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# St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

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**Sunday, June 23, 2024**

## 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

SUN	June 23	10:00 AM	For the Parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
MON	June 24	8:00 AM	<b>Birth of John the Baptist</b> For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
TUE	June 25	8:00 AM	For Health of Halia Family
WED	June 26	8:00 AM	For Health of Jaroslawa Haas – Walter Lubun
THURS	June 27	8:00 AM	Special Intension
FRI	June 28	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
SAT	June 29	10:00 AM	<b>Peter and Paul Preeminent Apostles (Obligation)</b> For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost			
SUN	June 30	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 him at 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.

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

**The Sanctuary Light** for the week of June 9<sup>th</sup> is requested by the Klanichka Family in memory of +Vasyl Grabko. May his memory be everlasting!

**Recitation of the Rosary** – every Sunday at 9:45 AM for Peace in Ukraine. Please pray with us.

**The Bishops of the Metropolia of Philadelphia have created a special fund entitled: “War Victims and Humanitarian Crisis in Ukraine”. The fund can be accessed through the website of the Archeparchy of Philadelphia.**

**Let us remember our sick in our prayers:** John Hynansky, Ihor and Karen Hrycak, Bohdan Hrycushko, Walter Szczerban, Walter Petryk, Orest Sobkiw.

**Feast Day** – Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the Birth of John the Baptist. The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 8:00 AM. Myrovaniya and Anointing with Holy Oil after the Divine Liturgy.  
**Beginning of the Apostle Fast (Petrivka) from 06/5/2023 to 06/28/2023.**

**June 29<sup>th</sup> is the Saints Peter and Paul Prime Apostles (Holy Day of Obligation).** The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 10:00. Myrovania and Anointing with Holy Oil after the Divine Liturgy.

**Peter Pence Collection** – Next week we will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection, which is a way to support the universal Church and the work of the Holy see, including helping Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit [www.peterpence.va/en.html](http://www.peterpence.va/en.html).

**Blueberries for Sale:** Orders are being taken for hand-picked blueberries. Cost is \$25 for a 10-pound box. A sign-up sheet is located in the Church Hall.

**Confessions:** If you would like to receive the grace of forgiveness in the Mystery of Confession, a priest is available to hear confessions every half hour before the Divine Liturgy at 9:30 am on Sundays. Avail yourself of God’s gifts of mercy and spiritual renewal.

**For Receiving Holy Communion:** Please come forward, tilt your head back slightly, open your mouth wide, (do not stick out your tongue and do not say, “Amen”). After priest gives you the Holy Eucharist, close your mouth, consume the Holy Eucharist, and return to your place.

**Parish income for June 16<sup>th</sup>:** Sunday \$2,536; Holyday \$5; Dues \$3; Heat/Fuel \$40; Improvements \$20; Candles \$60; In Memory \$125. TOTAL: \$2,789. Thank you for your donations!

**Join Our St. Nicholas Choir:** We open invitations to join our St. Nicholas Choir. If anyone is interested, contact the Church Rectory at 302-762-5511 or the choir director after Divine Liturgy services. Remember: to sing is to pray twice!

**Father Klanichka** will celebrate Divine Liturgy Byzantine Rite on Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, July 28<sup>th</sup>, and August 25<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM, at St. Jude the Apostle Roman Catholic Church, 152 Tulip Drive, Lewes, DE 19958. Please come and celebrate the Divine Liturgy with us!

**PLEASE PRAY FOR UKRAINE!**