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March 24, 2019
Third Sunday of the Great Fast

Tone 3
Heb 4:14-5:6 Mk 8:34-9:1

Schedule of Church Services and Activities

Mar 24	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church</i> † Panachida for Roxane Shaw
Annunciation of the Theotokos (Solemn Holy Day)			
Mar 25	Monday	7:00 p.m.	Great Vespers with Divine Liturgy † Joseph Chontos
Mar 29	Friday	7:00 p.m.	All Souls Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy
Mar 31	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church</i>
Apr 1	Monday	7:00 p.m.	Akathist Hymn to the Theotokos
Apr 5	Friday	7:00 p.m.	All Souls Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy
Apr 7	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church</i>
Apr 8	Monday	7:00 p.m.	Akathist Hymn to the Theotokos
Apr 12	Friday	7:00 p.m.	Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with Holy Anointing and Confession
Apr 14	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church</i>

Holy Mystery of Penance – Confessions heard 45 minutes before each Divine Liturgy or by appointment.

GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST! GLORY FOREVER!

All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church is committed to gather in the Lord's name and proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ to all.

We invite you to join us in worship and hope that you will experience the Divine Liturgy as a meeting of heaven and earth.

How Do We See God In Others? – Last week, we concentrated on seeing how God sees us. We must see God in ourselves and see how much He loves us. If we fail to see God in ourselves, it can be difficult to see Him in others. We are not talking about the surface or easy way of seeing God in others, we are talking about those who have hurt or scared us. It is not just the person on the street or a person we encounter in our daily lives. How do we see God in the people who speak ill of us, or hurt us, make fun of us, or wound us? Does God still dwell within them? Of course, the answer is yes, but because of their hurt towards us and the wounds that follow, it makes it difficult to see God. It is too painful at times to go to these memories or experiences we have had with these people. We are called to press into the painful moments but never alone. We have a gentle Father who is calling us to Himself, out of our fear and isolation and out of our places of unforgiveness.

Our forgiveness begins with our willingness to surrender the hurt to Jesus. The anger, frustration, and all the other negative feelings associated with this person or people are to be surrendered to Jesus upon the Cross. We are not called to run away from the painful areas in our life, but instead to run to Jesus and walk with Him as Jesus guides us through the painful moments to bring about transformation. Unforgiveness creates a block of receiving God's love within our own hearts and creates a barrier to true freedom. Because of the fear of suffering or the fear of pain, fear plays a role in holding us captive. However, fear is a liar and the enemy uses this tactic to prevent us from having a greater freedom within our hearts. It is this inner freedom which allows us to be transformed and see God in others in a more complete way.

So, I ask the question, in what ways are you in need of healing and restoration in order to forgive and see God in the people who have hurt you? Where are

those blocks? Where is God in your life? Do you trust God to heal and restore you? These are only starting questions to get us to understand where we need God the most. This week, we need to focus on forgiveness. Forgiveness is not forgetting the offence or even reconciling with the person or persons. Rather, it is an opportunity to invite Jesus into the hurt, to forgive, and allow Him to transform everything. This transformation and forgiveness allows our heart to receive a greater capacity to love and be loved, to serve and to see God in others.

Remember in Prayer – † Robert Beaudoin, Rt Rev Mitrat Archpriest Wolodymyr Woloszczuk, Rev Andrew Krasulski, Rev Michael Krulak, Rev Andrew Marko, Anna, Dorian, Joseph, Nicholas, Michael Balint, Ann Berna, Brenda Conyers, Irene Derr, Joanne Herriven, Janelle (Misamore) Jessie, Pete Johnson, Nicholas Lawson, Jeff Link, Colleen Mallery, Emma Patrick, Anne Poole, Leo Schofield, Missy Shapp, Vincent Spanti, Lindsay Anna Webster

Sanctuary Lamp

In memory of
Very Rev. Peter Lickman

Preparatory Table

For the Patzwahl, Reigle & Kearns Families
by Bruce & Diane Patzwahl

Vesting Table

For the blessed repose of Peter Kokinda

Stewardship & Attendance

March 17 total attendance was 65.

Sunday Offering	\$1,161.00
Lenten Offering	5.00
Casa Maria Soup Kitchen	246.00
Sanctuary Lamps	95.00
TOTAL	\$1,507.00