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Sunday, July 27, 2025 – Seventh Sunday after Pentecost & Saint Panteleimon

(Celebrant: Fr. Phillip Raczka)

Epistle: 2 Timothy 2: 1-10 (Nabil Takla) **Gospel:** Matthew 9:27-35

The Divine Liturgy will be offered for the repose of the souls of

The Great Doxology (Hymnal p. 97): Glory to You, O Giver of Life, glory to God in the highest...

Antiphon Prayer: When You rose from the tomb and broke the fetters of Hades, You abolished the sentence of death, O Lord, and thus delivered all men from the snares of the enemy. Appearing to the apostles, You sent them out to preach, and through them, bestowed Your peace upon the World: O You Who alone are full of mercy!

THIRD ANTIPHON: Psalm 94

1: Come, let us sing joyfully to the Lord; let us shout with joy to God our Savior.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You, Alleluia.

2: Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving and let us joyfully sing psalms to Him.

Khallisna Ya-Bnallah, Ya Man qama min baynil-amwaat, nahnū muranneemeena Laka. Haleloueya.

3: For God is a great Lord and a great King over all the earth.

O Son of God, who are risen from the dead, save us who sing to You, Alleluia.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit...

The Incarnational Hymn: O Only begotten Son and Word of God, immortal as you are ...

Priest: Come let us worship and bow down before Christ.

All: O Son of God, Who are risen from the dead, save us...

Troparion of the Resurrection (Tone 6) (Hymnal p.36): The angelic powers were around Your tomb, and the guards became as dead, and Mary stood at the tomb, seeking Your spotless body; Then You despoiled Hades without being tried by it, and You met the Virgin O Bestower of life. O Lord, who rose from the dead, glory to You!

Troparion of St. Panteleimon (Tone 3): O holy, victorious healer Panteleimon, intercede with the Merciful God, that He may grant our souls the forgiveness of sins.

Troparion of St. Ann (Liturgy Book p. 30): O divinely wise Anne...

Kontakion (Hymnal p. 97): O never failing Protectress of Christians and their ever-present intercessor before the Creator, despise not the petitions of us sinners, but in your goodness extend your help to us who call upon you with confidence. Hasten, O Mother of God, to intercede for us, for you have always protected those who honor you.

Prokimenon: The just shall rejoice in the Lord and place his hope in Him.

All those with an upright heart shall be praised.

Stichon: O God, hear my voice when I pray to You; save my life from the dreadful enemy.

Epistle, 2 Timothy 2: 1-10: My son Timothy, be strengthened in the grace which is in Christ Jesus; and the things you have heard from me through many witnesses, commend to trustworthy men who shall be competent in turn to teach others. Conduct yourself in work as a good soldier of Jesus Christ. No one serving as God's soldier entangles himself in worldly affairs, so that he may please the one whose approval he has obtained. And again, one who enters a contest is not crowned unless he has competed according to the rules. The farmer who toils must be the first to partake of the fruit. Take in what I tell you, for the Lord will give you understanding in all things. Remember that Jesus Christ rose

from the dead and was a descendant of David; this is my Good News in which I suffer even to the point of being chained as a criminal. But God's word is not bound. This is why I bear all things for the sake of the elect, that they too may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, together with eternal glory.

Alleluia: The just shall bloom like the palm tree; he shall grow like the cedar of Lebanon.

Stichon: Those who are planted in the Lord's house shall flourish in the courts of our God.

Gospel: Matthew 9:1-8: At that time as Jesus was passing on, two blind men followed Him, crying out and saying "Have pity on us, Son of David" And when He had reached the house, the blind men came to Him. And Jesus said to them, "Do you believe that I can do this to you?" They answered Him, "Yes, Lord." Then He touched their eyes, saying, "Let it be done to you according to your faith." And their eyes were opened. And Jesus strictly charged them, saying, "See that no one knows of this!" But they went out and spread His fame abroad throughout all that district. Now as they were going out, behold, there was brought to Him a dumb man possessed by a devil. And when the devil had been cast out, the dumb man spoke; and the crowds marveled, saying, "Never has the like of this been seen in Israel." But the Pharisees said, "By the prince of devils He casts out devils." And Jesus was going about all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the Good News of the kingdom, and curing every kind of disease and infirmity in the people.

Hirmos (Liturgy Book p. 57-58): It is truly right...

Kinonikon (Liturgy Book p. 65-66): Praise the Lord...

POST-COMMUNION HYMN (Liturgy Book p. 69): We have seen the true Light...

St. Ann Prayer List: *Please remember in your prayers the suffering handmaids and servants of God:* George Ayoub, Marilyn Baiad, Paul Davis, Nicholas & Elsie Fatse, Linda Noujaim, Doreen Parrella, Claire Sirgy and Michael and Edmond Haddad.

August 20 at 11:00 am - The Lebanon-American Club invites golf enthusiasts and friends to participate in its annual Golf Classic Tournament at Richter Park Golf Course.

Wednesday August 20th at 4:00 pm - The Parish of St. Peter Church in Danbury invites all families and friends to attend the Mass and Grand Procession celebrated by Bishop Frank Caggiano for the San Gennaro Festival.

Sunday, August 3, 2025 – Eight Sunday after Pentecost (Celebrant: TBD)

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:10-17 (Hala Hourani); **Gospel:** Matthew 14:14-22

Sunday Collections:

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