has never left me. But people can do what ever with there own books and it is not my business.

Also I think we all have Bibles at home, perhaps different translations, so what, but to transport a Bible backwards and forth from the church I think it is unnecessary unless a person chooses to use their person property.

An easier way however, is to download The Orthodox Study Bible as an app from the Google play store for \$14.99 on to a smart phone. That makes it all the simple and its effortless!

The other thing that I feel that I must say and I expect to be crucified for saying it is that the Orthodox Study Bible is not considered to be a scholarly translation of the Bible. Scholars consider that there are four Scholarly translations, the first three are the New Jerusalem Bible, the New Revised Standard Version, and the New American Bible as for the fourth it's names escapes for the moment and I don't want to give you inaccurate information.

Between the New American Bible and the New Jerusalem Bible they are, I think, the closest to the Orthodox Bible. However, the New Jerusalem Bible should not be confused with the Jerusalem Bible. The Jerusalem Bible came out in about 1966 and is the standard translation used in the Roman Catholic Church in the United Kingdom and Australia. The Jerusalem Bible was a translation from the condexs into French and then into English. The New Jerusalem Bible is a 1973 revision of the Jerusalem Bible and is a one of the most scholarly versions of the Bible and the most widely used outside of the United States of America. But like its forerunner it uses the word "Yahuwah" for the Lord. To some this may sound "jading"!

Also the Orthodox Calendar can be downloaded free of charge and it come in both old and new calendars as well as a choice of Russian or English languages.

Please be aware that all biblical translations used in this bulletin an out our web site our direct quotes from the New Jerusalem Bible and are used under a long held licence that I have with the publisher and must not be copied without permission of the publisher.

Regards,

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July 21, 2019

Venerable Simon, fool for Christ's sake

1st Sunday Church Charities/ 2nd Sunday Building Fund/3rd Sunday for the food bank

Times of Services

Jul	21	Sun	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy
				Blessing of the cars
	28	Sun	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy
Aug	4	Sun	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy
				& Celebration of Holy Transfiguration

Sisterhood of the Altar Meeting

The sisterhood received the new blue cloths for the altar and they were delivered to Mary Rekich.

Blue Altar Cloths

We change altar cloths from green to blue on Sunday 28 July, 2019. The old altar cloths will be used in lieu of the new ones being readied. But as the new ones are made the old ones will be switch out once the news ones can replace them.



We purchased 20 metres (or 21.877 yards) of fabric costing \$537.80 and I believe that you will be happy with the colour of the material. It is a royal blue with gold matter. A sample will be posted to our website for viewing

This first cloth that will come off Mary's sewing machine will be the altar curtain. Then one by one

after it.

We need 41.418 metres (45 yards) of gallons. The cost of gallons can cost as much as, from Russia, \$26.00 / metre for a total of \$1'076.87, or in the USA where the starting price can be a high as \$USD105.00 / yard. It depends on the source and the origin of manufacture.

That said, I proceed very cautiously so as to contain cost.

The is will be a long process as suppliers have now gone into a Summer season where they are open and then they are not for holidays.

A word of advice, any purchase for the beautification of a church is costly and it doesn't matter what is bought, If it be liturgical or otherwise, there are few many suppliers out there and they source from the few but at the end of the day, let's call it what it is, "price fixing" or "price maintenance". It would not be tolerated in any other commercial situation.

Is it legal? I will leave that to your own legal imagination and expertise. There is competition but is it real or imaginary. I would suggest that no one focuses on that side of the sales slip.

But be assured this beautiful cloth has arrived and is has been rolled out and Mary has checked and she told me that it is without a flaw. And her husband Stephen measured it and made sure we got out 20 metres as ordered. It did not sustain any damage during shipment and it is in Mary's words "Regal blue". When she said that to me I said it certainly is and I have an eye for blue!

The cloth has been slow in coming but as if it will have a gallon or a fringe on it I will decide if it needs it or not based on the beauty of the fabric.

I believe that you will be happy with the finished product.

Again please visit our web site to see this material.

Regards,

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Parish Council Meeting

By mutual consent the parish council will not meet until after Labor Day, 2019. Should you have an concerns or questions please fee free to speak to the parish president, Mr. Jeffery Campbell or to the parish priest, Fr. Keith.

SS Peter & Paul Golf Scramble

The Ukrainian Golf Scramble will be held on August 17 at 10:00 AM, at Stoughton Acres Golf Course. The cost is \$55.00 and includes cart and green fees. For further information, please call Rose Raith at (724) 282 3191 or visit our web news page.

Bible Study or Adult Catechetical Class

The parish Bible Study will begin on Sunday July 28,. 2019, at 9:15 AM in the church and it will be lead my Mark Steward.

The Bible that Mark will be using will be the Orthodox Study Bible in the church pews. But that said, I would ask that no one write in those Bibles unless it is there own person property. If it is not than a better opportunity would be to use a personal note book. And I would think that a note book would be required any way.

To be honest with you I very ever rarely annotate in one of my books because I regard it as being a disgusting habit. That is what I was taught in high school and it