

# BELOVED,

do not think it strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened to you; but rejoice to the extent that you partake of Christ's sufferings, that when His glory is revealed, you may also be glad with exceeding joy.

# Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Orthodox Church Bulletin

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# HOLY MYSTERIES

VISITATIONS OF THE SICK AND INFIRM - If you are going into the hospital for any reason, please inform Father Stephen at the Rectory. Our hospitalization code for Christiana and Wilmington Hospitals is UKR.

EMERGENCY CALLS - Please call the Rectory anytime (day or night) in an Emergency!

BAPTISMS - Celebrated by appointment.

**CROWNING IN MARRIAGE** - Please discuss timing with Father prior to setting a date. At least six months notice is needed. There are three 2-hour courses that must be attended prior to the Wedding.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE** - The deadline for getting information printed in the Weekly Bulletin is Wednesday.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS - For the Needs of the Parish; 2<sup>nd</sup> Youth Ministry

#### June 28, 2020

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# Schedule of Services and Activities

### Week of June 28 – July 5, 2020

# Celebrating our 93<sup>rd</sup> year of Service to the Lord

# ALL SERVICES ARE LIVE STREAMED ON FACEBOOK & WEBPAGE

Sunday, June 28 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost – Graduation Sunday - Tone 2

- 8:30 9:00 AM Confessions
- 9:15 AM Hours
- 9:30 AM Divine Liturgy for the Faithful

Panakhyda: +David Duncan (40<sup>th</sup> Day) & +Josephine Kapelus (1 Yr.) – Kathy Duncan and Family

**Outdoor Coffee Hour** 

Thursday, July 2 - Apostle Jude - Veneration of Relics

8:00 AM - Divine Liturgy

Sunday, July 5 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost – Tone 3

- 8:30 9:00 AM Confessions
- 9:15 AM Hours
- 9:30 AM Divine Liturgy for the Faithful

**Outdoor Coffee Hour** 

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#### **SCRIPTURE READINGS**

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost – Matins: Mark 16:9-20; Liturgy: Romans 5:1-10; Matthew 6:22-33

Monday - Romans 9:18-33; Matthew 11:2-15

Tuesday - Romans 10:11-11:2 Matthew 11:16-20

Wednesday - Romans 11:2-12 Matthew 11:20-26

Thursday - Apostle Jude - Matins: John 21:15-25; Liturgy: Jude 1:1-10; John 14:21-24;

Day: Romans 11:13-24; Matthew 11:27-30

Friday - Romans 11:25-36; Matthew 12:1-8

Saturday - Romans 6:11-17; Matthew 8:14-23

4th Sunday Pentecost - Matins: Luke 24:1-12; Liturgy: Romans 6:18-23; Matthew 8:5-13

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#### RULES FOR ATTENDING ALL SERVICES

\* Masks MUST be worn during the service - if you do not have one, a mask will be provided. There will be a special section for those who have breathing problems and cannot wear a mask up front. \* The collection basket will be placed where you can drop off your offering. Collections will not be taken. \* The doors of the Church will remain open so no one needs to touch them. \* PLEASE: It is crucial for the safety and health of all participants that if you have a fever of over 100°, or have any symptoms PLEASE STAY HOME!! We have a thermal scanning thermometers for the Parishes. If anyone comes with a fever over 100°, you will be asked to go home. \* For everyone's safety. names and contact information will be taken at every service so that if someone who attends develops the virus, all attendees will be notified and then would quarantine themselves for 14 days. That includes us as priests. \* Bulletins will continue to be sent by email and by mail. Copies will be available in the Church for those who do not receive them. Bulletins are also uploaded on the Parish Website by the Thursday or Friday prior to the Sunday Service. \* The bathroom by the Elevator will be used. The Parish Hall bathrooms can be used in an emergency. This will allow us to sanitize in between each use. The person using the bathroom will be reminded to use a Clorox wipe to sanitize any surfaces which they have touched. \* Anyone who is 65 or older and who has any health condition should stay home. The Hierarchs are recommending and not making this mandatory at this time. We shall continue to live stream all services until the pandemic is over. \*\*\* HOLY COMMUNION - It is imperative that you understand that YOU CANNOT GET DISEASE FROM HOLY COMMUNION!!! This is the Body and Blood of Christ. Father and the Altar Boys (or whoever will be holding the Communion Cloth) will be wearing a mask. The Communion Cloth is not to be touched. PLEASE when you come to Communion, tilt your head back slightly and open your mouth widely, Father will drop Communion in your mouth. Please wait until you see Father remove the spoon before you close your mouth. \* All of our faithful who have not confessed during the Great Fast or afterwards are required to go to Holy Confession prior to receiving the Eucharist. \* After the Liturgy, each person MUST sanitize the area in which he/she is using. Sanitizing wipes can be found at the entrance of the Church and at the back of the Church. Hand sanitizer will be placed also at the entrance of the Church and on the tetrapod. \* We shall have one person who is gloved who will operate the elevator.

