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23rd Sunday after Pentecost

*Commemoration of the Hieromartyr Acepstimas, bishop; priest Joseph,
and deacon Aeithalas martyrs of Persia (376 AD)*

THIS WEEK:

FRIDAY

4:45-5:30 Confessions

5:30 VESPERAL DIVINE LITURGY

*To receive the Holy Eucharist we observe a
complete fast following lunch that day or no
later than 2:30 p.m.*

SATURDAY Feast of

St. Michael and All Angels

Toys for Tots We are collecting toys for needy children. The collection box is in the vestibule. No military type toys, please.

Remember in prayer Amy Selembo who is recuperating following surgery.

Social distancing A reminder to all to practice social distancing in church. Please make use of the front pews and also the choir loft. We also have the option of participating in the Liturgy Saturdays at 5:00 in Jacobs Creek.



“Then war broke out in heaven. Michael and his angels fought against the dragon, and the dragon and his angels fought back. But he was not strong enough, and they lost their place in heaven. The great dragon was hurled down—that ancient serpent called the devil, or Satan, who leads the whole world astray. He was hurled to the earth, and his angels with him.”

(Revelation 12)

Nativity fast begins today – November 15 for those celebrating Christmas on Dec. 25. We abstain from all meat and dairy products for the 40-day period. At a minimum, we abstain from meat and limit the amount we eat on each Wednesday and Friday. We also increase our prayer, Bible reading and works of charity.

Parenting Workshop Our Diocese is pleased to announce its next Parenting Workshop in its Series of Parenting Workshops entitled “*Raising Believing Children*”. The next Workshop will be hosted online on **Saturday, December 5** from 10am-12:30 pm.

The Workshops are designed to help parents learn more about the “craft” of parenting and help them raise their children in the Faith. The Workshops focus on the ways parents can help their children stay faithful to Christ and His Church in a world that is filled with doubt and most often works against their Faith. Register for the Workshop at:

Parenting Workshop - 12-5-20

Registration closes on 12/2/20. More information is available on our Diocesan website: acrod.org

ACRY dues are now being collected (\$15). Deadline is Nov. 29. Please see the sign up sheet on the bulletin board.

Thank you to all who assisted with the cleaning of the church yesterday.