



***OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH***

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***Saturday, October 12, 2024
Sunday of the Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical Council
Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20
Gospel: Luke 8:5-15***

LITURGY INTENTIONS

*Saturday, October 19 – For the repose of the soul of Barbara Brayec
-requested by Stephen Harasiuk*

*Saturday, October 26 -For the repose of the soul of Mary Ann Paluch
-requested by Barb, Dawn & Vincent Paluch*

LITURGY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12 – TYPICA SERVICE 5PM

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 – DIVINE LITURGY 5PM

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26 – DIVINE LITURGY 5PM

PIEROGI

Pierogi and cabbage rolls are sold every Thursday from 9am to 4pm in the parish annex (XATA). If you wish to place an order please call 304-232-1777 and leave a message.

A SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE
MOTHER TERESA: SPIRITUAL HABITS

Mother Teresa is one of the most beloved women of all time. She emerged as an icon of goodness in the modern world. Capturing the imagination of the whole world with her heroic acts of services for “*the poorest of poor.*” She was a steadfast voice of faith and love in a world gone mad. Contrasted against the unbridled materialism of the modern world, the simplicity of her life caused men and women in all states in life to reflect upon the way they were choosing to live their own lives.

Mother Teresa was considered a living saint for decades during her lifetime and was canonized on Spetember 4, 2016, just nineteen years after her death.

What makes the saints different from the billions of other people throughout history? Their habits. The things they did with unerring consistency every day, week, month, and year.

Make an inventory of the habits that define the lives of the saints, and it is a fairly short list. What are the things they did each day, week, month, year? Simple things like the habit of daily prayer and an annual retreat, praying the rosary and caring for the poor. And the overlap from one saint to another is massive. They didn't all have vastly different habits, but remarkably similar habits.

This is why it is a mistake to go looking for new and different ways to the spiritual life. This type of quest is usually driven by the ego and fueled by pride, and therefore, lacks the essential ingredient for spiritual growth: humility.

The path of Christian spirituality is well trodden. It is not a secret or a mystery. It is easy to discover and available to anyone and it works.

LESSON

Our lives change when our habits change. Adopting the habit of Eucharistic Adoration will change every aspect of your life. We tend to emulate the people we spend time with. By spending time in the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, we become more like Him.

VIRTUE OF THE DAY

Consistency: The virtue of consistency allows us to moderate our behavior in alignment with our faith and values. It demands that we abandon frivolous whims, preferences, and cravings as they arise throughout the day and stay true to the course we have set. It also requires constant micro-alignments between your words, beliefs, and actions. A consistent man conducts himself and corrects himself in order to maintain his true north bearing. A woman with the virtue of consistency is a great comfort to her friends and family. Consistent people are sometimes mistaken for being boring, but only by those who don't value the rare peace consistency ushers quietly into our lives.

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 invite 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 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., Linda Jasko, Isabella Wood, Matt & Michelle Piszczor, Jim Marnell, Fr. Michael Bliszczy, Elaine James, Don Platt, Stephanie Poch, Susan Durig, Susie Davis, Bob Mull, Tim & Karen Downing, Tom Waligura, Rose Linaweaver, Torrie Davis, Stephen & Joann Neal, Patricia Pockl, Tammy Yankoski, Charlie Lohr, Josh Slonaker, Jack Prettman, Hugette Burk, Ginger Kabala, 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, Tim Haley Family, Nadia Marc, Walter McMasters, Lori Poch, Nicole Rowley, Arlene Lawson, Walter J. Waligura III, Anthony Skvarka, Wendy Coulson, Ashley & Monty

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.

Financial Report –Saturday, October 5, 2024

Weekly Collection: \$177.00

Second Collection: \$24.00

Candles: \$16.00

Energy: \$10.00

Total Collection: \$227.00

Pierogi: \$204.00