



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; 2nd Youth Ministry

June 11, 2023
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Schedule of Services and Activities
Week of June 11 - 18, 2023
Celebrating our 96th year of Service to the Lord

Sunday, June 11 – 1st Sunday after Pentecost – All Saints - Tone 8

8:30 AM – Confessions

9:15 AM – Hours

9:30 AM – Divine Liturgy for the Faithful

Coffee Hour

1:00 PM – Prayer Service of Peace in Ukraine – St. David's Episcopal Church 2320
Grubb Rd. Wilmington

Monday, June 12 – Beginning of the Apostles' Fast

Tuesday, June 13

9:00 AM – Auditing Committee - South Bound Brrok, NJ

Wednesday, June 14

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6:30 PM – Parish Board Meeting

Thursday, June 15

7:00 AM – Divine Liturgy

Saturday, June 17

10:00 AM – Divine Liturgy (Holy Trinity – Whaleyville, MD)

Sunday, June 18 – 2nd Sunday after Pentecost – Father's Day – Graduate Sunday - Tone 1

8:30 AM – Confessions

9:15 AM – Hours

9:30 AM – Divine Liturgy for the Faithful

Coffee Hour

SCRIPTURAL READINGS

All Saints Sunday – Matins: Matthew 28:16-20; Liturgy: Hebrews 11:33-12:2; Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30

Monday – Romans 2:28-3:18; Matthew 6:31-34, 7:9-11

Tuesday – Romans 4:4-12; Matthew 7:15-21

Wednesday – Romans 4:13-25; Matthew 7:21-23

Thursday – Romans 5:10-16; Matthew 8:23-27

Friday – Romans 5:17-6:2; Matthew 9:14-17

Saturday – Romans 3:19-26; Matthew 7:1-8

2nd Sunday after Pentecost – Matins: Mark 16:1-8; Liturgy: Romans 2:10-16; Matthew 4:18-23

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

Just as the Father is never ignorant of the Son, nor the Son of the Father, just so neither are the saints. They are become gods by adoption through having God indwelling them. They can never be ignorant of each other, but shall look on one another and on each one's glory, like the Son the Father's glory and the Father on the Son's. What then shall be the glory of the saints? It will be like the Son of God's. The latter Himself points out this very truth most clearly when He says: 'The glory which You have given Me I have given to them, that they may be one even as We are one' (Jn. 17:22).

St. Symeon the New Theologian, **On the Mystical Life**

The Lives of the Saints are holy testimonies of the miraculous power of our Lord Jesus Christ. In reality they are the testimonies of the Acts of the Apostles, only continued throughout the ages. The saints are nothing other than holy witnesses, like the Holy Apostles, who were the first witnesses - of what?, of the God-man Jesus Christ: of Him crucified, resurrected, ascended into heaven and eternally alive;...

Fr. (St.) Justin Popovich, **Orthodox Faith and Life in Christ**

The lives and praises of the saints are like the stars in brilliance. Because of their number, we do not know the names of all the saints; still, they amaze us by their radiant majesty, as do the stars, which while fixed in their position in the heavens, illumine all that is below, being seen by the Indians, yet not concealed from the Scythians, shining upon the land and guiding by their light those at sea. Similarly, the radiance of the saints, though their relics be entombed in sepulchers, is not bounded by the ends of this earth here below. Therefore, we marvel at their lives and are amazed at how God has glorified them that please Him.

St. Dimitry of Rostov, **The Great Collection of The Lives of the Saints, Vol. 1**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY - is expressed to Svetlana Duffy, 6/11; Halyna Feleshchuk, 6/11; Tatianna Tischtschenko, 6/11; John Billon, 6/16; Alexander Czernik, 6/17 & Jacob Dylan Duncan, 6/17. May God grant them a very happy birthday and keep them for many, happy and blessed years!

GRADUATE SUNDAY – will be celebrated on Father's Day, June 18. Please give to Father Stephen the name of the graduate from kindergarten, High School college or university with the name of the school, where the student will attend the next year or the degree (college) and where the graduate will go from here. All entries must be in by Sunday, June 11th. Thank you.

