May Anniversaries:** 9- Julie & Richard McHugh, 16- V Rev Paul & Mat Lovey Ropitsky, 16- Paul & Kay Maliniak

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## CHINESE AUCTION - Sunday May 21, 2017

**Browsing 1 - 2:30pm - Auction at 2:30pm**

**KITCHEN WILL BE OPEN!**

**Donations of Baked Goods & Goodies  
will be most welcome!**

**GIFTS & MONETARY DONATIONS**

**Needed & must to be in by Friday, May 19.**

**Volunteers are needed to help set-up**

**And to work at the auction itself**

**Questions?.....Please see**

**Helen King or Marie Skripnek**

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**“SHOP & DROP” will be available to parish members  
after Divine Liturgy on Sunday May 21.**