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# St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

Christ is Risen! • Indeed He is Risen!

Sunday, May 10, 2026

## Sunday of the Man Born Blind

SUN	May 10	10:00 AM	For living and deceased Mothers of St. Nicholas Church
MON	May 11	9:00 AM	For health of Deanna Hynansky – Rev./Mrs. Klanichka
TUE	May 12	9:00 AM	For health of Marbeth Szczerban – Szczerban Family
WED	May 13	9:00 AM	For health of John Hynansky – St. Nicholas Church
THURS	May 14	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	<b>Ascension of Our Lord</b> For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church Special Intention
FRI	May 15	9:00 AM 7:00 PM	For God's Blessing of Michael Hynansky and Family Moleben to the Mother of God
SAT	May 16	9:00 AM	No Liturgy
<b>Sunday of the Fathers of the 1<sup>st</sup> Ecumenical Council</b>			
SUN	May 17	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 on 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.

**The Sanctuary Light** for the week of May 10 is requested by St. Nicholas Parish in memory of all deceased Mothers of the parish. May their memory be eternal! Vichnaya Pamiat!

**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 Hynansky, John Hynansky, Ihor and Karen Hrycak, Bohdan Hrycushko, Martha Gimbel, Walter Petryk, Orest Sobkiw, Marbeth Szczerban, Yaroslav Vidoynyk and Richard Javick.

**The Bishops of the Metropolia of Philadelphia have created a special fund entitled: “Healing of the wounds of War in Ukraine”. The fund can be accessed through the website of the Archeparchy of Philadelphia at [ukrcatholic.org](http://ukrcatholic.org).**

**Thank you very much** for all your greetings and wishes on occasion of my 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Priesthood. May God richly Bless you all in ways He only can! Mnohaya I Blahya Lita!!!

**Happy Mother's Day** to our mothers in the Parish. We wish them good health, long life and the Lord's choicest blessings. May the Holy Spirit guide you throughout your lifetime. May the Holy Mother of God guard and protect you from all evil. **Na Mhohaya I Blahaya Lita!**

**Holyday – Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>** is the **Ascension of Our Lord into Heaven**. This is a Holyday of Obligation. The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM. Anointing of Holy Oil (Myrovania) after Divine Liturgy.

**The Society of the Ukrainian Insurgent Army in the USA** invites the Ukrainian community to a Memorial Concert celebrating “Ukrainian Heroes Day”, which will be held on Sunday, May 31st at the Ukrainian Educational and Cultural Center, at 700 N. Cedar Rd., Jenkintown, PA.

Starting at 3:00, the Ukrainian National Women's League of America - Philadelphia Region is sponsoring and hosting Coffee and Cakes Social. There will also be an opportunity to purchase drinks at the UECC Cheremosh Bar. At 4:00 pm, the "Ukrainian Heroes Day" Memorial Concert Program opens with the following performances: Voloshky School of Dance; Dzvin Choir; Yazykata Dzhezva Theater Group; The 128th UNWLA Branch Folklore Theater Group; Plast Scouts; and the Musical Interlude of Irena Pelech Zwarych. Your presence at the Memorial Concert will honor our Ukrainian Heroes past and present. Admission at the door \$25. Children ^12 free.

**The School of Voloshky Spring Concert** will be held on **Sunday, May 17, 2026**, at Bensalem High School, Bensalem PA. We know that the events in Ukraine continue to dominate our thoughts and weigh on our hearts. We would like to use this time as an opportunity to showcase our culture and traditions through dance, and to show our support for the people of Ukraine. Proceeds from this year's concert will **once again** be donated to **The Children's Health Center in Lviv, Ukraine** to provide aid and assistance to the children of Ukraine who have been impacted by Russia's war on Ukraine. We invite everyone to attend our Spring Concert. Tickets are available for purchase at: <https://31129.danceticketing.com/r/events/>, or they can be purchased at the door on Sunday.

**During the month of May**, we will celebrate **Moleben to the Mother of God** on Fridays at 7:00 PM for peace in Ukraine. Please come and join in this celebration as May is dedicated in honor of the Blessed Mother. Join us spiritually in prayer, imploring the Mother of God to keep all of us under Her heavenly protection and care. May Our Blessed Mother of God keep you under Her loving and protective “omophor.”

**Bible Study:** we already began a Bible study (Lectio Divina) every Thursdays at 7:00 pm every other week (1<sup>st</sup> Ukrainian week and 2<sup>nd</sup> English week) in our Church Hall. Please come and join us and learn about the Holy Scripture. This coming week will be in Ukrainian and following week will be in English. We will continue following alternative weeks. All are welcome!

**War Doctor: Ukraine** – a work-in progress film from the front line directed by Ako K on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> was presented after Divine Liturgy at 10:00 AM and followed by an Easter Dinner in St. Nicholas Church. If you would like to support this project and help with financial donations. Alexander Kuzy will leave USA on May 1 and will be travel to Ukraine to the front line and will help the first responders, who take care the injured soldiers on the front line of the War! His phone number (248)-342-1280 for more details information. Please, be generous and help with this project!

**Parish income for April 26<sup>th</sup>:** Sunday \$2,302; Holiday \$30; Dues \$; Heat/Fuel \$30; Improvements \$50; Candles \$306; Parking Lot \$1,500; Dinners \$40; Eternal Vigil Light \$0; Monthly Diocesan \$5. TOTAL: \$3,957.00. Thank you for your donations! May God Bless you in hundredfold!