The Cure of Baptism Foreshadowed

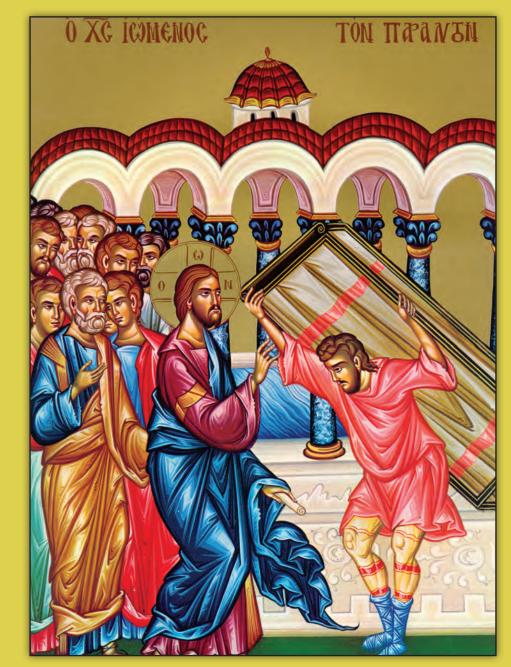
What manner of cure is this? What mystery does it signify to us? For these things are not written carelessly, or without a purpose, but as a figure and type they show in outline things to come, in order that what was exceedingly strange might not, by coming unexpectedly, do harm among the many the power of faith. What then is it that they show in outline? A Baptism was about to be given, possessing much power, and the greatest of gifts, a Baptism purging all sins and making men alive instead of dead. These things then are foreshown as in a picture by the pool, and by many other circumstances. And first is given a water which purges the stains of our bodies, and those defilements which are not, but seem to be, as those from touching the dead, those from leprosy, and other similar causes; under the old covenant one may see many things done by water on this account. However, let us now proceed to the matter in hand.

First then, as I before said, He causes defilements of our bodies, and afterwards infirmities of different kinds, to be done away by water. Because God, desiring to bring us nearer to faith in Baptism, no longer heals defilements only, but diseases also. For those figures which came nearer [in time] to the reality, both as regarded Baptism, and the Passion, and the rest, were plainer than the more ancient. ... And this miracle was done in order that men, learning that it is possible by water to heal the diseases of the body, and being exercised in this for a long time, might more easily believe that it can also heal the diseases of the soul.

St. John Chrysostom

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SUNDAY OF THE PARALYTIC MAN



Icon of Jesus Healing the Paralytic Man

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Sunday – April 21, 2024 Христос Воскрес – Воістину Воскрес Christ is Risen – Indeed He is Risen Confessions are available before the Divine Liturgies

All Services will be Live Streamed at 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM Platform: <u>https://www.facebook.com/holyfamilyshrine/</u>

Sunday April 21	Sunday of the Paralytic
9:00 a.m.	(For the Parish)
11:30 a.m.	(+Deacon Theophil Staruch from a Friend)
Wednesday April 24	
9:00 a.m.	(Blessings for Sara Moran from A. M. Gogniat)
Thursday April 25	
9:00 a.m.	(Souls of Family in Ukraine)
Friday April 26	
9:00 a.m.	(+Damian and +Irene Fedoryka from Family)
Sunday April 28	Sunday of the Samaritan Woman
9:00 a.m.	(+Ivan Kroytor from Family)
11:30 a.m.	(For the Parish)

IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE REMEMBER +EDWARD WISNIAK (89) IN YOUR PRAYERS

In your Christian charity, please remember +Ed Wisniak, in your prayers. Ed entered Eternity on April 1. Friends and Family may gather at our Ukrainian Catholic National Shrine of the Holy Family on Saturday May 4 at 10:30 a.m. for a Memorial Divine Liturgy. Burial will take place in Miami, FL on May 10. May his memory be Eternal – Vichnaya Yomu Pamyat – Christ is Risen – Khrystos Voskres!

BIBLE STUDY WITH FATHER ANDRII WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30 P.M. (APRIL 24)

Our Fr. Andrii will have the next Bible Study Wednesday April 24 at 6:30 p.m. Please bring your bible, colored pencils or markers. Please meet in the Fr. Shawel Room, the small church hall.

SPRING CATECHISM FOR CHILDREN AGES 3-6 - NEXT CLASS APRIL 21

All children ages 3-6 are welcome to join Holy Family's Catechism classes this spring with Co-Catechists Lindsey Fedyk and Julia Dezelski. Classes will be held between the two liturgies from 10:15-11:15. Please email Lindsey (lindseyfedyk@gmail.com) with any questions and to register your family. Classes will be held on: 4/21, 5/5, Last class 5/12 End of year celebration!

<u>Prayer List</u>

Our prayer list of the sick or elderly and friends of our parish: Theresa Aranda, Liana Arnold, Valarie Balthis, Charles Belanger, Barbara Blendy, Bluey Family, Yevhenia Borys, Terry Boyle, Taisia Bullard, Mary Connors, Veronica Cosio, Darlene Dossick, Solomia Dutkewych and Theresa, Ruth Fedack, Bernard F, Lindsey Fedyk, Myroslava Futey, Lilian Garland, Thomas Gutmann, H.H., Josie Hacker, Catherine Hetmansky, Vanessa Hetmansky, Bernadell Rita Higgins, Ellen Hitchens, Daniel Horeczko, Boris Hlynsky, Nila Iwaskiw, Sarah Kelt, Dorothy Kozmoski, Suzanne Krumpelman, Mr. Marko, Michael Joseph Little, Paul Marynowych, Fr. Roman Mirchuk, Michele Pretka Litvar, Yaroslava L., Mufada and Family, Sallie Miller, John Moeller, Thomas Nagurney, Deborah Pickering, Alexandra Pohorecka, Patricia Pylypec, Ron#119, Michael Joseph Radigan, Roman Rusynko, Lisa Schaible, Christopher Sell, Michael Sharr, Shliakhta Bogdana, Shliakhta Mark, Shliakhta, Andrew, Larry Sosnowich, Lindsey Sydnor, Thomas Sydnor, Stefania Szahaj, Lisa Pretka Turner, Gloria and Luis Vega, Anne Woroniak, Rose Wilson, Jennifer Wilson, Paul Yarrish. If you know of someone who should be on this list, please email or call with the name of the individual. Our intercessory prayer for the sick and the aged is truly helpful and comforting. In your Christian Charity, kindly remember our sick parishioners in your prayers and perhaps a card or note.