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St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Sunday, November 24, 2024

27th Sunday After Pentecost

SUN	Nov 24	10:00 AM	For the Parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
MON	Nov 25	8:00 AM	Special Intention
TUE	Nov 26	8:00 AM	+Igor Cicar (40 th Day) – Myra N. Voloshin
WED	Nov 27	8:00 AM	+Gabe Mansour – Linda Mansour
THURS	Nov 28	10:00 AM	THANKSGIVING DIVINE LITURGY For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
FRI	Nov 29	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
SAT	Nov 30	9:00 AM	No Liturgy
28 th Sunday After Pentecost			
SUN	Dec 1	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 17th is requested by Eugene Serba in memory of +Irene Serba. May her 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 Yaroslav 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!

Soyuz Ukrainok is very thankful to all our parishioners for the generous support of our bake sale. Dyakuyemo Vam! May God richly bless you!

Thursday, November 28th is **THANKSGIVING DAY**. Join us at the 10:00 Divine Liturgy in giving thanks to God for all His Blessings on our National Family Holiday.

Holodomor Remembrance with Panakhyda, Sunday, November 24th, 12:00 PM, St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Orthodox Church, for millions of innocent victims of Ukrainian genocide of 1932-33. Vichnaja Pamjiat.

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

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 22nd. 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!

Preparation of the Church for Christmas: We need help to prepare the Church for Christmas on Saturday, December 14th at 9:00 AM. In past years we have always appreciated your help and we need your help again this year.

Save the Date – St. Nicholas Day Luncheon, Sunday, December 8th 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 1st.**

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 1st.**

Parish income for November 17th: Sunday \$1,602; Holyday \$15; Heat/Fuel \$80; Eternal Vigil \$20; Donation \$40; Monthly Diocesan \$10; Beatification \$10; St.Andrews Pence \$10. TOTAL: \$1,777. Thank you for your donations!

Welcome to the members of the **Bishop Curtis Knights of Columbus** as we hold a memorial service for the deceased members of the Council.