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## July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010

8<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. Commemoration of the Holy Fathers of the First Six Ecumenical Councils. Martyr Emilian of Silistria in Bulgaria (363). Martyr Hyacinth of Amastris (4<sup>th</sup> c.). Ven. John the Long-suffering of the Kiev Caves (Near Caves—1160). Ven. Pambo, Recluse, of the Kiev Caves (Far Caves—13<sup>th</sup> c.). Ven. Pambo, Hermit, of Egypt (4<sup>th</sup> c.). Nun Martyrs Grand Duchess Elizabeth and Barbara (1918—July 5<sup>th</sup> O.S.). The "TOLGA" Icon of the Most-holy Theotokos (1314).

## CHILDREN'S SUNDAY

**EPISTLES: 1 CORINTHIANS 1.10-18** I plead with you, that there be no divisions among you. **HEBREWS 13.7-16** Do not be carried about with various and strange doctrines.

GOSPELS: MATTHEW 14.14-22

Jesus feeds the 5000

**JOHN 17.1-13** 

We are all Christ's, and He offers us to the Father.

**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY:** Today we are blessed to have the Children participating in the Divine Liturgy. They will be leading the processions with their handmade crosses and icons; reading the Epistle; and leading us in singing the Troparion to Ss Peter & Paul.

**VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL**: Was a great success. Up to 12 students came each day and participated in many exciting activities: lessons on the Liturgy, making candles, icons and prosphora, and enjoying time being the family of God. Today we are enjoying the fruits of their labor.

**GREEK DINNER:** The Committee is working feverishly to prepare for our next event. We will need many hands to make this successful. An Ad Booklet is being made to

help defray the costs. Tell all the businesses you know. It is also a good idea for the families to take out an ad as well.

August 8<sup>th</sup>, after Liturgy: All committees will meet.

August 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>: Cooking in the Church Undercroft.

August 19<sup>th</sup>: Set Up the tables and tents and grills (we need grills!).

EVERYONE is on the Clean Up Committee!

**ST ANDREW'S:** There are still plenty of spaces available for your children to attend camp this summer, including Teen Week. The camp is also in need of a few things to help fulfill their mission; things with which I hope several of us can help. These are small things, and some of us may have them laying around the house, unused.

They need: Baseball Mitts (and other baseball equipment), Footballs, Tennis Balls, Soccer Balls, Kick Balls, Fishing Equipment, Slip and Slide, Board Games such as Apples to Apples, Apples to Apples Jr. Game and Scrabble.

*Bigger Items:* Any boats (rowboats or canoes with oars; other types of boats would be just as useful), Life vests, Archery Equipment, and a sponsor for internet access to the camp for the summer months.

*Personnel:* People to pray for the campers and staff, people to love the idea of an Orthodox camp in Upstate New York. Remember them all in your holy prayers, especially through the camping season (and beyond).

**BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES:** Birthdays: Debie Chlus, Jessica Nuzum, Patty Penree, Gary Roback Jr. Anniversaries: John & Helen Kowansky, John & Jean Rinko. Namesdays: Elijah Worthington.

**PANIKHIDA:** Please continue to remember in your holy prayers all of the departed, especially among them the newly-departed Andrew. We will be serving the memorial service for all of our brothers and sisters who have fallen asleep in the hope of the Resurrection, among them Thomas Mezick (1991), William Pupchek (2009), Stanley Wieliczka (2000), Metro Demchko (2002), Eva Sokol (1992). We especially remember Jacob Eskoff, Theodosia Kluka, Stanley Bayzon, Andrew & Paiza Yaneshak, John Rinko, Sr, and Helen, Michael and Stephen Sobolowski. May their memory be eternal!

## **Schedule of Upcoming Events**

Confessions are heard before Liturgy, and before and after Vespers

Saturday, July 17: 4 PM Great Vespers Sunday, July 18: 9:30 Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, July 20: 9 AM Divine Liturgy at Holy Myrrhbearers' Monastery

Wednesday, July 21: 5 PM Akathist to Ss Peter & Paul Sunday, September 26: Pierogie Fest at Herkimer VFW