

Liturgical Schedule Cheesefare Week—February 7, 2021

Meatfare Sunday

Saturday February 6

Beaverdale 5:00 PM

Vigil Divine Liturgy

[+Catherine Selepak, +George Selepak, & +Susan Rusnak by Carol Krieger]

Sunday February 7

Portage 9:00 AM

Sunday Divine Liturgy

Monday, February 8

Portage 7:45 AM

The Third Hour

Portage 8:00 am

Divine Liturgy [+Ed Olshavsky and +Eddie Olshavsky, by Maxine Olshavsky]

Tuesday, February 9

Portage 7:45 AM

The Third Hour

Portage 8:00 am

Divine Liturgy--[+ Regina Havrilla, by John and Barbara Havrilla]

Saturday, February 13

Portage 3:00 pm

Confessions-Mystery of Repentance

Dunlo 4:30 pm

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Cheesefare Sunday

Saturday February 13

Dunlo 5:00 PM

Vigil Divine Liturgy [+Ann Garanich by William and Therese Garanich]

Sunday February 14

Portage 9:00 AM

Sunday Divine Liturgy

Portage 5:00 PM

Cheesefare Sunday Vespers

Prayer Partners for the Great Fast: Following the Divine Liturgy for *Cheesefare Sunday* there will be an opportunity to select **Prayer Partners** for Great Lent. Use the form below to enter your name in a basket in the back of church. Blank forms will also be available on the table to enter your name. Names will be drawn at the conclusion of the Vigil Liturgy in Dunlo Saturday, February 13 and at the Divine Liturgy in Portage on Sunday February 14.

Name: _____

Thank you for praying for me!

"I give thanks to my God at every remembrance of you, praying always with joy in my every prayer for you. And this is my prayer: that your love may increase ever more and more in knowledge and every kind of perfection, to discern what is of value, so that you may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God." [Philippians 1:3-4, 9-

Sanctuary Candle: The Sanctuary Candle is offered this week at Saints Peter and Paul, Portage for the health of + *Regina Havrilla*, requested by John and Barbara Havrilla.

Eternal Memory: - You are asked to pray for the repose of the soul of +*John J. Koza* who fell asleep in the Lord on February 3. We extend our deepest sympathy and prayerful support to all of his family. Also, please pray for the repose of the soul of *Sister Regina Adams OSBM* who fell asleep in the Lord February 3 in the 64th year of her religious life as a Sister of St. Basil.

Memorial Donation: - We gratefully acknowledge a donation to Saints Peter and Paul, Dunlo in memory of +*Catherine Thrower* from Katherine Sabol of Concord, Ohio. *Eternal Memory!*

Parish Advisory Council Meeting: The next meeting of the *Parish Advisory Council* for Saints Peter and Paul, Portage is on **Thursday, February 11**, at 7:00 pm. The meeting will be held in the social room of the church hall.

Minutes of the meeting of Thursday, November 12, 2020 will be included in next Sunday's bulletin.

Your cooperation with guidelines posted in the narthex is appreciated.

- ***Face masks*** are required to protect one another [provided in narthex for your convenience.]
- After each person has received, the ***Communion spoon*** is sanitized in a vessel containing an alcohol product [75% alcohol] which is drinkable, to encourage participation in the Eucharist.

Statements of Parishioners' Offerings for 2020 for Saint Peter and Paul, Portage will be available for those requesting their statement. If you have need of your 2020 offerings, call the rectory [814-736-9780] or send request to **james armand spontak@verizon.net**.

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Remember in Prayer

For the Health of: *Deacon Daniel Perich; Ann Mishock; Joan Plishka; Donna Block; Marge Fleck; Pauline Barelick* and all the ill and homebound of our parishes.

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS AND NURSING HOME RESIDENTS

At home: SS Peter & Paul (Portage): Dorothy Billy; Catherine Czapp Louise Halovich; Joseph Mandichak; Michelle Maskal; Dorothy Majer; Stella Raptosh;; Cathy Walters; Helen Zaher

St. Mary (Beaverdale): Catherine McGough.

NURSING & OTHER CARE FACILITIES: **Arbutus Park Manor:** Margaret Rachael [Dunlo]; **Autumn View:** June Nezneski; **Amber Hills:** *Ebensburg: Father Ronald Borsuk;* **John Paul II Manor, Cresson:** Kathryn Mackovyak; **Just Like Home Personal Care,** Cresson: Dorothy Resconich

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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.

Opportunities for Stewardship: Parishioners are asked to make a commitment of **Time, Talent, and Treasure...** **Work Parties:** first Saturday of each month; **Church Cleaning** the first Monday.