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VIRGIN MARTYR CHRISTINA OF TYRE

Sunday August 6, 2017

1 Cor. 4:9-16, Matthew 17:14-23

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Welcome! We welcome to our church this morning all visitors, guests, relatives, and friends of Saints Peter and Paul Orthodox Church. We pray your visit with us is spiritually rewarding, holy and life-giving. Visit often!

Today after Liturgy will be a Panachida for Pani's parents, John and Margaret, on their wedding anniversary and for her grandmother Margaret on the anniversary of her repose.

Thank you to all who helped and participated in the Holupki Dinner last week. The set-up, dinner, and clean-up afterward was well organized and worked perfectly.

"The candles lit before icons of saints reflect their ardent love for God for Whose sake they gave up everything that man prizes in life, including their very lives, as did the holy apostles, martyrs and others. These candles also mean that these saints are lamps burning for us and providing light for us by their own saintly living, their virtues and their ardent intercession for us before God through their constant prayers by day and night. The burning candles also stand for our ardent zeal and the sincere sacrifice we make out of reverence and gratitude to them for their solicitude on our behalf before God."
+ St. John of Kronstadt

Monday August 14th – Dormition Fast begins.

Saturday August 19th – Feast of the Transfiguration with the blessing of fruit. Liturgy at 9:00. Confessions at 8:30.

Monday August 28th – Dormition of the Theotokos.

WEEKLY SUNDAY REPORT OF INCOME AND CANDLES, 8/6/17

Sunday Offering \$450.00	Candles \$18.00	Assessment \$ 30.00
Ethnic Dinner \$ 1486	state up chash -\$300.00	Total \$2284.00

Candles

4 – For Family/ by Steve and Lois
2 – Special Intention/ by Brett

"If at some time you show mercy to someone, mercy will be shown to you. If you show compassion to one who is suffering (and of course, this is not a great deed) you will be numbered among the martyrs. If you forgive one who has insulted you, then not only will all your sins be forgiven, but you will be a child of the Heavenly Father..

+ St. Moses of Optina

Annual Walk for Missions on Sunday, October 8. From Faith Williard, walk coordinator:

Greetings, and thank for participating in the past Walk For Missions, and please save SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8 to join us at South Park for the Walk - just 2 months away!

All proceeds will go to support the Mission in Guatemala which is spearheaded by Fr. John & Presbytera Sandy Chakos. The Guatemalan Mission has brought over 50,000 people into the Orthodox Church over the last decade and a half!

This is a wonderful opportunity to help fulfill Jesus's Great Commission, and have fun at the same time! This year the walker with the highest individual monetary collection at the Walk will receive a certificate towards Fleet Feet Shoes! Registration information will be available shortly. If you are unable to attend, please consider sending a check to support the Guatemalan mission work of Father John and Presbytera Sandy Chakos, made payable to the Orthodox Clergy Brotherhood - mail to 250 Park Entrance Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15228. Thanks, and we can use your help! A flier is located downstairs.

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