- \* AFTER HAVING PARTICIPATED IN THE DIVINE SERVICES AND YOU BECOME SYMPTOMATIC YOU MUST NOTIFY FATHER STEPHEN AT ONCE SO THAT ALL WHO PARTICIPATED COULD QUARENTINE THEMSELVES!!
- \* If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to CALL ME (302) 798-4455. I will be happy to assist you in any way that I can.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY - is expressed to the following: Grace Duncan, 6/30; Hannah Duncan, 6/30; Patricia Bringle, 7/1 & Dot Dmytryk, 7/2. May God grant them a very happy birthday and keep them for many, happy and blessed years!

#### **GRADUATE SUNDAY**

# I'M ALIVE AND LIVING IN A WORLD OF GREAT POSSIBILITIES

None of us can say exactly what the future holds for us. But as we move forward with God as our guide, we can be certain that the future will be full of phenomenal experiences for all of us. And although the future is uncertain, perhaps we can begin to influence the possibilities that abound by establishing a permanent bond of harmony and love in the world around us. Like a seed planted in the ground, this unbridled sense of peace and harmony will soon grow and spread on its own, from person to person, from city to city, until the whole world is infused with good will. Yes, the future holds great things for us, and together we can look forward to it with an expectation of unlimited peace and harmony. "For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible" (Mark 10:27)

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#### **COLLEGE GRADUATION**

**Grace Duncan** – graduated from Cabrini University in Radnor, PA with a Bachelor Degree in Social Work.

**Hannah Duncan** – graduated from Bryn Mawr College in Brynmawr, PA with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Growth and Development of Cities.

Anastasia Hutnick – graduated from the University of Penn College in Philadelphia, PA with a Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology with a Concentration of Cultural and Linguistic Anthropology and a Minor in Creative Writing.

**Elizabeth Hutnick** graduated from the University of Maryland – Baltimore with a Masters of Science in Nursing.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR GRADUATES!!!!!!** 

SOMETHING TO DO - during this stay at home time: gather your treasures for the UOL Flea Market which is still scheduled for Saturday, August 1st!!!!

PARISH BOARD MEETING - Tuesday, July14 @ 6:30 PM (Zoom Meeting)

MINISTRIES OF THE PARISH - I would like to start publishing again the schedules for the ministries of the Parish (Readers, Trustees and Cleaning of the Church). Please notify me during this week if you would volunteer to become a member of any of the ministries or if you do not feel comfortable at this time to continue in the ministry of the Church. A new schedule will be printed in next week's Bulletin.

GETTING BACK TO NORMAL: OUTDOOR COFFEE HOUR - Starting with Graduate Sunday, (June 28) I would like to begin an outdoor coffee hour where one person would pour the coffees (other beverages will be on the table) and another person would put the offerings on plates so that social distancing and no touch delivery can be maintained. Please let me know if you are willing to help or if you have any ideas how to make this happen.

#### READER MINISTRY SCHEDULE

July 19 - John Plachuta June 28 - Andrew Duncan July 5 - Linda Hnatow July 26 - Irene Maskaly

August 2 - Pani Elizabeth Hutnick July 12 - Jean Roeth

#### TRUSTEES MINISTRY SCHEDULE

(Pease find a substitute if you cannot make a given week)

June 28 - Victor Kaliakin and Lorraine Neff

July 5 - Victor Kaliakin and Lorraine Neff

July 12 - Thomas Bringle and Linda Hnatow

July 19 - Thomas Bringle and Linda Hnatow

July 26 - Ann Duncan and Victor Kaliakin

# CLEANING OF THE CHURCH MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Week of June 29 - Earle and Jennifer Robinson

