

Holy Ghost Byzantine Catholic Church

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“My house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.” (Isaiah 5:6-7)

WELCOME! You enter this church as a guest of God, your heavenly Father. Come with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence. Be grateful to the faithful who, in Jesus' Name, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified and hallowed it with their prayers and praise. Ask His blessing on those who love His house of faith as the inspiration of their labor, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit, and may that blessing rest on you.

~ Schedule of Divine Liturgies and Services for August 26th & 27th

GLORY TO JESUS THE CHRIST! SLAVA ISUSUS CHRISTU!

12th Sunday After Pentecost

Tone 3 Epistle 1Corinthians 15:1-11; Gospel – Matthew 19:16-26

Sat.	3:30 p.m.	Mystery of Penance (Confessions)
Aug. 26	4:00 p.m.	+ Joseph M. & +Julia Himchak by son, Joseph
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	+ Michael Pegula by wife, Anna
Aug. 27	The weekly intention for Holy Ghost	And St. John's parishoners will be at St. Michael's until further notice.

13th Sunday after Pentecost

Monday	6:00 p.m. Beheading of St. John	+ John Yatonsky by Paul & Elizabeth Maksimiak and Barbara Lodomirak
Aug. 28		
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. Beheading of St. John	At St. Michael's Church, Dunmore
Aug. 29		
Sat.	3:30 p.m.	Mystery of Penance (Confessions)
Sept.2	4:00 p.m.	+ Joseph Tonti by Mr & Mrs Larry Pegula
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	+ Victoria & +Stephen Mizerak by daughter, Alice Mizerak
Sept.3		
Thurs.		
Sept. 7	6:00 p.m. Birth of the Theotokos	
Friday		
Sept. 8	8:00 a.m. Birth of the Theotokos	At St. Michael's Church, Dunmore
	6:00 p.m.	At St. John's Church, Forest City

To the Parish Family of Holy Ghost Church,

“What must I do to possess everlasting life?” That is the question that a young man asks Jesus. And Jesus responds by quoting a number of the commandments which God handed to Moses on Mount Sinai. But the young man continues to press Jesus and then things become difficult. Jesus asks the young man to go beyond the Law and give generously to others. This saddens the young man because he is owned by his possessions.

This is a great danger in our day, for we tend to be comfortable and have many “things” at our disposal. May they never blind us to the more important needs of our sisters and brothers.

---Fr. Robert

The Ladies Guild has disbanded, but we would like to give them all a sincere Thank You for their many years of dedicated service to our church. They have given all remaining funds from their closed account to our Holy Ghost Cemetery.

The beautiful Icon of the Theotokos, sitting on the easel next to the pulpit, has been donated to our church by Monsignor John's sisters and mother. It is a wonderful reminder of Msgr. John's many years spent serving our parish. Thank you to his family for their thoughtfulness.

YOUR STEWARDSHIP: For August 19 & 20: Sunday Offering: \$1214.00; Monthly Dues \$70.00; Holy Days: \$158.00; Candles \$80.00; ECL \$5.00; School Loan \$92.00; Special Intention \$100.00
 Total: \$1719.0 Envelopes Adults - 82; 0- Children Cemetery \$5.00
 Thank you for your sacrificial giving and generosity.

10 MONTH LOTTERY – Thank you to all for making our 10-month Lottery a great success! Winners: 8/14 #421 Bryon Ortalano; 8/15 #907 Lori Cole; 8/16 #157 Frank & Beverly Jordan; 8/17 #971 Alice Faliskie; 8/18 #483 Hanover Motor Sales/Tony Mannino; 8/19 #856 T. Fetcho; 8/20 #641 John Kelemanik
 Congratulations to all the winners!

Because of the great success of our 10 month lottery, we are going to try and make this an annual fundraiser. We will start selling them again in September & October. The calendars are already printed, if anyone wants to buy or sell them, please contact Gregory Dick (570-489-8723) or Jean Cucura (570-489-3974). They make great Christmas and birthday gifts. Requests for certain numbers will be honored first come, first serve.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION; The 5th Annual E.C.F.(Eastern Christian Formation) Kick-Off Event for our religious education classes will be on Wednesday September 20th, in the LaSalle Academy Junior High Classrooms. Registration forms with additional details can be found in the church foyer.

SANCTUARY CANDLE this week is given for the Health & Happiness of Anthony and Elizabeth Scaccia by their families

Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament: Council #10729 of Jessup/Peckville is sponsoring its annual Golf Tournament on Sunday, **September 10th** at the Sand Springs Golf Course in Drums, Pa. Captain and Crew format, \$100 per golfer (\$400 per team) includes golf cart, lunch at the turn, and dinners at Rossi's in Archbald. 9AM shotgun start. Hole sponsorships of \$100 are also available. For further info, please contact Sam DeLeo (570) 983-6615, Bob Wasilchak (570) 383-0347, or Joe Himchak (570) 382-8526.

REMEMBER HIS WILL IN YOURS – You can express your commitment to our Parish by making a bequest to HOLY GHOST CHURCH. Simply have the following statement included in your will: “I LEAVE TO HOLY GHOST PARISH, JESSUP, PA, THE SUM OF \$_____ (or _____% of the residue of my estate) for its religious, educational and charitable works.” May God abundantly bless you for considering to do this for us!

WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN DOING TO HELP THE PRO-LIFE CAUSE?

PLEASE PRAY FOR PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND IN OUR WORLD. PRAY FOR VOCATIONS.