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St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

Слава Ісусу Христу! •Glory be to Jesus Christ!

Sunday, August 30, 2020

13 th Sunday after Pentecost			
SUN	August30	10:00 AM	For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
MON	August31	8:00 AM	For health of cousins of the Chornodolsky Family – Helen Gottschalk
TUE	Sept. 1	8:00 AM	+Walter Hlyniansky – Rev./Mrs. Klanichka
WED	Sept. 2	8:00 AM	For health of Theodoros Solonidis – Family
THUR	Sept. 3	7:45 AM	For health of Anna Pohorylo – Family
FRI	Sept. 4	8:00 AM	+Irene Biskup (40 th day)– Martha Biskup
14 th Sunday after Pentecost			
SUN	Sept. 6	10:00 AM	For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church

Welcome – To all who are tired and need rest; To all who mourn and need comfort; To all who are friendless and need friendship; To all who are discouraged and need hope; To all who are homeless and need sheltering love; To all who sin and need a Savior; And to whomsoever will, The Parish of St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church opens Wide its doors, In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ! **Our mission:** let us be a community filled with faith in God, love for our tradition and our Church, and love for one another.

In case of emergency – if you need to reach Father Volodymyr in an emergency and he is unavailable at the rectory, please call his cell phone at 1-570-328-3818.

If you are admitted to a hospital or at home and would like Father to visit you, please call the Rectory Office (302-762-5511) to request visitation of the sick.

Sanctuary light – if you are interested in requesting the Sanctuary Light to burn in memory of your deceased love ones, please see Father. The light will burn for one week and the cost is \$20.

The Sanctuary Light for the week of August 30th is requested by daughter Nadija and son-in-law Herbet in memory of +Anna Balanczuk on the 9th Anniversary. May her memory be eternal!

Bequests to Your Parish: please remember St. Nicholas Church with memorial gifts in your will.

The **Summer Schedule** began May 24th. There will be one Sunday Divine Liturgy at 10:00am.

Visiting the sick will be on Friday, September 4 after 8:00 AM Divine Liturgy.

Let us remember our sick in our prayers: Pauline Sokolski, Alexander Sokolski, Peter Serba, Bohdan and Irene Hrycushko, Walter Szczerban, Julia Tresznewsy, Walter Petryk, Millie Yanonis, Bohdan and Orest Sobkiw, Dolores Losten, Mary Santak, Bill Santak.

Parish income for August 23rd: Sunday \$2,369; Holy Day \$20; Dues \$3; Heat/Fuel \$20; Improvements \$2,205; Eternal Light \$; In memory \$; Donation \$; Diocesan \$3; Seminary \$. TOTAL: \$4,620.00. Thank you for your donations!

Donations, in whatever amount, no donation is too large or too small, may be sent to: **Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Philadelphia** 810 North Franklin Street Philadelphia, PA. 19123-2005 You may also receive updates and make your donations on the Philadelphia Archieparchial Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/donate/331783401165290/>

Father Klanichka will celebrate Divine Liturgy Byzantine Rite on Sundays, August 30th at 5:30 PM, at St. Jude the Apostle Roman Catholic Church, 152 Tulip Drive, Lewes, DE 19958. Please come and celebrate the Divine Liturgy with us!

Rectory roof and Church dome: It has been over 35 years since the roof of the Rectory has been installed and it is in need of replacement. We have placed the job out for bids and are awaiting the contractors' responses. Also, the Church dome is in need of repainting. A contract has been signed with TJ Painting and Restoration to paint the dome and the band surrounding it. The cost for the dome project is \$20,815. Donations to help defray the expense of both projects will be greatly appreciated. Donations can be placed in the weekly Church collection or mailed directly to the Rectory. Thanking you in advance for your generosity.

Catechism of the Ukrainian Catholic Church: Christ Our Pascha #566 The immovable cycle of the Church Year (according to the new (Gregorian) Calendar) begins on September 1 ; however according to the Old (Julian) Calendar calculation, this occurs on September 14. The two calculations of the liturgical calendar (new and old) result from the fact that eventually it was noticed that every 128 years the civil calendar (in use since Julius Caesar) differed by one day from the actual astronomical cycles. In 1582, in order to renew the correspondence between the calendar year and the astronomical cycles, Gregory XIII, Pope of Rome, ordered a calendar reform, cancelling ten days from the calendar of the time. The reformed calendar was called the New or Gregorian calendar, while the unreformed remained the Old or Julian calendar. Since the time of the calendar reform, the difference between the two calendars has grown to thirteen days, and will continue to grow. A result of the different calculations is also the different dates for Pascha (Easter) and, consequently, of the feasts of the moveable cycle. Sometimes the date of Pascha coincides, but sometimes the difference between the Gregorian and Julian Calendar dates can reach five weeks.

89th ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE MOTHER OF GOD Sisters of the Order of St. Basil the Great Sunday, October 4, 2020. "Communion and Unity in the Life of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church during the Pandemic". This year's Pilgrimage will be held in a condensed format due to the COVID-19 pandemic. There will be no morning Liturgy or Confession. Instead, Confession and a Moleben will be offered in the afternoon according to the schedule below. Other precautions that will be taken include the following: • Masks will be required. • Bottled water will be provided. • No food will be served. 1:00 – 3:30 PM Confession and Opportunities for Individual Prayer (Socially Distanced); 3:30 – 4:30 PM Moleben to the Mother of God (Homilist: Metropolitan-Archbishop Borys Gudziak). Live stream available on YouTube.