

## Liturgical Schedule Third Week after Pentecost June 11, 2023

### Second after Pentecost

#### Saturday June 10

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

#### Sunday June 11

Portage **9:00 AM** Sunday Divine Liturgy  
[+Paulette Fedorko, by Noelle, Jason & Parker Miller]

#### Monday, June 12

Portage **10:00 AM** Funeral Divine Liturgy--*+Dorothy Resconich*

#### Friday June 16

Portage 7:45 AM The Third Hour  
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy [+Mary Korenoski by Ann & Dan Mattis]

#### Saturday June 17

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

### Third after Pentecost--Father's Day

#### Saturday June 17

Beaverdale **5:00 PM** Vigil Divine Liturgy *We remember all our Fathers, Living & Deceased*

#### Sunday June 18

Portage **9:00 AM** Sunday Divine Liturgy *We remember all our Fathers, Living & Deceased*

**Pastoral Practicum Program:** We warmly welcome Deacon Tyler Wisniewski as he begins his Pastoral Practicum Please remember him in your prayers. His personal greetings are below:

*"Greetings parishioners of Ss. Peter and Paul! My name is Deacon Tyler Wisniewski, and I will be spending my summer in Portage assisting Fr. Jim. While I will be spending most of my time here, I also will be helping our seminary rector with the School of Diaconate Studies the last two weeks of June. In mid-July, I'm making a pilgrimage to Constantinople and the Holy Land. It certainly will be a busy summer! Thank you for welcoming me to your parish. I visited here two summers ago and was immediately struck by the numerous mosaics. You have a beautiful church in which to worship God.*

*"I come from a small town with two red lights and no grocery store: Scottdale, PA. My great-grandfather was one of the founding members of our Byzantine Catholic parish in Scottdale. I grew up a cradle Byzantine Catholic and have always had a love of liturgy. I will be serving the liturgies as a deacon in my home parish next weekend (6/17-18). I attended Penn State for my undergraduate degree and spent three years in Washington, D.C. conducting research at the National Institutes of Health before entering seminary. I recently completed my third year of seminary studies and was just ordained a deacon last Sunday. I am excited to start my ministry as a deacon at Ss. Peter and Paul and know I will learn a lot from being here this summer."*

**The Sanctuary Candle** is offered in memory of *+Georgianna Walters*; by Patty Haschak.

**Eternal Memory:** Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of ***Dorothy Resconich***, who fell asleep in the Lord on Friday, June 9. We extend our deepest sympathy and prayerful support to her brother, Dr. Sam Resconich and to all of her family.

**Annual Festival – Sunday, July 9:**

**Gob Making--Wednesday, June 14:** 8:30 am in the Church Kitchen. *Please come to lend a hand.*

**Festival Raffle Tickets** Please pick up the envelope addressed to you in the narthex.

**Festival Posters:** Please help distribute these in businesses, stores which you patronize.

**The Fast of the Holy Apostles** is Monday June 5 to Wednesday, June 28, to prepare for the Feast of the Apostles Peter and Paul [June 29]. It may be observed voluntarily as a time of renewal of faith. This Feast of the Apostles is the patronal feast for both the Portage and Dunlo parish

**Celebration of Marriage** to honor married couples observing ***Wedding Anniversaries of 10, 25, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, or additional years in multiples of five*** in 2023; **Sunday, September 10**. A Divine Liturgy of Thanksgiving by Metropolitan William at St. Elias Church in Munhall at 3 pm; followed by a dinner. Please inform Father Jim if you are observing one of these anniversaries in 2023 by Sunday, July 16 so that we may commemorate your jubilee.

**Portage Area Community:** `Concerns have recently been expressed about reports of an entertainment venue planned on Main Street in Portage Borough. Portage Borough “*complaint forms*” to register your concern over this matter are in the narthex. You may return these to the Borough office, or we will return them for you. There will be a box to collect completed forms in the narthex.

**Fatima Devotions:** The Franciscan Friars, T.O.R., from Loretto, invite you to participate with them in celebrating ***Fatima Devotions*** on Tuesday June 13, 6:30 pm. In case of inclement weather, at the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel. Our choir will be from the Basilica of Saint Michael the Archangel. The presider will be Fr. Peter Lyons, T.O.R. We are really looking forward to seeing you.

**Graduates 2023:** Please submit the names of parishioners who are graduating in 2023 from high school, college, etc. and include degrees earned and special awards. Place information in an envelope in the offering box, or call [736-9780] or send to: [james\\_armand\\_spontak@verizon.net](mailto:james_armand_spontak@verizon.net).

**“Troitsja” Candle & Carillon Bells; Bulletins:**

<b><u>June 11</u></b>	<b><u>Candle &amp; Bells</u></b>	Easton Slanoc	<b><u>Bulletins:</u></b>	Lexie Slanoc & Easton Slanoc
<b><u>June 18</u></b>	<b><u>Candle &amp; Bells</u></b>	Lexie Slanoc	<b><u>Bulletins:</u></b>	Lexie Slanoc & Easton Slanoc

**Remember in Prayer:** *For The Health of:* Linda Sekerak; Shawn Crum; Katie Czapp; Darlene Shaner; Steve Paluch; Jason Thornton; Charlett Thornton; Catherine McGough; Carol Slifko; Deacon Daniel Perich; Donna Block; 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; Joanne Stewart; Cathy Walters;. **Saint Mary, Beaverdale:** Carol Slifko; **NURSING & CARE FACILITIES:** **Rebekah Manor**, Portage: Helen Zaher; **Maple Winds:** June Nezneski; **John Paul II Manor**, Cresson: Kathryn Mackovyak; **Quality Life Services:** Catherine McGough, Beaverdale

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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.

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