

Serving God and His People since 1903

St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

Glory to Jesus Christ! • Glory to be forever!

Sunday, August 23, 2026

13 th Sunday after Pentecost			
SUN	Aug. 23	10:00 AM	For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
MON	Aug. 24	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
TUE	Aug. 25	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
WED	Aug. 26	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
THURS	Aug. 27	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
FRI	Aug. 28	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
SAT	Aug. 29	9:00 AM	No Liturgy
14 th Sunday after Pentecost			
SUN	Aug. 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 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 Father Volodymyr Klanichka. You can also email him the information at vovaklan@gmail.com. The Eternal light candle will burn for one week and the cost is \$20.

The Sanctuary Light for the week of August 23rd is requested by Szczerbsn Family in memory of +Christopher Szczerban. May his memory be eternal! Vichnaya Pamiat!

Recitation of the Rosary – every Sundays at 9:45 AM for Peace and Stop War in Ukraine. Please pray with us and meditate on the Holy Mysteries of the Rosary.

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

Parish income for August 16th: Sunday \$1,926; Holyday \$105; Dues \$2; Heat/Fuel \$60; Improvements \$; Eternal Vigil Light \$; Monthly Diocesan \$; St. Jude Missions \$539 & \$621. **TOTAL:** \$2,094.00. Thank you very much for your donations! May God richly Bless you all in hundredfold!

On Sun., Aug. 23, at 12:00 PM, the Ukrainian American Sport Center Tryzub (County Line and Lower State Rds., Horsham, PA) invites you to the Ukrainian Independence Folk Festival 2026. Commencing at 1:30 PM, enjoy “A Celebration of Liberty, Valor and Unity”, a vibrant Outdoor Summer Concert of Ukrainian Dance, Music and Song, celebrating the 35th anniversary of Ukraine’s Independence, the Unity of her People and their Struggle for Freedom, Prosperity and Dignity. The performers “Hromovytsia” (Chicago), “Voloshky” (Phila.) and Spirit of the Dance (Balt.) Ukrainian Dance Ensembles, singer-songwriter “Shanis”, violinist “Innesa”, “and “Vox Ethnika” Orchestra -- have created a dynamic, integrated concert program for your delight. Live, vibrant music by the “Vox Ethnika” will follow the concert and play on until 8:00 PM. Ukrainian ethnic foods and baked goods, a BBQ and cool refreshments for all ages will be plentiful. Visit vendors’ grove and the Ukrainian Arts and Crafts market. Admission: \$20; Free for kids to age 14. Info: 267-664-3857; info@tryzub.org; www.tryzub.org. \$2 of each paid admission goes to Humanitarian Relief in Ukraine. Review the website for possible offsite parking instructions.

The Ukrainian Catholic University invites you to their **Folk-Gala Perelaz**, Saturday, September 26th at 4:00 PM, at St. Michael the Archangel Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1013 Fox Chase Road, Jenkintown, PA. We invite you to join our UCU Community for a traditional family-friendly evening celebrating our Ukrainian University. Delicious Ukrainian cuisine, drinks and musical entertainment are all included. A separate program for children will also be offered. For more information, please see the flyer in the vestibule on back door of the Church. Thank you!

Father Klanichka will be on vacation from August 17th through August 30th. **Father Oleg Kuts** will celebrate The Divine Liturgy on Saturday, August 29th and Sunday, August 30th. In case of an emergency and any needs of the priest, please call **Father Daniel Troyan at 717-554-2994** from Holy Myrrh-Bearer’s Ukrainian Church in Swarthmore, PA.

Mark your calendar for the St Nicholas End of Summer Picnic! The picnic will take place on Sunday, September 27th after at 10:00 AM The Divine Liturgy. Sign-up sheets can be found in the Church Hall and near the Church entrances. **Volunteers** are needed for preparing and serving food at Parish Picnic.

Let us remember our sick people in our prayers: Fr. Robert Hitchens, 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.

Save the Date – a Pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes with Barcelona to be held **September 13-23, 2026**. All parishioners and guests and friends are welcome to join us to the world’s most reverend pilgrimage centers and experience the wonderful cultures and beauty of **Portugal, France and Spain**. There are 13 seats still available for you. If you are interested or would like to go with us during this Pilgrimage, please call 1-800-852-5655 and ask Shelly. Please, for information visit <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1392151>. **All are welcome on board and travel with us!!!**

Father Klanichka will celebrate The Divine Liturgy Byzantine Rite on every Sundays from May 31 through September 6, 2026, at 4:00 PM, in St. Jude the Apostle Roman Catholic Church, at 152 Tulip Drive, Lewes, DE 19958. Please come and celebrate the Divine Liturgy with us!

Soyuz Ykrainok Branch #54 is collecting Ukrainian artifacts (ceramics, embroidery, carving, paintings, etc.) which we will sell at the Arden Fair and other places, as a fundraiser for Ukraine. Please check your personal collections for any items you would be willing to share with our branch. A collection box is placed in the vestibule. Thank you very much and may God richly Bless you all!