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### **Educational Prayer Corner:**

Wisdom from Optina.

"Those who are indignant with us teach us to carefully consider and examine ourselves: Are we really Christians? Do we love our enemies? Thus we acknowledge our infirmities" St.

### Macarius

## May Celebrations and Observances:

1st: Remington James Luckman-Birthday. 3rd: Dr. Gregory Meholic-Birthday. 4th: Dorothy Mayday-Birthday 5th: George Schlasta & Mary Brzuchalski-Birthday. 8th: Collin Hepplewhite, Marlene Buczynski-Birthday. Emmelia Rucks-Namesday 9th: Michael & Ellen Rucks-Wedding anniversary. 16th: Brendon Rucks-Namesday 18th: Edie & Tom Evans-Wedding anniversary. Fr. Daniel Geeza-Birthday. 19th: Anya Stankiewicz-Birthday. 21st: Ellen Rucks-Namesday. 22nd: Stephen Stafursky-Birthday. 27th: Linda Stuchlak-Birthday. 28th: Vilma Brown-Memory eternal! Michael Prestys Sr.-Memory eternal!

See Fr. Paul if you would like to donate toward altar candles in memory or the health of a loved one.

Weekly: \$176. Loose: \$21. Tithe: \$570. 2<sup>nd</sup> collection (Church supplies): \$50. Mortgage donation IMO Claudia Mikulak by family and friends. \$2480. Altar candle donation by Ann Marcinek. \$20.

Coffee Hour Schedule for May, 2016:

5/15: Scochin & Skorupka Families. All are welcome!

5/22: Stuchlak & Naughton Families. All are welcome!

5/29: Community Potluck. Bring your favorite dish. All are welcome!

Please stay and visit awhile in our Coffee Hour time. Let us support and encourage one another in our Orthodox Christian faith as we strengthen each other and our Orthodox Christian witness in the World.

Perogies: Available on Friday from 9-11:30 a.m. and Sunday 11-12. Thank you to all those for all your hard work in making them! Try some tasty Perogies!

## In Memory Of (IMO):

May bulletin IMO Jane & Mary Stuchlak and Josephine Lesniewski offered by Linda Stuchlak.

**May Their Memories be Eternal!** 



All Saints Orthodox Church
May 15th, 2016
Sunday of the Myrrhbearing Women

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SUNDAY – May 15th, 2016 EPISTLE: Acts 6: 1-7 GOSPEL: Mk. 15: 43-16:8

Saints of the Day: Myrrhbearing Women

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS who are visiting and worshipping with us this morning. Your presence has blessed us, and we pray that you also have been blessed by God and will return to visit again. A schedule of our services and special events is posted on our website along with many other interesting items and links. Please visit us there as well (www.allsaintsolyphant.org).

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## The following Troparia and Kontakia are sung after the Little Entrance:

(Resurrectional Troparion--Tone 2) When Thou didst descend to death, O Life Immortal, Thou didst slay hell with the splendor of Thy Godhead! And when from the depths Thou didst raise the dead, all the powers of heaven cried out: O Giver of Life, Christ our God, Glory to Thee! (The Righteous Joseph Troparion--Tone 2) The noble Joseph, when he had taken down Your most pure Body from the Tree, wrapped it in fine linen and anointed it with spices, and placed it in a new tomb. But You rose on the third day, O Lord, granting the world great mercy. (Myrrh-bearing Women Troparion--Tone 2) The angel came to the myrrh-bearing women at the tomb and said: Myrrh is fitting for the dead; but Christ has shown Himself a stranger to corruption! So proclaim: The Lord is risen, granting the world great mercy.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: (Myrrh-bearing Women Kontakion--Tone 2) You commanded the myrrh-bearers to rejoice, O Christ God! By Your Resurrection, You stopped the lamentation of Eve, the first mother! You commanded them to preach to Your apostles: The Savior is risen from the tomb.

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen. (Paschal Kontakion) Thou didst descend into the tomb, O Immortal. Thou didst destroy the power of death. In victory didst Thou arise, O Christ God, proclaiming "Rejoice" to the myrrh-bearing women, granting peace to Thine apostles, and bestowing Resurrection on the fallen.

\$450 still needed for replating of communion plates.

# Schedule for the week:

TODAY May 15th: 9:30AM Divine Liturgy. Coffee Hour follows.

Saturday, May 21st: Confession: 3:30 PM. Vespers 4 PM.

Announcements

## CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

**TODAY:** We have our Annual Egg Hunt following Divine Liturgy and Grave Blessings at 1PM.

Tuesday May 17<sup>th</sup>. Council Meeting 7PM.

We pray to the Lord in His great mercy: to visit and heal our brothers and sisters who are in need: Subdeacon Will. Justin. Liam. Karen. Matushka Patty as she looks for work now in the greater Scranton area. If you know of any leads, please let her or Fr. Paul know.

Please consider singing in the choir or teaching church school. Please help us out. See reader David for singing. See Fr. Paul on helping for church School.

**Please continue to bring a friend**, relative, fallen away member or someone new to church. Invite them to coffee hour as well. It is always good to see new people in church!

"Carpatho-Rusyn Wooden Churches of Eastern Europe," Presentation on May 28, 2016 at 11AM at St. John the Baptist Russian Orthodox Church, 9 West Railroad St., Nesquehoning, PA. Dr. Michele Parvensky will lead the presentation on the churches and her findings of her travels to Europe over the past 18 years.

All are welcome and refreshments will be served. Questions? Contact Sharon Jarrow @ 610-759-2628 or email shangp@rcn.com.