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Sunday, July 7, 2024

7th Sunday After Pentecost

Tone: 6

Epistle: Romans 15:1-7 **Gospel:** Matthew 9:27-35

Liturgical Greeting

Greeting:

"Glory to Jesus Christ!"
"Slava Isusu Khrystu!"

Response:

"Glory Forever!"
"Slava Na Veeky!"



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Next Sunday: July 14, 2024

8th Sunday After Pentecost:
The Mother of God
of Perpetual Help;
Sunday of the Fathers of the
Six Ecumenical Councils

Tone: 7
Epistles:

1 Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 14:14-22

Gospels:

Matthew 9:27-35; John 17:1-13

Venerable Anthony of the Caves (July 10th)

Day:	Date:	Place:	Time:	Intention:	Offered/Requested By:	Cantor(s)/ Reader(s):		
7th Sunday After Pentecost								
	Jul 7	SA	8:30a	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom for the Parishioners of St. Anne Church K. Scenr				
Sun		нт	10:30a	Praying of the Holy Rosary		J. Bodak		
			11:00a	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom	for the Parishioners of Holy Trinity Church	J. Bodak		
Mon-Sat	Jul 8-13		No Services					
8th Sunday After Pentecost - The Mother of God of Perpetual Help; Sunday of the Fathers of the Six Ecumenical Councils								
Sun	Jul 14	SA	8:30a	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom for the Parishioners of St. Anne Church P. N		P. Nachim		
		НТ	10:30a	Praying of the Holy Rosary		J. Bodak		
			11:00a	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom	for the Parishioners of Holy Trinity Church	M. Marczyszyn		

Prayer Requests

Holy Trinity Church: Ann Blazina, Andrea Curran, John Fecych, Dan Malarcik, Yvonne Mudryk, James Pirko, Marie Schuller, and *the health of all of our parishioners.*St. Anne Church: Joseph Belasco, Joyce Budinsky, Carole Elias, Roger Elias, Susan Kurtiak, Joseph Kury, Louis Mancini, Katie Moran, Margaret Rodomsky, Ann Stevens, Josie Timlin, Helen Yurchison, and *the health of all of our parishioners.*

<u>Clergy</u>: Bishop Josyf Milyan, Fr. Louis, Fr. Jeff, and Msgr. Martin Canavan.

Non-Parishioners: Kennedy Eatinger, Mark F., Dawn Howard, Yaroslava, Myroslava, Halyna, Petro, Nadiya, Mylan, Yaremiya, Zoryana, Mariya, Connor, Claire, Mark, Christine, Dave Kishton, Fr. Andrzej, Judy Lepore, Jimi Stevens, Carol Martyn Dow, Tonja Delaine, Joann Panko, Kateryna Bolshahova, William J. Smith, Jim, Ivan M., Nadiya M., Anna F., Alexei Y., Nadiya Y., Volodymyr Y., Joe Beeson, Oleh and Oksana, Olha, Ivan, Vasyl, Isaiah, and Priscilla.

Our very Best Wishes and Blessings to our dear Parishioners celebrating their life milestones this week.

Holy Trinity Church

Jul 8: Melissa Woak

Jul 13: Richard and Mary Mines (44)

Jul 14: **Joann Woak**

St. Anne Church

Jul 13: Mary Ellen Leskovec

Na Mnohaya ee Blahaya Leeta!

МОЛІТЬСЯ ЗА УКРАЇНУ!

PRAY FOR UKRAINE!

Holy Trinity and St. Anne Churches again welcome back

Fr. Andrew Clarke

who will be serving as the main celebrant again during this week's Divine Liturgies!

Welcome Back and Jhank You!

2023 Eparchy Financial Statements Now Available

The audited 2023 financial statements from our eparchy together with the bishop's and the Eparchial Financial Officer's letters are available on our eparchy's website (https://stjosaphateparchy.com/financial-statements/?mc_cid=f2e502bfab&mc_eid=d5728b89c0).

Please call the parish office (330-744-5820) if you would like to have hard copies of these documents.

Thank you!

<u>Holy Trinity 50/50 Club June Winner:</u> **Joan Bodak**

The June total was \$30.00. The church and Joan each receive \$15.00.

Holy Trinity Church Financials for the Week Ending June 30, 2024								
Candles/Offering:	\$3.00	Repairs/Maint:	\$15.00					
Weekly Offering:	\$540.00	Pyrohy Sales:	\$48.00					
Diocesan:	\$10.00	50/50:	\$5.00					
Nativity/St. John:	\$15.00	Deposit:	\$776.00					
Ss. Peter and Paul:	\$30.00	Sunday Attendance:	28					
Peter's Pence:	\$15.00	June 50/50:	\$30.00					
St. Vladimir's Coll:	\$25.00	July 50/50:	\$5.00					
Lit. Intentions:	\$70.00							

UGCC Priests Ivan Levytsky and Bohdan Geleta Released from Russian Captivity

On June 28, 2024, two priests of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, hieromonks of the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer, Fr. Ivan Levytsky and Fr. Bohdan Geleta, were released from Russian detention. They were arrested in occupied Berdiansk on November 16, 2022. For a long period, no information was available about them.

