

Liturgical Schedule Twenty-first Week after Pentecost October 30, 2022

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost;

Saturday October 29

Dunlo **5:00 PM** Vigil Divine Liturgy [+Walter Prozialeck, by Mrs. Eleanor Vantraba]

Sunday October 30

Portage **9:00 AM** Sunday Divine Liturgy

Monday, October 31

Blessed Theodore Romzha, Martyr

Portage 7:45 AM The Third Hour
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy [+Joyce Spontak, by Spontak Family]

Friday, November 4

Portage 7:45 AM The Third Hour
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy [+Mike Mazur, by Steve & Marge Fleck]

Saturday November 5

Portage 3:00 PM Mystery of Repentance [Confessions]
Beaverdale 4:30 PM Mystery of Repentance [Confessions]

Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost;

Saturday November 5

Beaverdale **5:00 PM** Vigil Divine Liturgy

Sunday November 6

Portage **9:00 AM** Sunday Divine Liturgy
[+Paulette Fedorko—*40th Day Remembrance*, by Barbara and Jim Koban]

The holy priest-martyr Theodore Romzha: Born in the village of Veliky Bychkiv in Transcarpathia in 1911, he came from a poor family and exhibited a vocation to the priesthood. Sent to Rome for studies, he was ordained in 1937 and sent to the country parish of Berzovo. In 1939, he was called to the seminary at Uzhorod and taught there until 1944. In 1944, despite his youth, he was ordained bishop for the Mukachevo Eparchy.

During the Soviet Army's occupation of the Transcarpathia region, he was tireless in his care for his flock and in his defense of the rights of the Byzantine Catholic Church. On October 27, 1947, he was severely wounded in a staged accident. He was taken to the hospital in Mukachevo, where he was subsequently poisoned, and died. (1947). We *celebrate his feast on Monday, October 31.*

Annual Moleben for the Advancement of the Causes —A ***Marian Moleben*** for the Causes of Beatification and Canonization of our four Ruthenian Byzantine Catholic Bishops *Bishop-Martyr Theodore G. Romzha; Bishop-Martyr Paul P. Gojdich, O.S.B.M.; Bishop-Martyr Basil Hopko; and Bishop Alexander Chira* will be offered at ***Holy Ghost Church, McKees Rocks, Sunday, October 30*** at 3:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served following the service.

The Sanctuary Candle is offered this week for ***+Moose Pyo***, by wife, Jane Pyo and children.

Eternal Memory: Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Archpriest John Petro**, a retired priest of the Archeparchy, who has fallen asleep in the Lord.

You are also asked to pray for the repose of the soul of **+Deacon George Fatula**, of the Nativity of the Mother of God Church, DuBois; and also his wife **+Renetta Fatula**, who have both fallen asleep in the Lord this past week; **August Asturi**, the father of the late Reverend Father Bruno Asturi; and **+Dr. Daniel G. Duker**, the brother of Monsignor Russell A. Duker.

Sale of Property: A 3.25 acre parcel of property in Adams Township, on the Dunlo Dip Road, had been purchased by Saint Mary's parish, Beaverdale, in June 1972. The parcel was purchased for possible relocation of the Beaverdale rectory to a mid-point between the Beaverdale and Dunlo parishes.

Following consultation with the Beaverdale and Dunlo Parish Advisory Council, and with the approval of Metropolitan Archbishop William Skurla, this property has been sold. It was no longer feasible or necessary to use this site for the original intent for which it had been purchased. This property was purchased by Stephen and Susan Andrykovitch of Beaverdale from Saint Mary's, Beaverdale for \$4,000. The transfer of the property was completed on Friday, October 20.

Work Party & Church Cleaning for November: The **Work Party** will be Saturday, November 5, at 9:00 am. **Church Cleaning** for November is on Monday, November 7 at 9:00 am.

Thanks to our volunteers both for the Work Party & Church Cleaning.

40th Annual Carpatho-Rusyn Ethnic Festival: Saint John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church Social Hall, 201 East Main Street, Uniontown, Sunday, October 30, Noon to 5:00 p.m. Ethnic foods (holubki, halushki, pirohi, pagach, kielbasa & kraut), baked goods, entertainment. Also, presentation on Rusyn culture/customs, church tour, displays, craft sales, raffles, parish cookbooks, bake sale, folk art demonstrations; children's activities. Everyone is welcome. Admission is free.

For more information: <http://www.stiohnbaptist-byzcatch-uniontown.org>.

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Bulletins and "Troitsja" Candle:

<u>Sunday November 6</u>	<u>Candle:</u> Bella Koban	<u>Bulletins:</u>	Lexie Slanoc & Easton Slanoc
<u>Sunday November 6</u>	<u>Candle:</u> Easton Slanoc	<u>Bulletins:</u>	Abby Koban & Bella Koban
<u>Sunday November 13</u>	<u>Candle:</u> Lexie Slanoc	<u>Bulletins:</u>	Lexie Slanoc & Easton Slanoc

Remember in Prayer: The Health of: Shawn Crum; Steve Paluch; Jason Thornton; Charlett Thornton; Catherine McGough; Carol Slifko; Deacon Daniel Perich; Donna Block; Holly Pawvluk; Michael & Pauline Barelick; and all the ill, homebound.

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS: SS Peter & Paul (Portage): Dorothy Billy; Louise Halovich; Joseph Mandichak; Michelle Maskal; Dorothy Majer; Stella Raptosh; Cathy Walters;. **NURSING & CARE FACILITIES: Homewood,** Martinsburg: *Charles Plishka* [Beaverdale]; **Rebekah Manor,** Portage: Helen Zaher; **Maple Winds:** June Nezeski; **John Paul II Manor,** Cresson: Kathryn Mackovyak; **Cambria Care,** Ebensburg: Dorothy Resconich; **Forest Hills Personal Care,** Sidman: Kathryn Malley.

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Mysteries of Christian Initiation: There is to be **preparatory instruction** for parents and godparents prior to the celebration of the **Mysteries of Christian Initiation – Baptism, Chrismation, and Eucharist**. Christian Initiation may be celebrated with the Sunday Divine Liturgy. Those selected to be sponsors must be persons who are qualified to be a sponsor according the norms of Church law and practice.

Crowning in Marriage: A **six month period of preparation** is to precede the marriage. Couples are to meet with the pastor before other arrangements are scheduled. The **Pre-Cana Program** offered by the Archeparchy in the spring of each year is a **required** part of the marriage preparation for all couples.

Holy Anointing & Pastoral Care of the Ill: Please contact the pastor prior to surgery or in the event of illness to require the **Mystery of Holy Anointing**. When you or a family member are hospitalized or enter a nursing home or other facility, **please inform the pastor**.

Mystery of Repentance (Confessions): Saturdays: **3:00 p.m. (Portage)** and **4:30 pm (Beaverdale/Dunlo)**. Also, **½ hour before services [except Sunday]**, and by appointment.