



March 30, 2025

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST
JOHN CLIMACUS, VENERABLE**

Mar. 29 (Sat) VIGIL DIVINE LITURGY 5:00pm
+David Yarosik reqd by Maria & Dan Prokopchak

**Mar. 30 (Sun) FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST
JOHN CLIMACUS, VENERABLE**
Divine Liturgy 10:30am
+Margaret Gegick reqd by Jack Sabol

Apr. 4 (Fri) Presanctified Liturgy 6:30pm

Apr. 5 (Sat) VIGIL DIVINE LITURGY 5:00pm
+David Yarosik reqd by Aunt Geraldine

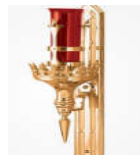
**Apr. 6 (Sun) FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST
MARY OF EGYPT, VENERABLE**
Divine Liturgy 10:30am
+Anna Prodan reqd by Cindy and Sandy Prodan

*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.*



Pamila Seech Dawson, Steve Fekete, Barbare Gulich, John Hresko,
Helen Magdic, Pat Race, Ted Race, Helen Rizzi, Anthony Kudrik,
Mark Sethman, Jerry Lee Simpson, Eleanor Timko

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 Mar. 30 thru Apr. 5 on the occasion of their anniversary. reqd by Ron & Patty Balta...



St. Mary - Herminie Sunday Liturgy 8:30am

Our tithe to our Parish - March 16, 2025 - \$1,900.00
March 23, 2025 - \$1,236.00

Lent

Our haluski, home-made soup, grilled cheese sandwiches continues every Friday during Lent. Thank you to our parishioners who help and donated soups.

This project is once a year and the support from our parish family would be greatly appreciated as it will guarantee success and will benefit our parish..

BINGO - Sunday, April 6, 2025

Note your calendar. We are in need of basket raffle items, door prizes, water, & coke/pepsi products. Tickets - \$20.00

Volunteers are always needed and appreciated.

Call or text Julee at 412-378-6953

Tickets available in office on Mondays or at our Lenten Sale on Fridays

EASTER KIELBASA

St. Peter & Paul Men's Club is again selling Kielbasa. Order sheets are at the entrance to the church. Orders must be placed by March 30 and delivery will be the week-end of Palm Sunday, April 12-13.

Plain - Garlic - Cheese \$7.00 per pound

Sunday, March 30 — Last day to order !

A LEGEND OF THE DOGWOOD TREE

When Christ was on earth, the dogwood grew
to a towering size with a lovely hue.

Its branches were strong and interwoven,
And for Christ's cross its timbers were chosen.

Being distressed at the use of this wood,
Christ made a promise which still holds good.

*"Not ever again shall the dogwood grow
to be large enough for such a tree, and so
slender and twisted it shall always be
with cross-shaped blossoms for all to see.*

*The petals shall have bloodstains marked in
brown and in the blossom's center a thorny crown.*

*All who see it will think of me,
nailed to a cross from a dogwood tree,
protected and cherished this tree shall be
a reflection to all of my agony.*



John Climacus - Ladder of Divine Ascent

The Ladder of Divine Ascent is a spiritual classic written by St. John Climacus in the 6th century, outlining a 30-step path to achieving religious perfection and closeness to God. It is particularly significant in Eastern Orthodox and Roman Catholic monasticism, emphasizing virtues and the challenges faced on the spiritual journey.