

DIVINE LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK**Sunday of the Samaritan Woman, May 10, 2020****MOTHERS DAY**

9:00 AM - Lit. Living Mothers of Our Parish
Pan. + Deceased Mothers of Our Parish

Tuesday, May 12, 2020

9:00 AM - Lit. + Marie and Vera Glowa

Wednesday, May 13, 2020

9:00 AM - Lit. Health and Blessings for Olga Castell
r/by Grandchildren

6:00 PM - May Devotions to the Mother of God

Thursday, May 14, 2020

9:00 AM - Lit. + Peter Dochych r/by Tom Dochych

Friday, May 15, 2020

9:00 AM - Lit. + Charles Galetta r/by Galetta Family

Saturday, May 16, 2020

9:00 AM - Lit. + Mary Konyk - Legate

5:00 PM - Lit. + Emil Dochych r/by Tom Dochych

Sunday of the Man Born Blind, May 17, 2020

Epistle - Acts 16:16-3; Gospel - Jn 9:1-38

9:00 AM - Lit. God's Blessings on Our Parishioners

Pastor's Corner.

Please note, the suspension of public services at our parishes continues. Meanwhile, we will continue with LIVESTREAMED LITURGIES. Join our live streamed Sunday services at 9:00 a.m. on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/ivan.turyk>

Remember to Support Our Parish.

These days are challenging for us all on many levels, including financially. A heartfelt "thank you" goes out to all who have continued to make donations to our parish either by mail, or by dropping envelopes off over the past few weeks. Any small way you can contribute is very much appreciated. If sending multiple donations, one check is fine, and a note dictating what the donation is for. If you prefer to drop them off, there is a mail slot outside the Rectory office door. **Last week we received \$5,369 in donations to support our parish.** Thanks for your generosity.

Moleben to Mary (Most Holy Theotokos)

During the month of May our Church honors Mary the Mother of God in special *moleben* services.

Every Wednesday at 6:00 pm, we will celebrate Moleben Service and pray for Our Lady's continued protection of all those who face the effects of the corona pandemic.

Birthday Greeting.

Happy 50th Birthday to His Beatitude Sviatoslav Shevchuk, head of the Ukrainian Catholic Church worldwide, who in 2015 visited our Parish and Assumption Catholic School in Perth Amboy, NJ. May God always keep you in good health in your service through the coming years. Mnohaya Lita from ACS family.

School News - National School Principal's Day.

Being the Principal in the age of coronavirus is very tough, but ACS Principal - Mrs. Lissette Shumny is getting the school through it! As our school is temporally closed because of the coronavirus pandemic, she continues to play a pivotal role in ensuring our students continue to show educational growth and feel the emotional support. Her leadership is remarkable and inspiring and she never ceases to amaze us with her effort, professionalism, creativity and kindness.

Whether it is answering emails, setting up the entire school on distance learning through google classrooms, personally delivering chromebooks to students homes, making a video with encouraging messages for students stuck at home, holding online meetings with her staff and making sure that teachers are developing high-quality lessons or sending a morning greeting for students on Google Hangouts platform, she does it with a smile and dedication to her profession. Thank You. Our prayers and best wishes go out to you on this very special day.
Fr. Ivan Turyk -Pastor and School Administrator

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY:

On the occasion of Mother's Day, best wishes go to all our mothers: good health, long life and the Lord's choicest blessings. May the Holy Mother of God guard and protect you. Many Happy and Blessed Years!

TODAY: Sunday of the Samaritan Woman

On this day, the fifth Sunday of Pascha, we celebrate the feast of the Samaritan Woman. The Samaritan woman—the holy and glorious Great-martyr Photeini—met Jesus at midday at Jacob's Well, which was located in the city of Sychar. And being tired from travel and the heat, Jesus sat at Jacob's Well. A little after, the Samaritan woman came to draw water, and had a long conversation with Him (it is the longest recorded discourse between Christ and a single person in the entire Bible). Photeini did not want to talk to Jesus, because the Samaritans did not have any dealings with Jews; Jews considered her people heretics because Samaritans kept only the first five books of the Old Testament. However, the Lord talked with her anyway, read her heart, revealed her secrets and gave her to drink of the —Living Water —the grace of the Holy Spirit that leads to eternal life and flows to all humanity. Photeini immediately ran throughout the city to proclaim Christ. Through her, many other Samaritans believed in Jesus. By the intercessions of Thy Martyr, Photeini, O Christ God, have mercy on us. Amen.

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☺ SOME HUMOR WITH HISTORIC MOTHERS ☺

- COLUMBUS' MOTHER: "I don't care what you've discovered, you still could have written!"
- MICHELANGELO'S MOTHER: "Can't you paint on walls like other children? Do you have any idea how hard it is to get that stuff off the ceiling?"
- NAPOLEON'S MOTHER: "All right, if you aren't hiding your report card inside your jacket, take your hand out of there right now and show me."
- ABRAHAM LINCOLN'S MOTHER: "Again with the stovepipe hat? Can't you just wear a baseball cap like the other kids?"
- ALBERT EINSTEIN'S MOTHER: "But it's your senior picture. Can't you do something about your hair? Styling gel, mousse, something...?"
- GEORGE WASHINGTON'S MOTHER: "The next time I catch you throwing money across the Potomac, you can kiss your allowance good-bye!"
- THOMAS EDISON'S MOTHER: "Of course I'm proud that you invented the electric light bulb. Now turn it off and get to bed!"
- PAUL REVERE'S MOTHER: "I don't care where you think you have to go, young man, midnight is past your curfew."