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St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Sunday, September 28, 2025

16th Sunday After Pentecost

SUN	Sept 28	10:00 AM	For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
MON	Sept 29	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
TUE	Sept 30	8:00AM	+Walter Szczerban – Mr/Mrs William Krawczuk
WED	Oct 1	7:00 PM	Feast Day: Protection of the Theotokos For the Parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
THURS	Oct 2	8:00 AM	+Joanne Kurych – Kurych Family
FRI	Oct 3	8:00 AM	For Health of Richard Javick – Rev/Mrs Klanichka
SAT	Oct 4	9:00 AM	No Liturgy
17 th Sunday After Pentecost			
SUN	Oct 5	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 loved ones, please see Grace Pryslak. You can also email her the information at gpryslak@gmail.com. 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 September 28th is requested by the Kostyshyn Family in memory of +John Kostyshyn. May his memory be everlasting!

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

Let us remember our sick people in our prayers: Lidia Harwanko, Deanna Hynasky, John Hynansky, Ihor and Karen Hrycak, Bohdan Hrycushko, Martha Gimbel, Walter Petryk, Orest Sobkiw, Yaroslav Vidoynyk, and Richard Javick.

Parish meeting will be on Sunday, October 12, 2025, after Divine Liturgy in the Church. Please, All are invited to attend. Thank you very much and God richly Bless you all in ways He can!

Parish income September 21st: Sunday \$10,732; Dues \$15; Heat/Fuel \$65; Improvements \$5; In Memory \$755; End of Summer Picnic \$1,684; Summer Recovery \$10; Monthly Diocesan \$5. TOTAL: \$13,271. Thank you for your donations!

On Wednesday, October 1st we celebrate the **Feast of the Protection (Patronage, Pokrov) of the Mother of God and ever Virgin Mary.** The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 7:00 PM with Mirovannia after the Divine Liturgy.

Souz Ykrainok will hold a Bake Sales on Sunday, October 5th after 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy. Please come and show your support for the group.

Reporting and Benefit Events 2025 – Metropolitan Borys Gudziak cordially invites you to join him at the Reporting and Benefit Events 2025 – Engaging Our Core – Saturday, October 4th, at 5:30 PM, Cathedral Hall, 830 North Franklin Street, Philadelphia.

Highlights:

- Metropolitan Borys will report on the recent development in the Archeparchy
- Dinner will be served catered by The Choice Restaurant
- Musical performances by Philadelphia Funk Authority
- Silent auction and 50/50 raffle

Special Thanks to All Volunteers who made our End of Summer BBQ a success! May God Bless you a hundredfold! Our events are possible only through the dedication of those who volunteer their time and efforts.

Varenyky Sale – orders are being taken for Varenyky. Pick-up date is **Sunday, October 19th** after Divine Liturgy. Sign-up sheets are in the vestibule of the Church and the Church Hall.

Help is needed on Friday and Saturday, October 17th and October 18th beginning at 9:00 AM. Donations to help defray the cost are greatly appreciated

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY will be held today with the theme “Christ, the Heavenly Bread” As we begin the new catechetical year 2025 let us take time to grow in our love and gratitude for the gift of the Holy Eucharist, sharing that love with those entrusted to our care. May we all faithfully navigate through this pandemic, knowing and trusting that God is With Us.

Register Your Children for Religious Education: Registration form for children can be found in the Church vestibule. Register your children for religious education classes.

Brianna Trysnyuk, daughter of Ivan and Inna (Didkovska) Trysnyuk will celebrate the Holy Mystery of Christian Initiation (Baptism, Chrismation and Holy Eucharist) on today after 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy. We welcome Brianna Trysnyuk as a new member of Christ’s Church and we wish him many, happy and healthy years! Mnohaya Lita!!!

Book Reading and Synopsis by Very Rev. Dr. Ivan Kaszczak – A Memoir of the Life of the Most Reverend +Bishop Basil Losten, October 18, 2025, 2:30 PM to 4:00 PM, at the Ukrainian Museum and Library of Stamford, 161 Glenbrook Road, Stamford, CT. Sponsored by: Ukrainian Museum and Library of Stamford. Donations welcomed this initiative.