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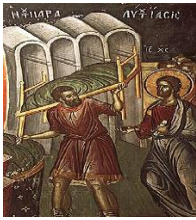
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Sunday of the Paralytic



On this day the Church remembers the man who lay by the Sheep's Pool in Jerusalem for thirty-eight years, waiting for someone to put him into the pool. The first one to enter the pool after an angel troubled the water would be healed of his infirmities, but someone always entered the pool before him. Seeing the man, the Lord felt compassion for him and healed him.

The Kontakion for this Fourth Sunday of Pascha asks Christ to raise up our souls, "paralyzed by sins and thoughtless acts.

By Your divine intercession, O Lord, as You raised up the paralytic of old, so raise up my soul, paralyzed by sins and thoughtless acts; so that being saved I may sing to You: "Glory to Your power, O compassionate Christ!"

SCRIPTURE READING: EPISTLE: Acts 9, 32-42 GOSEPL: John 5, 1-15

While Fr. Branislav is away on vacation Fr. Dejan Barac from Midland will be available to serve our parish for visits and emergencies from May 1- May 23rd. A warm welcome today to FR. SAVA MILAN MEDAKOVIC who is serving Divine Liturgy.

SPRING FOOD FESTIVAL IS THIS WEEKEND!!! ALL  (HANDS ARE NEEDED!!!)

A work sign up sheet is downstairs for all to sign; in order for us to staff the time frames; we need to have your names listed at a specific time so we know where we will be short. PLEASE SIGN THE SHEET!

BAKED GOODS: Please bake and bring them to the center on Friday so that we may be able to prepare the Bake Sale Table for when we open on Saturday.

WORKERS DURING THE WEEK: Wednesday, prep work during the day, Thursday prep work (evening if needed) and Friday prep work during the day.

BASKETS: we are still in need of baskets, each should have a value of \$50 or more. Please bring these to the center on Friday as well.

IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO CAN HELP, PLEASE LET KATHY LOVERICH KNOW SO SHE CAN PUT THEM ON THE SCHEDULE.

THANK YOU AND HERE IS HOPING FOR ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL FESTIVAL!

SUNDAY, MAY 21ST ANNUAL TEA FUNDRAISER (BASKET DONATIONS NEEDED)

See Julie Taylor

TICKETS ARE ON SALE TODAY FOLLOWING DIVINE LITURGY DONATION \$25

MONDAY, JUNE 12TH – THURSDAY, JUNE 15TH 40TH ANNUAL CHURCH DAY CAMP THIS YEAR'S THEME WILL BE "WITH FAITH AND LOVE"

SATURDAY, JULY 29TH ANNUAL SUMMER MEN'S CLUB PICNIC

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5TH AND SUNDAY, AUGUST 6TH OUR 103RD ANNUAL ST. ELIJAH CHURCH SLAVA CELEBRATION