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Lord of the Powers be with us, for in times of distress we have no other help but You.

Lord of the Powers, have mercy on us.

“Do not fear, only believe” Mark 5:36

Sunday, July 12 – 5th Sunday after Pentecost / St Peter & Paul / Св Петар и Павле - Петровдан

Epistle Romans 10:1-10 & 2nd Corinthians 11:21-12:9 Gospel Matthew 8:28-9:1 & Matthew 16:13-19 tone 4th
3rd & 6th hours at 9:40 am; Divine Liturgy at 10 am.

Thursday, July 16 Vigil / Confession at 6 pm

Friday, July 17 - Hieromartyr Sava of Gornjokarlovci / The Royal Russian Martyrs Divine Liturgy at 9 am

Saturday, July 18 – St Mardarije Day at Sveti Sava monastery

Hierarchal Liturgy under the picnic pavilion at 9:30 am, Vigil / confession at 5 pm

Sunday, July 19 – 6th Sunday after Pentecost / Ven Sisoes the Great / Св Сисоје

Epistle Rom. 9:1-5 Gospel Matt. 9:18-26 tone 5th 3rd & 6th hours at 9:40 am; Divine Liturgy at 10 am

Upcoming Feast days and events:

August 2 – St Elijah the prophet /Св пророк Илија / blessing of vehicles / благосиљање возила

9 – St Panteleimon, the Greatmartyr / Св Пантелија

We are praying especially for: Mary Book, Radovan Jovanovich, Art Schumann, Richard Jovanovich, Judy Lockwood, Stevan Iacsin, George Cizmas, Christopher, George, Richard Kovacevich, for all who are afflicted by coronavirus, and all others in our parish who are ill, afflicted, suffering and/or unable to attend services. May Our Lord Jesus Christ Touch Them with His Healing Hand!

Pomens (litany for departed) +Paul Susich, given by Patty Janich; +Michael O’Leary, given by Millie O’Leary; +Michael O’Leary, given by Nadine O’Leary and Josh Potts, +Michael O’Leary, given by Annette O’Leary; +Paul Shimek, +Nicholas and +Beda Nikolich, +Peter and +Leona Petkovich, given by Pete and Kathy Petkovich; +Violet, +Michael, +Stella, +Joseph Sr and +Julia Enich, +Danica and +Alexander Grabavoy, +Iso Ciganovich, +Jovo and +Jeka Plecas, given by Nadine and Michael Keer;

Blessing of vehicles will be on St Elijah feast, August 2 after the Liturgy.

Please be aware that your St George church is always here for you, especially during this pandemic. We offer our prayers for all afflicted, their families, and medical staff who assist the ill, all who have essential jobs, and all who put their lives in danger for our safety and well-being! May God continue to help and protect them! You can always call Fr Aleksandar to let him know when you have any spiritual needs, desire for Sacraments, want to come to church to pray and/or talk to him. Attending Sunday Liturgy and other worship services is only for those who feel safe and healthy and with observing required social distance. You can wear a mask and/or gloves if you want. Our church is cleaned regularly and everything that the faithful might touch is wiped and disinfected almost daily.

In addition to the St George Scholarship for our Sunday School High School Graduates, we are announcing a 2nd scholarship; the Father Ned College Scholarship Fund. This scholarship has been initially funded and made available to our children courtesy of Father Ned. Eligible St George students can now apply to two scholarships during their college years starting with the upcoming school year 2020/21. The amount available for both scholarships annually are \$500.00 for a university and \$250.00 for a Junior/Community College. Forms are available at the warden’s desk and must be received by Father Alex by September 13th at noon.

PRETEND SERBFEST: In an effort to keep our momentum going on the success of our recent SerbFests, and in light of the coronavirus forcing a cancellation of all summer picnics at St. Joe’s Park this year, the church board has made the decision to create a Pretend Serbfest. We are asking each parishioner to pretend that they would be attending this year’s SerbFest on July 19 and still spend the same amount that they would have on the raffle tickets, sponsorships, food and drink. By those calculations, we are hopeful that each parishioner would be willing to donate \$100 to this year’s pretend event or the sponsorship levels that some of you committed to last year. If that is still too much for you to commit at this time, don’t feel obligated to hit the \$100 mark and instead donate whatever you feel is comfortable for you at this time. Letters with pledge cards were sent out this past Monday. If you did not receive one, please make contact with Dave Laketa. Our goal is to surpass last year’s record number of \$19,306.97 raised.

На Св Илију после литургије благосиљаће се возила на паркингу. Планирајте доћи у цркву и да осветите ваша кола.

У суботу 18 јула у 9:30 ам биће Св Архијерејска литургија у павиљону на пикнику код Св Саве Манастира у Либертивилу. Прослава Св Мардарија Либертивиласког и све америкашког

У петак јула 17 биће Св литургија у цркви. У спомен Св Саве Горњокарловачкога и Царске руске породице као и помен за Војсковођу и бранитеља имена српског Дражу Михајловића и све који су убијени после другог рата од руку безбожника.

Coronavirus Prayer

O Lord our God enter not into judgement with Thy servants, and protect us from the pestilence coming onto us. Spare us, Thy humble and unworthy servants, who in repentance, with a warm faith and contrition of the heart, are falling down before Thee, our merciful and beneficent God, and trusting in Thy mercy. Yours is mercy and salvation, our God. Glory to Thee, to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, both now and ever, and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

Go in Peace to Love and Serve the Lord!