

Happy Mother's Day to all of the mothers of the parish.
 May God Grant you good health, long life,
 and many happy and blessed years!

To the mothers who are no longer with us,
 May God grant them eternal rest. Eternal Memory.



Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, whose mother had organized women's groups to promote friendship and health, originated Mother's Day. On May 12, 1907, she held a memorial service at her late mother's church in Grafton, West Virginia. Within five years virtually every state was observing the day, and in 1914 U.S. Pres. Woodrow Wilson made it a national holiday. Although Jarvis had promoted the wearing of a white carnation as a tribute to one's mother, the custom developed of wearing a red or pink carnation to represent a living mother or a white carnation for a mother who was deceased. Over time the day was expanded to include others, such as grandmothers and aunts, who played mothering roles. What had originally been primarily a day of honor became associated with the sending of cards and the giving of gifts, however, and, in protest against its commercialization, Jarvis spent the last years of her life trying to abolish the holiday she had brought into being. Thank you to Anna Jarvis for bringing this holiday into being, and thank you Mothers for bringing us into being.



Next Sunday, May 21, we will celebrate
 Fr. Tony 30th Anniversary to the Holy Priesthood.
 There will be a Divine Liturgy of Thanksgiving
 followed by a dinner in his honor.
 Let us celebrate Fr. Tony on his special day.



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Our Weekly Bulletin

Welcome to our Parish

Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is Risen!
 Христос Воскрес! Воистину Воскрес!

Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week

Week of May 14 to 21, 2023

Sunday, May 14	Sixth Sunday of Pascha Sunday of the Man Born Blind	Millie Deskevich 90th Birthday
May 15	No Liturgy	
May 16	No Liturgy	
May 17	Divine Liturgy 5:00PM	Steve and Millie Deskevich
May 18	Ascension Thursday	
May 19	No Liturgy	
May 20	No Liturgy	
Sunday, May 21	Seventh Sunday of Pascha Fathers of the 1st Ecumenical Council	Fr. Anthony Balistreri

*If you are looking for a closer relationship with Jesus Christ
 and are looking for a home, you are welcome to be part
 of our kid friendly family in Christ. You have found your way home.*

6th Sunday of Pascha - The Man Born Blind

Acts 16:16-34

John 9:1-38

Troparion (Tone 5)

Let us the faithful acclaim and worship the Word, coeternal with the Father and the Spirit, and born of the Virgin for our salvation. For He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to suffer death and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.

Kondakion (Tone 4)

Glory be ... Blinded in the eyes of my soul, I come to You, O Christ, like the man who was blind from birth, and I cry in repentance: You are the brilliant light of those in darkness.

Kondakion (Tone 8)

Now and forever... Though You descended into a tomb, O Immortal One, yet You destroyed the power of Hades; and You rose as victor, O Christ God, calling to the myrrh bearing women: Rejoice! And giving peace to Your Apostles: You, who grant Resurrection to the fallen.

Prokeimen (Tone 8)

Pray and give praise to the Lord our God. Pray and give praise to the Lord our God.

verse: In Judea, God is known; His name is great in Israel.

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Alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse Look upon me and have mercy.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse Direct my steps according to Your word.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Communion Verse

Receive the Body of Christ; taste the fountain of immortality.

Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. Alleluia. (3)

Notice about the Child Protection

It is important to remind the people of our parish from time to time that if anyone has been the victim of sexual abuse by the clergy, or by an employee or a volunteer, he or she should come forward and make that known to his or her pastor or to the bishop, who can be reached at his chancery by dialing (440) 888-1522, or by writing to him at PO Box 347180, Parma, OH 44134-7180. You may also report it to the Assistance Coordinator, Marika Zaliszczuk at (412) 215-5372. For more information on St. Josaphat Eparchy's safe environment policy and procedures and other pertinent info, please, log onto: <http://stjosaphateparchy.com/safe-environment/>.

PARISH NEWS

Weekly Collection - May 7, 2023 - \$825.00. Thank you for your generosity.

Relief for Ukraine - Amount collected to date \$6,483.00.

Saturdays with Jesus - May 20: 10AM Adults 2PM Children

Relief for Ukraine - Financial help to Ukraine can be done by writing a check to:

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat and on the memo line: Aid for Ukraine.

Vacation Bible School - VBS will be July 31 to Aug 4. Mark your calendars.

Potato Fest - The annual Ebensburg Potato Fest will be September 30th.

Parish Picnic - Our annual Summer Picnic will be on July 16.

Potato Fest Cooking - Anyone interested in helping to make the food for the Potato Fest please see Edna so that a schedule can be formulated.

Happy 12th Anniversary to Fr. Andriy and Sarah
May God grant them good health, long life and many happy years!
Многая і благая літа!

Happy 67th Anniversary to Steve and Millie
May God grant them good health, long life and many happy years!
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Prayer List

Parishioners: Millie & Steve Deskevich, Connie Butkus, Kathy Ott, Sarah Kelt, Gary Maurer, the Lutak family, Jeremiah Hunt, Margaret Reighard.

Friends of the Parish: Jennifer Maurer, Breanna Borlie, Tom and Kris, Richard Shonk, Ryder McDermitt, Steve Helsel, Patricia Dragani, Eugene, Kevin Rogers, Darla Tishok, the Williams family, Patty Hunt, Kevin Blem, Linda Kusmierski.

Joke of the Day

Although I am of Chinese descent, I never really learned to speak Chinese. One evening, I came home boasting about a wonderful meal I'd had in Chinatown. I couldn't remember the name of the restaurant, but wrote down the Chinese character on the door to show to my mother. "Do you know what it says?" Mom asked with a smile. "It says 'Pull.'"