GREETER MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 11 - Zina Twardus and Nancy Tur
June 18 - Sandy Cramer
June 25 - Lorraine Neff, Sonya Patronik
July 2 - David and Eve Lazaration

SCHEDULING FOR THE PARISH – Please remember that all events, work parties, use of the hall must be cleared through the calendar kept by Father Stephen so that dueling events can be avoided.

DONATIONS (CREDIT CARDS) ACCEPTED – for those who are interested, we can accept donations to the Church through credit cards. See Mark Andreas or Lorraine Neff for details.

PRAYERS FOR UKRAINE – Our friends at ST. David Episcopal Church (2320 Grubb Road) is sponsoring a day of prayer for Ukraine on Sunday, June 11 beginning at 1:00 PM. Please plan to attend.

MEETINGS

PARISH BOARD – Wednesday, June 14 @ 6:30 PM

READER MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 11 - Pani Elizabeth Hutnick
June 18 - John Plachuta
June 25 - Andrew Duncan
July 2 - Linda Hnatow
July 9 - Thomas Sulpizi
July 16 - Jean Roeth

TENTATIVE CALENDER OF EVENTS

- Sunday, June 11 – Prayer for Ukraine 1PM – St. David Episcopal Church
Sunday, June 18 – Father's Day Dinner
Sunday, July 9 – Patronal Feast Day
Saturday, August 5 – UOL Flea Market
Saturday, October 7 – UOL Sponsored Retreat – Archbishop Daniel
Saturday, November 4 – Fall Bazaar
Tuesday, November 21 – Community Thanksgiving Service – Holly Oak Calvary
Methodist Church 7PM
Sunday, December 10 – UOL Cookie Sale

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

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

- June 11 – Linda Hnatow and Matthew Andreas
June 18 – Victor Kaliakin and Lorraine Neff
June 25 – Victor Kaliakin and Lorraine Neff
July 2 – John Plachuta and Linda Hnatow
July 9 – John Plachuta and Linda Hnatow
July 16 – Matthew Andreas and Victor Kaliakin

CLEANING OF THE CHURCH MINISTRY SCHEDULE

- Week of June 12 - Michael Tilson & Linda Hnatow, Irene Maskaly
Week of June 19 - John Plachuta and David Lazaration
Week of June 26 - Mark & Laura Andreas
Week of July 3 - Earle and Jennifer Robinson
Week of July 10 - Thomas and Lynn Sulpizi
Week of July 17 - Nancy Hlywiak, Jean Roeth, Zina Twardus
Week of July 24 - Earle and Jennifer Robinson

REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL – Metropolitan Antony, Archimandrite Raphael, Father Vasili Andrejuk, Father George Bazylevsky, father Constantine Christo, Father Vasyl Dovhan, Father Oleh Hucul, Father Andrew Molewski, Father John Nakonechney, Father James Norton, Father Volodymyr Wronskyj, Matushka Andrejuk, Matushka Laura Odell, Matushka Lisa Weremedic, Alicia, Nerry, Mykola, Brennan, Deborah, Galina, Dolores, Julian, Madison, Maria, Matt, Michele, Mykola, Penelope, Rita, Ryan, Randy Allen, Carolyn Angelo, Colby Atkinson, Shannon Austin, Stephania Bacha, Joyce Belles, Neil Belles, Ethel Bernhard, Yaroslav Bilinsky, Irene Billon, Maria Borowenski Betty Bosland, Becky Bosley, Angie Brengle, Paul Brengle, Patricia Bringle, Richard Bringle, Thomas Bringle, John Brick, Fedir Bukacz, Christine Cain, Mark Cello, Mildred (Myrophora) Christo, Erik Colazo, Alex Czernik, Sharon Dalaski, Stephen Dalecki, David Dalldorf, Peter DiVirgilio, James Dudrick, Kathleen Dugan, Margaret Durell, Mary Eagleton, Rose Eldridge, Thomas Fagan, Archantula Fanjoy, James Garrett, Lisa Gee, Peter Glenn, Ivan Golovnirov, Kathleen Gortva, Staci Gray, Charles Gunther, David Hamilton, Richard Haslam, Rick Hastings, Celeste Heiser, Victoria Herrschaft, Carla Hitchings, Greg Hitchings, Alicia Hlywak, John Hlywak, John Hnatow, Michael Hnatow, Daniel Holoviak, Jennifer Huertes, Sally Hutnick, Joette Jago, Stephen Johnson, Linda Josepinson, Michael Kapelus, Charles Kaszytski, Walter Katolik, Diane Keyser, Wendy Klinedinst, Judith Kocinski, Lorissa Kozakova, Ludmyla Krawchenko, Mykola Krawchenko, Volodymyr Krasnopera, Sue Kreisa-Christian, Marlene Kuhar, Ron Lazaration, Karen Livick, Charles Lontor, Alla Lysenko, Jeremy Madea, Andrew Makolynyk, Jean Marano, Frederick McCarthy, Beth McKirachan, Fred McKirachan, Stephen McNulty, Ronald Michel, Mary Ann Michalcewicz, Michelle Michalcewiz, Lisa Miller, Matthew Miller, Mary Elizabeth Moran, Barry Morris, Elsie Moroz, Karen Needham, Julie Neff, Lorraine Neff, Ann Nester, Laurie Newman, Betty Painter, Anastasios Pantelopulos, Anthony Pantelopulos, Linda Phillips, Joseph Pierson, Barry Pinkowicz, Bernice Pinkowicz, Ryan Pinkowicz, Daphne Pantelopulos, Joseph Porini, Robert Powers, Joanne Procak, Joseph Ptak, Carol Purse, Sharon Reigh, Christopher Riehl, Arlene Roginski, Wyatt Roland, Andrea Roman, Jeff Rozwadowski, John Ruczhak, Glenn Runyan, Carol Rusk, Isaac Schmidt, Joella Seale, Clay Seman, John Serth, Larissa Serth, Dawn Sheets, Justin Sheets, Emily Smitheman, Kimberly Smitheman, Georgie Smolyar, Alexandra Sparco, Natalia Stanford, Rich Steinman, Joseph Stevens, Noel Strobino, Charles Joseph Sweeney, Evelyn Synczyszyn, Michael Synczyszyn, Pavlo Tabak, Nicholas Taylor, Sue Taylor, Elenora Thomas, Lydia Thomas, Brysen Tomei, Dominic Tomei, Mark Tomei, Violet Tomei, Aria Tonner, Mariel Trimble, Martha Vignali, Jack Vognetz, Margaret Vognetz, Marilyn Wagner, Olena Wasylevska, James Watts, Chris Way, Leah Way, Barbara Weeks, Peter Weremedic, Laura Worley, Jack Ziegler & James Zook.

SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS

Who can count the number of saints that adorn the Kingdom of God? No wonder the Church observes the SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS to honor all who have “fought the good fight unto the end and have kept the faith.” And it is significant that this observance comes on the Sunday after we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the Church of Christ. The unusual icon of our bulletin captures the uniqueness of this feast. The composition come from ancient times and it deserves close examination of its features.

The eye quickly focuses on the large circle, with Christ in robes, seated at the very center. His right hand is outstretched in blessing, while the left holds the Gospel. In positions of intercession are, at the left, the Holy Virgin, and at right, St. John the Baptist. Below Christ is the throne of judgment, with a bible laid on it. Bowing in prayer there are Adam at the left and Eve at the right. Surrounding the scene are the ranks of the saints: Angels, Apostles, Martyrs, Hierarchs and Hermits. At the top are the sun, moon and stars, and outside the circle at the top are prophet kings.

A different scene is at the lower portion of the icon. This is PARADISE, with its trees and flowers. Abraham and Jacob occupy the thrones there, surrounded by the righteous ones resting with them. Between them, clutching the cross, is the good thief, saved by his faith in Christ crucified. The scene speaks of the SECOND COMING and of the LAST JUDGMENT.

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