Fathers of the 6 Ecumenical Councils, July 14, 2019

9:00 AM Lit. God’s Blessings for Nadia and Antonia
r/by Olga Bas
11:00 AM - Lit. For God’s Blessings on Our Parishioners
Monday, July 15, 2019
No Liturgy Scheduled
Tuesday, July 16, 2019
8:00 AM - Lit. + Sr. Gabriel Suszko
Wednesday, July 17, 2019
7:30 AM - Lit. + Mary Ginda r/by Daughter, Kathy
Thursday, July 18, 2019
8:00 AM - Lit. + Nick Lyszyk r/by Roger & Ann Allen
Friday, July 19, 2019
8:00 AM - Lit. + Katharina Brandafi r/by Maria Dzerva
Saturday, July 20, 2019
8:00 AM - Lit. Health of Taras, Myroslav, Roman
r/by Iryna Kuzysyn
5:00 PM - Lit. + John Adamschik r/by Joyce, Bill, Mike
6th Sunday After Pentecost, July 21, 2019
Ephistle - Rom 12:6-14; Gospel - Mt 9:1-8
9:00 AM - Lit. For God’s Blessings on Our Parishioners
11:00 AM - Lit. + Geraldine Palyla r/by Husband & Family

Donations to Church
In Memory of + MARY ANN MAKAR
$100.00 - Joan Galetta
$50.00 - Olga Yurechko
$25.00 - Cynthia Pryszlak
Bishop Gabro School Endowment Fund
$100.00 - Ann Marie Stek, in memory of
+ MARY ANN MAKAR

Church Donation Envelopes
Be sure your name and the amount of your donation are clearly marked, and do NOT use scotch tape to seal the envelope. Thank you.

Mark your Calendar for the following archieparchial events:
- Wednesday, October 2, 2019: First Session of the Archieparchial Sobor (in Philadelphia)
- Saturday-Sunday, December 7-8, 2019: Second Session of the Archieparchial Sobor (in Philadelphia)

2019 Festival Wrap Up Meeting
A Festival Committee meeting will be held on Thursday, July 25, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. Hope to see you there.

Kids Back To School Supplies
Dear parishioners, this year I would like to introduce the Back to School Supplies for Children in Need project that will take place Sunday, July 21st through Sunday, August 25th. We will collect supplies for the students of our parochial Assumption Catholic School. The supplies will go to students whose families cannot afford to purchase basic school supplies. The following items are the most needed, crayons, colored pencils, pencils, pencil top erasers, scissors, glue sticks, spiral or composition notebooks, folders with prongs, one inch 3 ring binders, and wide rule or college rule paper. Collection box will be placed in the church vestibule, next to the chapel. Your support of this project will allow children less fortunate to have the necessary supplies to insure a successful start this school year.

Baptism Congratulations
Congratulations and Best Wishes are extended to the following upon receiving the Holy Mysteries of Christian Initiation: Baptism, Chrismation and Holy Eucharist:
HENRI MARCEL VASILIY BARRUEL,
son of Mathieu Barruel and Melissa Markowitz
LUKA KHANAS,
son of Paulo Khanas and Valeriya Kim

The Seven Ecumenical Councils & Their Principal Doctrines
The First Ecumenical Council of Nicaea (AD 325)
This Council, the first Ecumenical Council of the Catholic and Apostolic Church, was held in order to bring out the true teaching of the Church as opposed by the heresy of Arius. It formally presented the teaching of the Church declaring the divinity of God the Son to be one substance and one nature with that of God the Father. There were twenty canons drawn up, in which the time of celebrating Easter was clarified. From this Council we have the Nicene Creed.

The First Ecumenical Council of Constantinople (AD 381)
Again the true faith was maintained against the Arians along with the Apollinarian and Macedonian heresies, which denied the Godhead of the Holy Spirit, the dogma of the Church was again stated and the words inserted into the Nicene Creed declaring the truth that the Holy Spirit proceeded from the Father through (Not “and”) the Son.

The Ecumenical Council of Ephesus (AD 431)
The Third General Council of the Church defined the universal dogma that the Blessed Virgin is the Mother of God and presented the teaching of the truth of one divine person in Christ.

The Ecumenical Council of Chalcedon (AD 451)
Held twenty years after the third General Council, this was to answer the Monophysite heresy and affirm the doctrine of two natures in Christ, human and divine.

The Second Ecumenical Council of Constantinople (AD 553)
This Council is sometimes referred to as the Council of the Three Chapters. It reaffirmed the dogmas stated by the third and forth General Councils.

The Third Ecumenical Council of Constantinople (AD 680-681)
This Council gave the definition of two wills in Christ as the true teaching against the Monothelite heresy which claimed only one will.

The Second Ecumenical Council of Nicaea (AD 757)
Here was defined the veneration due to holy images, that we give honor only to those they represent and not to the image itself as such. It also gave twenty-two canons regarding the clergy.

Children’s Bible Summer Camp.
Bible Summer Camp for the parish children Grades 1 to 6 has been scheduled for Mon.- Wed., August 26-27-28, 2019, 9:00 a.m-3:00 p.m. in our church hall. We want to reach and teach your children in such a way that they have the greatest opportunity to become devoted followers of Jesus. For three days, kids will participate in many fun-filled activities, including singing, crafts, and games. They will hear Bible Stories, meet new friends and enjoy healthy snacks. Kids will also learn about God through fun-filled, age-appropriate activities. Please register your child for this FREE camp on a sign-up sheet in the church vestibule. If your child is planning to go, put your name on that sheet and also take home the yellow registration form, fill it out and bring it with your child for the first day of camp. The chairperson of the camp is Mrs. Melanie Fedynysyn and volunteers.

85th Annual Ukrainian Seminary Day
The 85th Annual Ukrainian Seminary Day will be held Sunday, July 28th at St. Nicholas Church Picnic Grounds in Primrose (just outside Minersville), Schuylkill County, Pa. This annual event is sponsored by the 12 parishes and faithful of the South Anthracite Deanery under the leadership of their respective pastors. His Grace, Metropolitan-Archbishop Borys Gudziak will be the main celebrant and homilist at the 11:00 am Divine Liturgy. Address: (GPS locator: 855 Sunbury Road, Pottsville, Pa.)