



# St. Mary's Orthodox Church

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**Rector: V. Rev. James Weremedic**

Retired Attached: V. Rev Paul Ropitsky

Choir Director: Wash King

Readers: 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: 5/13 Claire Remington – 5/20 Nancy Lorchak

Epistle: 5/13 Nancy Lorchak – 5/20 Sbdn James

**Sunday, May 13, 2018**

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Pascha**

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Epistle – Acts 16:16-34

Gospel – John 9:1-38

**Christ Is Risen!**

**Indeed He Is Risen!**

Sun...May 13...9:30AM

Wed...May 16...5:00 PM

Thurs...May 17...9:30 AM

Sat...May 19...5:00 PM

Sun...May 20...9:30 AM

Divine Liturgy followed by Mother's Day Luncheon

Great Vespers / Litiya / Confessions

Divine Liturgy – Ascension of Our Lord

Great Vespers / Confessions

Divine Liturgy followed by Coffee Hour in Church Basement

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**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 who have properly prepared themselves may approach the Chalice and receive Holy Communion.  
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Flowers – For the health of Helen Yurchak offered by George Yurchak

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

Altar Candles... In memory of **Olga Macalush** offered by Carol & John

Eternal Lamp... In memory of Father, **John** offered by Matushka Lovey Ropitsky

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

7-Day Vigils/Tetrapod... In memory of **Mary Lutash (1 yr)** offered by Olga Hebda

Dec Candles /Tetrapod... For the health of **Julia Forte (90<sup>th</sup> birthday)** offered by Helen K. Ostrosky

5-17-2018 – Ascension of Our Lord

Altar Candles...For the health of **Julia Forte** offered by Gloria Bench

Vigil Crosses...In memory of **Helen K. Ostrosky** offered by Julia Forte

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**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, Irene David, John Evetushick, Nadine Fegley, Gloria Ferri, Michael & Julia Harahus, Mary Harahush, Olga Hebda, Mary Hudak, Joseph Herbert, Martha Katchur, Andrew Kinn, Peter Kinn, Claire Kononchuk, Michael Kulick, John Kushnir, Helen Macenka, Nicholas Maholick, Barbara Maliniak, Paul Maliniak, Gloria Maliniak, Isaac & Britney Miller, Natalie Miller, Mildred O'Shura, Anna Pisko, Kathy Puschak, Nancy Ruggeri, Helen Scheese, Helen Sheers, Althea Rosahac

Shellock, Eleanor Sidoriak, Olga Sidoriak, Helen Suda, Mary Taylor, Martha Teno, Nancy Vanno, Sylvester Vavra, Elizabeth Warcholak, Richard York, Ronald & Marie Yurchak.  
(If you wish to have loved ones added to or removed from the Prayer List...Please contact - Gloria Bench 570-386-5855

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If anyone is in need of a priest please call Father James Weremedic at 570-645-2772 .....Visitation of the Sick and Infirm: If you are going into the hospital for any reason, please inform Fr. James at the Rectory. **Emergency Calls: Please call the Rectory (570-645-2772) anytime (day or night) in an emergency.**  
**Baptism:** Parents, please contact Fr. James prior to setting a date/time for your child's baptism.  
**Marriage:** Please discuss timing with Father James prior to setting a date. There are Pre-marital sessions that need to be attended prior to the wedding.

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## COMING EVENTS

**Wed. May 16 ... 6:15 PM**                      **Church Council Business Meeting**  
**Sun. May 20 ... 2:30 PM**                      **Chinese Auction in Church Hall**  
**Fri. June 1 ... 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM**                      **Church Picnic – South Tamaqua**  
**Tues. June 19 ... 1:00 PM**                      **Ladies Aid Meeting in Church Hall**

**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 5/6/18 Operating Acct:** -Dues 520 – Candles 73 – Weekly 587 – Non-Env 20 – Holy Days 72 – Altar Candles 70 – Flower Remit 144 – Donations 105 = Total **\$ 1,591.00**  
Building Fund 30 - ... Cemetery Care 60 - ... 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 13 – Mother's Day Lunch – John Evetushick, Roz Harkins, Nancy King**

**May 20 – Gloria Bench, Michael Tatusko – Coffee Hour in Church Basement – Chinese Auction in Church Hall**

**May 27 – Barbara Teno, Marie Yurchak**

**Drawing Winner – Barbara Teno; Box of Candy – Nancy King**

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**May Birthdays:** 2-Lynn Sharpe, 17- Julia Forte & Russell King, 21- Lindsey Ruch, 22- Andrew Miller, 31- Marie Skripnek

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

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*Chinese Auction – Sunday, May 20, 2018*

*Browsing 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM – Auction starts at 2:30 PM*

*Food available for sale*

*Gifts or Money Donations can be given to Helen King or Marie Skripnek  
as soon as possible*