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## St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

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## Sunday, November 17, 2024

26 <sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost			
SUN	Nov 17	10:00 AM	For the Parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
			Holodomor Remembrance – Soyuz Ykrainok
MON	Nov 18	8:00 AM	For Health of Joanne Kurych – Rev/Mrs Klanichka
TUE	Nov 19	8:00 AM	For Health of Martha Gimbel Family
WED	Nov 20	8:00 AM	Special Intention
THURS	Nov 21	10:00 AM	FEAST DAY – Entrance of the Theotokos
			For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
FRI	Nov 22	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
SAT	Nov 23	9:00 AM	No Liturgy
27th Sunday After Pentecost			
SUN	Nov 24	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 November 17<sup>th</sup> is requested by the Klanichka Family in memory of Volodymyr Klanichka, Sr. 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, Bill Bijansky Yaroslaw Vidoynyk.

**Our Church Library** is open and free – over 3,500 items ranging from Inspirational Fiction to Philosophy, Physics, Mathematics, History, Politics, Music, Spirituality and Theology. Our Faith is supernatural – never irrational!

**Many Thanks** to all those who volunteered and donated items for our Thanksgiving Dinner. A good time was enjoyed by all! May God richly bless you all!

**Feast Day** – Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup> is the **Feast of the Presentation (Entrance)** of the Most Holy Mother of God into the Temple. The Divine Liturgy will be held at 10:00 AM. Mirovannia after the Liturgy.

*St. Philip's Fast (PILIPIVKA)* – observed in our Church during the pre-Christmas or Advent season, beginning November 15<sup>th</sup> through December 24<sup>th</sup> (Christmas Eve), which includes good works, prayers, and voluntary fasting.

**Holodomor Remembrance** Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup> with Divine Liturgy and Panakhyda for millions of innocent victims of Ukrainian genocide of 1932-33. Vichnaja Pamjiat.

**Soyuz Ukrainok Branch 54** partnered with Laurel House for a **Food Drive** to honor Holodomor victims. A box is located in vestibule for food donations. Cut off is November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**English Without Borders** – An English-Speaking Club will be held every Wednesday at 7:00 in our Church Hall. Please join us on Wednesday evenings if you would like to improve your English speaking and understanding. All are welcome!

Save the Date – St. Nicholas Day Luncheon, Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup> after the 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy. Cost \$20 adults; \$5 children 6-12, children under 6 free. Sign-up sheets are located at the side entrance of the Church and in the Church Hall. Please sign up now – only those who have signed up will be admitted to the dinner. Deadline for signing up is Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Children Names for St. Nicholas Day Lunch --** A sign-up sheet is posted at the Coffee Table for the names of parish children ages 12 and under. **Please sign up by December 1**<sup>st</sup>.

**Birthright of Delaware Baby Bottle**: If you haven't already obtained a Birthright of Delaware Baby Bottle, they are available at both entrances to the Church. Take one and make your donation to support the work of Birthright of Delaware in their support of pregnant women with emotional and practical resources to choose LIFE for their babies. Please return donation to the Church by Sunday, November 17, 2024.

**Parish income for November 10<sup>th</sup>:** Sunday \$11,303; Holyday \$5; Dues \$6; Improvements \$10; Thanksgiving Dinner \$1,904; Monthly Diocesan \$20; Beatification \$10; St.Andrews Pence \$35. TOTAL: \$13,293. Thank you for your donations!