SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE
7TH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL
October 12, 2025

Oct. 11 (Sat) Polczynski - Meadville Wedding
& Divine Liturgy 2:30pm

Vigil Divine Liturgy 5:00pm
+Geraldine Yarosik reqd by Eileen & Norman

Oct. 12 (Sun) SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE
7TH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL
Divine Liturgy 10:30am
+Kevin Ianni reqd by Karen, Kelly & Tina

Oct. 18 (Sat) Vigil Divine Liturgy 5:00pm
+Paula Santoski reqd by Karen Ianni &
Eleanor Timko

Oct. 19 (Sun) NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Divine Liturgy 10:30am
+Bernice Knipling reqd by Michael Elko Family

St. Mary , Herminie - Sunday Liturgy 8:30am

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Our tithe to our Parish - October 5, 2025 - $2,384.00

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The Sanctuary Lamp continues to burn before the presence of Our Risen Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ in our church during the week of Oct. 12 thru Oct. 18 for +Peter Kacey reqd by family.

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Please join fellow parishioners in praying the rosary every week prior to the Sunday 10:30am Liturgy and on Holy Days.

Let us remember in our prayers all of our friends and parish family members who are sick at home or in a nursing facility and for all who are in need of our prayers

Marian Barry, Pamila Seech Dawson, Steve Fekete, Barbara Gulich, John Hresko, Michael Janov, Helen Magdic, Steve Muchoney, Pat Pierro, Pat.Race, Ted Race, Helen Rizzi, Rose Marie Rupnik, Ray Seech, Mark Sethman, JerryLee Simpson, Charles Stein, Eleanor Timko, Sally Zeleznik

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TURKEY BINGO

Save the date: Sunday, November 9th

Needed: volunteers, Pepsi/Coke , water, door prizes, & basket auction items

Contact Julee for more info at 412-378-6953

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COFFEE SOCIAL

Please plan on joining fellow parishioners for our monthly coffee social.

Sunday, October 19 following the 10:30 Divine Liturgy

(fyi - No Steeler game on the 19th)
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Congratulations

The parishioners of St. Stephen offer our congratulations to Carlie and Mitchell Meadville on the occasion of their marriage .

May their marriage be filled with the Grace of God, and His Blessings bring them eternal love.

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DEANERY PASTA DINNER - October 19

St. Elias Church, 4200 Homestead-Duquesne Rd.

2:00 PM - The Pittsburgh Byzantine Catholic Archeparchial Choir will present their "Maryfest" program. The choir will present beloved hymns and songs dedicated to the Theotokos and Ever-Virgin Mary. (just a note: Mary Cvejkus and Dave Pcsolar from our parish are members of PBCAC)

3:00PM - Clergy will sport their chef's hats and aprons as they cook and serve pasta.

A free-will offering is suggested and kindly appreciated.

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2025 HOLIDAY FOOD BANK DONATION

"In keeping with a key point of the GCU Mission Statement "Strengthening Communities", GCU will once again be sponsoring our Holiday Food Bank Donation Program."

Please consider donating to this worthy cause. Donations may be placed in the Sunday colletion basket on Nov. 19.

Your donation by cash or check (payable to Greek Catholic Union) will be appreciated.

Note: Donations will be matched by the GCU and presented to our local food bank.

Today the Church remembers the 350 holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council.

The Council decreed that the veneration of icons was not idolatry (Exodus 20:4-5), because the honor shown to them is not directed to the wood or paint, but passes to the prototype (the person depicted). It also upheld the possibility of depicting Christ, Who became man and took flesh at His Incarnation. The Father, on the other hand, cannot be represented in His eternal nature, because "no man has seen God at any time" (John 1:18).
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