

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

4136 Jacob Street, Wheeling, WV 26003 Rectory (304) 232-2168 Church Hall (304) 232-1777

Rev. Father Jason Charron (412) 279-4652

Saturday, May 24, 2025
Sunday of the Man Born Blind

Epistle: Acts 16:16-34 Gospel: John 9:1-36

LITURGY INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 24 – For the repose of the soul of Vera Kohut -requested by Mary Ann Bosley

Saturday, May 31 – For the health of Pete Kohut, Jr.

-requested by Mary Ann Bosley

DIVINE LITURGY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, MAY 24 – DIVINE LITURGY 5PM SATURDAY, MAY 31 – DIVINE LITURGY 5PM

PIEROGI NEWS

Please let all your family and friends know that we are back to making pierogi and cabbage rolls. They are sold on Thursdays 9am to 4pm. The number to call to place an order is 304-232-1777.

DEANERY PILGRIMAGE IN CELEBRATION OF THE JUBILEE YEAR 2025

Wednesday, May 28th
St John the Baptist (South Side)
109 S. 7th Street, Pittsburgh PA 15203

6:30 PM – Vesperal Divine Liturgy for the Feast of the Ascension Confession

Bishop Bohdan J. Danylo will celebrate the Liturgy with local clergy.

<u>A SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE</u> <u>OUR LADY OF FATIMA</u>

The year was 1917. The world was at war. World War I was raging. Twenty million killed and twenty-one million wounded. And Mary came to warn people that even worse atrocities were coming if humanity didn't change course.

Three Portuguese children were the recipients of visions and messages from Mary; Lucia, Francisco, and Jacinta; ages ten, nine, and seven. Fatima became the center of the world for many believers and they flocked from far and wide hoping to experience one of the miracles or speak with the children.

What was the message? It was an urgent call to conversion and penance. This is the simple way to state it. There were, of course, many aspects to the messages between May and October of 1917. Mary spoke about Heaven, Hell, Death, and Judgment (the Four Last Things). The messages included insights about sin and sacrifice, and a call to pray the rosary for peace in our families and peace in the world. And of particular significance here on our journey toward Eucharistic Consecration, Mary spoke to the children and the world about respect for the Eucharist.

LESSON: We are called to a continual conversion of the heart. Preparing to receive the Eucharist helps us to see ourselves as we really are. Receiving the Eucharist gives us the strength and courage needed to continually seek this conversion of the heart. Commit yourself notjust to receiving Jesus in the Eucharist frequently but receiving Him we;;/

VIRTUE OF THE DAY: Fortitude: The virtue of fortitude is a moral virtue that ensures firmness in the face of difficulties and abstacles, and consistency in the pursuit of holiness. Deep, still waters in the soul are the gift od fortitude. This calmness of the soul is necessary to avoid getting carried away in the moment, and helps us to stay focused on our duties and commitments.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION: Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist. Every day I long for more of You. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally at this moment, I invoite You to come and dwell in my heart. May this spiritual communion increase my desire for the Eucharist. You are the healer of my soul. The the blindness from my eyes, the deafness from my ears, the darkness from my mind, and the hardness from my heart. Fill me with the grace, wisdom, and courage to do Your will in all things. My Lord and my God, draw me close to You, nearer than ever before. AMEN.

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-INS

Lord God, through the prayers of Mary, Our Mother, bring your healing presence to all who are sick, injured, or troubled. Amen

Walter Zien, Rosella George, Dawn Paluch, Sister Mary Bowman, Mary Rose Koreny, Betty Rushkevich, Sharon James, Veronica Piehowicz, Marty Joe Michaels, Janice McCart, Barb Sago, Patti Kudlak Kettler, Pete Kohut, Jr., Isabella Wood, Matt & Michelle Piszczor, Jim Marnell, Fr. Michael Bliszcz, Elaine James, George James, Don Platt, Stephanie Poch, Susan Durig, Susie Davis, Bob Mull, Tom Waligura, Rose Linaweaver, Torrie Davis, Stephen & Joann Neal, Patricia Pockl, Tammy Yankoski, Charlie Lohr, Josh Slonaker, Hugette Burk, Mark Michaels, Carol Gogal, Tina Pascale, Sr. Jean Vidonic, Jessica & Abigail Baranek, Sheleva and Bowman Families, Barb & Bob Poch, Taytum Grace, Bob Bailey, Jeannie Burkett, Vera Oliver, Nadia Marc, Walter McMasters, Lori Poch, Nicole Rowley, Arlene Lawson, Walter J. Waligura III, Anthony Skvarka, Wendy Coulson, Ashley & Monty, Rachel Bianchi, Olga Panivnyk, Glenna Adams, Natalie Moses, Jeannie Reddy, Jpyce & Walter McMasters, Jack Singewalt, John Mysliwiec, Olga Skvarka

If you would like to submit a name for our prayer list please write the name on a piece of paper and drop it in the collection basket.

<u>Financial Report</u> Saturday, May 17, 2025

Weekly Collection: \$157.00 2nd Collection: \$23.00

Candles: \$8.00

Total Collection: \$188.00