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Clergy: Father Paisius McGrath, Pastor
 Protopresbyter, William Diakiw, Attached
 Parish Board President: Karen Sheptak
 Choir Director: Eric Prokopchak

Today's Commemorated Feasts and Saints: 11th Sunday after Pentecost- Tone 2
Afterfeast of Dormition of the Holy Theotokos; Holy Prophet Samuel

*****PARISH SCHEDULE*****

Today, Sunday, August 20, 11th Sunday after Pentecost, 3rd Hour 9:15 am Divine Liturgy 9:30 am Coffee Hour: Ron and Rose Frenchak (Ladies Guild)
 Monday, August 21, Parish Executive Board Meeting, 6:30 pm
 Tuesday, August 22, Ladies Guild Officers Meeting, 6:30 pm
 Saturday, August 26, Great Vespers 4 pm Pirohi Workers Pizza Party 5 pm
 Sunday, August 27, 12th Sunday after Pentecost, Service of Holy Repentance 9 am Divine Liturgy 9:30 am Coffee Hour: Rose Raith (UOL)

*****PRAYER CORNER*****

For Healing and Good Health: Metropolitan Antony, Archbishop Daniel, Protopresbyter William Diakiw, Pani Sonia Diakiw, Father John Harvey, Father Nestor Kowal, Panimatka Lillian Hnatko, Ron Radio, Orycia Hammerschmitt, Stephen Sheptak, Gregory Prokopchak, Jessica Burka, Amanda Burka, Tanner Noble, Nick and Arianna Coyle, Jean Markiw, Kathryn Tymkiw, Jack Povlick, Mary Ann Jurysta, Sherri Burka, Emil Russo, Helen Burka, Michael Romanyshyn, Mary Demarco, Nicholas Burka, , Eva Bilowich, Patty Hnatko, Rose Hnatko, Sherri Markiw, Ethan Rock, Scott Cygan, Metrophan Martin, Ronna Frenchak Pindel, Lovie Tymkiw, Donna Grey, Helen Olenic, our brothers and sisters suffering in Ukraine, Syria, Iraq and Egypt

Memory Eternal: Mary DeMarco, Nicholas Burka, Nathan Hartman, Lisa Sexton

*****PARISH NEWS AND UPDATES*****

This morning we as a parish extend our best wishes and congratulations to Father William and Pani Sonia Diakiw as they celebrate their wedding anniversary this week on Wednesday, August 23. May the Lord our God grant to His servants, Father William and Pani Sonia, many more blessed and happy years!

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This morning we as a parish community extend our best wishes and congratulations to Adrienne Hassler as she celebrates her birthday today on Sunday, August 20; to Larry Cygan as he celebrates his birthday on Tuesday, August 22; and to Patty Hnatko as she celebrates her birthday on Friday, August 25. May the Lord our God grant to His servants, Adrienne, Larry and Patty, many more blessed and happy years!

Today following Divine Liturgy our fellow Orthodox Christians at Saint Anthony's Orthodox Church will be having their Annual Picnic at the home of Dollie Sipos at 119 Maple Grove Drive, Butler at 1 pm. They have extended an invitation for us to join them for this wonderful yearly event of good food and fellowship and we encourage the participation of our parish membership. For those planning to attend please bring a favorite dish to share- all meats will be supplied.

This week on Thursday, August 24, we join together with our Diocese in celebrating the 26th Anniversary of our ancestral homeland of Ukraine. To mark this occasion we offer in our bulletin this morning the Epistle from our Hierarchs on this event and its celebration. Let us all join together in praying for Ukraine and for God's continued blessing and guidance upon it during the continued civil strife and conflict going on there at the present time.

We invite everyone to join us for the Parish Pirohi Workers Pizza Party this Saturday, August 26 at 5 pm on the 2nd Floor of the Ukrainian Hall. Come and join us as we prepare for the start of the Parish Pirohi Sales for the 2017-2018 year on Friday, September 8.

In our ongoing efforts to deepen and broaden the liturgical life of our parish, we will begin on Sunday, September 3 to offer the Service of Orthros(Matins) before Divine Liturgy one Sunday a month and on Feast days. This is a very important part of our Orthodox liturgical heritage and as well as an integral part of Orthodox worship. For those in our parish who would like to help with the chanting and reading of the various parts of this service, please talk with Father Paisius and Dottie Vordos for more information regarding this new effort.

The 2017 Family Fest at All Saints Camp will be held over Labor Day weekend on September 1-4. This is a wonderful annual opportunity for everyone to enjoy a time of worship, food and fellowship together on the scenic and beautiful grounds of All Saints Camp. For further information contact Cathy Bucharew at (717)303-8651 or cbucharew@gmail.com or Eric Senedak at (412) 390-8261.

As the summer months draw to a close we wish to announce that we will return to Divine Liturgy on Sunday's at 10 am beginning Sunday, September 10. Please make note of this and mark your calendars as we return to our regular time for Divine Liturgy.

MAY CHRIST OUR GOD GRANT TO HIS SERVANTS ALL OF THE FAITHFUL OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH AND ALL OUR VISITORS TODAY, PEACE, HEALTH AND SALVATION AND MAY HE SAFEGUARD AND KEEP US ALL FOR MANY YEARS!