Week of July 6 - John Plachuta and David Lazaration

Week of July 13 - Nancy Hlywiak, Jean Roeth, Zina Twardus

Week of July 20 - Michael Tilson & Linda Hnatow, Irene Maskaly

Week of July 27 - Mark & Laura Andreas

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL - Metropolitan Antony, Archimandrite Raphael, Father Vasili Andrejuk, Father Paul Bigelow, Father John Bohush, Father Oleh Hucul, Father Mark Leisure, Father Andrew Molewski, Father John Nakonechney, Father James Norton, Father Victor Wronskyj, Father Volodymyr Wronskyj, Deacon Adrian, Pani Dobrodyka Lisa Weremedic, Mykola, Brennan, Deborah, Charles, Galina, Dolores, Julian, Madison, Michele, Mykola, Rita, Ryan, Randy Allen, Carolyn Angelo, Colby Atkinson, Shannon Austin, Stephania Bacha, Joyce Belles, Neil Belles, Ethel Bernhard, Yaroslav Bilinsky, Maria Borowenski Betty Bosland, Becky Bosley, Angie Brengle, Paul Brengle, Patricia Bringle, Richard Bringle, Thomas Bringle, John Brick, Fedir Bukacz, George Burns, Christine Cain, Mark Cello, Betty Charney, Mildred (Myrophora) Christo, Erik Colazo, Patricia Crystal, Alex Czernik, Sharon Dalaski, Stephen Dalecki, David Dalldorf, Peter DiVirgilio, John Dmytryk, James Dudrick, Rose Eldridge, Thomas Fagan, James Garrett, Peter Glenn, Ivan Golovniov, Kathleen Gortva, Staci Gray, Charles Gunther, David Hamilton, Rick Hastings, Celeste Heiser, Dolores Helms, Victoria Herrschaft, Carla Hitchings, Greg Hitchings, Anthony Hnatow, Daniel Holoviak, Caroline Humphrey, Richard Humphrey, Sally Hutnick, Joette Jago, Stephen Johnson, Linda Josepinson, Rosalie Ann Kane, Sandra Kasch, Thomas Kasprzak, Charles Kaszytski, Julia Kaszytski, Diane Keyser, Barbara Kirylic, Wendy Klinedinst, Judith Kocinski, Ludmyla Krawchenko, Mykola Krawchenko, Emma Krasnopera, Volodymyr Krasnopera, Sue Kreisa-Christian, Marlene Kuhar, Karen Livick, Charles Lontor, Alla Lysenko, Andrew Makolynyk, Jean Marano, Paul Markow, Frederick McCarthy, Ronald Michel, Lisa Miller, Matthew Miller, Mary Elizabeth Moran, Barry Morris, Elsie Moroz, Michael Moroz, Linda Muldoon, Karen Needham, Julie Neff, Ann Nester, Laurie Newman, Betty Painter, Anastasios Pantelopulos, Anthony Pantelopulos, Linda Phillips, Joseph Pierson, Barry Pinkowicz, Bernice Pinkowicz, Ryan Pinkowicz, Valentina Plachuta, Maria Plumpton, Joseph Porini, Robert Powers, Joanne Procak, Joseph Ptak, Carol Purse, Sharon Reigh, Christopher Riehl, Arlene Roginski, Wyatt Roland, Andrea Roman, Alla Rudawsky, John Ruczhak, Glenn Runyan, Carol Rusk, Maria Russak, Anthony Saldutti, Dana Sargent, Doris Scully, Joella Seale, Clay Seman,

Larissa Serth, Dawn Sheets, Justin Sheets, Emily Smitheman, Georgie Smolyar, Rich Steinman, Joseph Stevens, Noel Strobino, Charles Joseph Sweeney, Evelyn Synczyszyn, Tatiana Szwec, Pavlo Tabak, Nicholas Taylor, Sue Taylor, Elenora Thomas, Lydia Thomas, Brysen Tomei, Dominic Tomei, Mark Tomei, Violet Tomei, Aria Tonner, Mariel Trimble, Anna Tur, Richard Twardus, Martha Vignali, Jack Vognetz, Margaret Vognetz, Marilyn Wagner, Olena Wasylevska, James Watts, Chris Way, Leah Way, Barbara Weeks, Peter Weremedic, Stephen Wienkowitz, Laura Worley, & James Zook.

# GROWTH THROUGH TRIALS

here is a wise saying that claims: "Into each life some rain must fall." We all realize that we are instruments of God. His plan for us includes birth, growth and maturity. God uses the Bible, the Church and other believers to help shape us. He also uses TRIALS in our life to mold us.

Why does Mankind face trials? It is because we live in a sinful world. It is written in Romans 3:10-23 that we are all part of a fallen race and fall short of the glory of God. Our world is filled with turmoil, crime and sickness. Our adversary is Satan. He tempts us to be unfaithful and to do evil. Our goal must be to strive to overcome this evil with good.

But why are CHRISTIAN TRIALS different? We are aware that we do not suffer alone. There is a design to our difficulties. We look to JESUS, the One Who cares and understands. Through Him will come our glory.

Let us examine how Christians should react to several tribulations. Perhaps we have financial troubles, maybe not of our doing. These trials may teach us to care and show gratitude for the assistance the Lord gives. Sometimes, health problems get in our way. They teach us to sympathize, pray and lean on Jesus. Maybe we have family concerns. Rejoice in the fact that you are part of a larger family of God and seek out help from Christian counselors. The question is this: How are you doing in God's School of Trials? Let's hope these trials are making you BETTER and not BITTER.

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