"We are receiving extremely alarming signals that they are being tortured regularly. We have been seeking their release for more than a year and a half, appealing to various international institutions. We know that they are alive, praise God. We are also cooperating with our authorities, looking for opportunities to release them," His Beatitude Sviatoslav said in a recent interview with Ukrinform.





Priests Ivan Levytsky and Bohdan Geleta in Russian detention

On behalf of His Beatitude Sviatoslav, Most Rev. Andriy Khimyak, Auxiliary Bishop of the Kyiv Archeparchy, and Rev. Oleksa Petriv, Head of the UGCC Department of External Relations in Ukraine, welcomed the confessors of faith on their release from prison. They conveyed to Fathers Ivan and Bohdan the words of great joy from the Head of the Church and all the faithful who constantly prayed for this day to come.

Parolin, and the entire Vatican diplomatic corps. Special gratitude for mediation was expressed to Cardinal Matteo Zuppi and Archbishop Visvaldas Kulbokas, Apostolic Nuncio to Ukraine. Each of them contributed invaluably to making this event a reality.



Since the full-scale invasion in February 2022, priests Ivan Levytskyi and Bohdan Geleta decided to stay with their people in the temporarily occupied territories. They served both the Greek Catholic and Roman Catholic communities, being a beacon of hope for people under occupation. They were arrested, followed by some military items being planted in the church and accused of illegal possession of weapons. There were reports that they were being tortured mercilessly to extract a confession to a crime they did not commit.



His Beatitude Sviatoslav expressed his deep gratitude to the Apostolic See for the rescue of the UGCC priests. He conveyed special thanks to Pope Francis, Cardinal Pietro

For some time, no information was available about the prisoners. Only in May did His Beatitude Sviatoslav receive the news that Fathers Ivan and Bohdan were alive and there was

Source: Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church (https://ugcc.ua/en/data/ugcc-priests-ivan-levytsky-and-bohdan-geleta-released-from-russian-captivity-1109).

hope for their release. On June 28, it was the day.

Prayer Corner

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we adore You, we praise You, we worship You, and we love You! We thank You for Your gift of life to us! We thank You for the overabundance of blessings that You bestow on us every day! We thank You for the gift of salvation that we received from You! We humbly ask You to help us to love You wholeheartedly and to love our neighbors as we love ourselves. We ask You to continue to bless us and to help us to be Your authentic adopted children. We ask You to have mercy on us, to cleanse us of our sins, and to fill our hearts with Your life-giving grace. In Your immense kindness, please heed these petitions that we present to You:

- for the end of all wars and conflicts in the world, especially
 for the end of the current wars in Ukraine and the Middle
 East, for all who died during them, for the loved ones they
 left behind as well as for the enlightenment and conversion of the hearts of the aggressors, so that a sincere and
 truthful dialogue may lead to an authentic and lasting
 peace and reconciliation between people, we pray to You,
 O Lord, hear us and have mercy! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of all abortions in the world, for all the aborted and miscarried babies, for the healing of those who committed or assisted with abortions, for the conversion of all who are planning to commit abortions as well as for all the unborn babies in the world and their parents, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of the child slavery, child abuse, domestic abuse, gender ideology, prostitution, and human trafficking in the world, for all the victims both living and deceased as well as for the conversion of all who perpetrate these grave and heinous sins, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the vocations to the sacred priesthood, diaconate, and religious life, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion to the true faith of all people in the world, who did not embrace the light of the Triune God yet, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion of all sinners in the world, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the consolation of all persecuted Christians in the world, especially the ones in Asia, Middle East, and Africa

- and for the conversion of hearts and minds of those, who persecute them, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of all wars, conflicts, and violence in the world, especially for the establishment of the authentic and lasting peace, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all the refugees, the migrants, the poor, the hungry, the orphans, the half-orphans, the homeless, the missing, and the abducted throughout the world, especially the children, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all prisoners in the world, especially the ones on death row, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the liberation of all people in the world who are addicted to drugs, alcohol, smoking, and pornography, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion of all people in the world, who have difficulty telling the truth and acting truthfully, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all people in the world, who are hopeless as well as those, who contemplate suicide, that their hearts may be filled with hope, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all widows and widowers in the world, we pray to You,
 O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the healing of all sick and handicapped people in the world, for the repose of the souls of all who died from any disease or handicap as well as for the loved ones they left behind, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all unemployed people in the world and their families that they may find work soon, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all faithful of the Catholic Church, especially all members of St. Josaphat Eparchy, as well as for all our families, relatives, friends, and acquaintances, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the deliverance of all souls from Purgatory to Heaven, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!

Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we humbly ask You to grant all of these petitions in accordance with Your most holy will through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Angels and Saints and may You be praised forever and ever! Amen.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Originally composed by Fr. Lubomir Zhybak in 2020 and revised on March 26, 2024. Image: icon of the Most Holy Trinity, written by Mr. Dennis Bell in 2010, at Holy Trinity Ukrainian Catholic Church in Youngstown, OH (2014) [photo of the icon taken and edited by Luba Horsky].