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14th Sunday after Pentecost
The Beheading of St. John the Baptist.

STRICT FAST DAY

- 9:00am – Divine Liturgy with
Epistles: 2 Cor. 1:21-2:4
Acts 13:25-32
Gospels: Matt. 22:1-14
Mark 6:14-30
- Fellowship – Please come downstairs following Liturgy for Coffee Hour, provided by Matushka Anna & Maxim. Thank you.

Schedule of Services

Saturday, September 4
6:00pm – Great Vespers

Sunday, September 5
8:30am – General Confession
9:00am (last time) – Divine Liturgy

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Commemoration of St. John

The divine Baptist, the Prophet born of a Prophet, the seal of all the Prophets and beginning of the Apostles, the mediator between the Old and New Covenants, the voice of one crying in the wilderness, the God-sent Messenger of the incarnate Messiah, the forerunner of Christ's coming into the world (Isaiah 40:3; Mal. 3: 1); who by many miracles was both conceived and born; who was filled with the Holy Spirit while yet in his mother's womb; who came forth like another Elias the Zealot, whose life in the wilderness and divine zeal for God's Law he imitated: this divine Prophet, after he had preached the baptism of repentance according to God's command, had taught men of both low rank and high how they must order their lives; had admonished those whom he baptized and had filled them with the fear of God, teaching them that no one is able to escape the wrath to come if he does not have works worthy of repentance; had, through such preaching, prepared their hearts to receive the evangelical teachings of the Savior; and finally, after he had pointed out to the people the very Savior, and said, "Behold the Lamb of God, Which taketh away the sin of the world" (Luke 3:2-18; John 1: 29-36), after all this, John sealed with his own blood the truth of his words and was made a sacred victim for the divine Law at the hands of a transgressor Herod Antipas.

Welcome to our Parish

We warmly welcome all families, friends and guests to our parish. We are glad to pray with you here today. Over the past eighty-six years, hundreds of people have called Ss. Peter and Paul their home. If this parish is the kind of a spiritual home you have been searching for, we would love to have you become a part of our family.

Intercessory Prayer

THE LIVING:

Walter and Mary Milk, Stephen and Lillian Sokol, Benedict and Eva Benda, Theodore Rocca, Alexei, Nicholas, Frank, Michael and Elizabeth Zuber, Valentina Benda, Andrew Koch, Cindy Boswell, Olga DeMay, Helen Pirniak, Marianne Guagenti, George Silberman, George Hook, Peter Mazula, Helen Pawlush, Antonina Rotko, Matilda Skripak, Evelyn Morely, Anne Hueston, Cathryn Christensen, Walter Epps, David Smith

May God grant you Many Years!

THE NEWLY DEPARTED:

Steven Petronko, Agnes Silberman, Julia Brelinsky, Helen Cotrone, June Bianchini

THE DEPARTED:

Maryanne Benda, Anne Verona, Ann Fondak, Theodor Bacha, Margaret Dellabella, George Makara.

Memory Eternal! Вечная Память!

Congratulation!

Our best wishes to Mr. John Wanko on the occasion of his re-election as a President of the Russian Brotherhood Organization of the USA.

May God bless the work you do in the Brotherhood to fulfill the important biblical principle of brotherly love, which the RBO accomplishes through the actual practice of the teachings of the "Brotherhood of Man".

May God also bless you and all your family with good health, happiness and joy for Many, Many, Many Years! Mnogaya Leta!



Announcements

❖ A new issue of "The Orthodox Church" newspaper is available online at: www.oca.org. Due to financial difficulties, the newspaper will be no longer distributed over a regular mail. If you can not use a computer, please pick up a hard copy of the Newspaper at the candle desk. Quantities are limited, so please try to share.

❖ On September 14, at 7:00pm, there will be an Open Forum in Ss. Peter and Paul Church, South River, NJ, to discuss the newly crafted working draft of the Strategic Plan for the OCA. This draft has been published on the Diocesan web page: www.nynjoca.org. If you cannot make it to the meeting in our deanery, you may attend meetings scheduled for the other deaneries: New York City Deanery, October 10 at St. John Chrysostom Church, Woodside, NY; or New York State Deanery, October 21 at St. Nicholas Church, Cohoes, NY. "This Strategic Plan is meant to be a roadmap for us, as the Church," according to Priest John Vitko, a committee member. "In developing this roadmap, it is critically important that we reach out to all the members of the Church for their prayerful input."

❖ Divine Liturgy time change! Please note that the last Divine Liturgy at 9:00am will be served on the next Sunday, September 5. After the Labor Day weekend we switch back to start Divine Liturgies at 9:30am.

❖ Save the date: Carpathian Club's Picnic - September 19. For tickets see Robert Pierce or John Korello.

❖ Coffee Hour Sponsors are needed. Have it in memory or in honor of your loved ones. Please sign-up at the candle desk. Upcoming Coffee Hours: September 5 – by Alena Burkova.

❖ Available at the candle desk are memorial candles, Altar bread and wine to be sponsored in prayerful intentions of your loved-ones.

❖ If you need a nice dark-wood dining table in excellent condition for six people (free of charge), please see Tonva Galati. Pickup in Staten Island.