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6th Sunday of Pascha: The Blindman Sunday 17 May 2026

SCRIPTURES FOR TODAY (Tone 5)
Acts 16:16-34; John 9:1-38
Next Sunday, Acts 20:16-18, 28-36; John 17:1-13
Vespers every Saturday evening @ 5:00 PM

There will be no Requiem Memorials on Pentecost Sunday, May 31st.

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Ascension of Christ – Thursday, May 21, 2026

Wednesday Evening, 6:30 PM – Great Vespers with blessing of bread, wheat, wine and oil.
Thursday Morning, 9:00 AM – Divine Liturgy

Last Day of Sunday School Classes

Today was the last day of Sunday School classes. Thank you to our teachers who dedicate their time to teach our children the teachings of the Orthodox Faith.

Time Change

Divine Liturgy will begin at 9:30 AM beginning next Sunday, May 24. This time will remain in effect until the Fall.

Parish Council Meeting next Sunday following services.

New Altar Server Vestments

The new Altar Server Vestments that were blessed today will be used for the summer months were made possible by several donors:
Marlene Sinichak in memory of Joanne Sinichak, Phil & Elena Anischenko, Lara Werries and Tim & Kathy Andreychek. We thank you for your generosity and God Bless you!

Decorated Candles for Pentecost

Special decorated candles will be available for the Feast of Pentecost, which this year falls on Sunday, May 31st. Each candle is available at $20.00. Reservations must be made by Sunday, May 24th. Please remember to use one line per candle.

Important Dates

May 21 – Ascension
May 31 – Pentecost
June 8 – Sts. Peter & Paul Fast Begins
July 12- Sts. Peter & Paul
July 26 – Parish Picnic

Church Clean-up Day

Thank you to all of the volunteers who came yesterday to do some cleaning for the church. It is deeply appreciated

Sponsors still needed for candles

There are still some items available for May 31 for sponsorship. As of printing of this bulletin, one votive cross and St. Herman's Shrine still needs a sponsor for the Feast of Pentecost.

SAINTS NAME FOR THIS WEEK TODAY, SUNDAY (May 17/4)- *Pelegia,* Sylvan, Alvian, Erazmus, Lazarus, *Mary (Magdalen),* Aphrodisius, Leonty, Anthony, Valerian, Makrovius, Athanasius, Nikita, Kyrill, Nikifor, Clement, Isaac. MON- *Irene, Gaiana,* Neofit, Gaius, Adrian, Jacob. TUE– Job, Barbarus, Kallimachus, Dionysius, Micah. WED- Akakius, Neal, John, Avivus, Anthony, David, Zenonus, Thaddeus, Isus, Joseph, Isidor, Michael, Pirrus, Stephen, Shio, Pachomy. THUR- Ascension of the Lord! Ap. & Evang. John (Theologian), Arseny, Pimen, *Emilia,* Iraxus. FRI- Nicholas (Myra), Isaiah, Christopher, *Kallinica, Aquilina,* Gabriel, Shio, Epimachus, Gordion, Joseph. SAT- Ap. Simon (Zealot), *Isidora, Taisia,* Isichius, Philadelphus, Kyprian, Alphaeus, Onisimus, Erazmus, Lawrence.