

Serving God and His People since 1903

St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

Glory to Jesus Christ! • Glory to be forever!

Sunday, September 27, 2026

18 th Sunday after Pentecost			
SUN	Sept. 27	10:00 AM	For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
MON	Sept. 28	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
TUE	Sept. 29	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
WED	Sept. 30	8:00 AM	No Liturgy
THURS	Oct. 1	7:00 PM	Feast Day: Protection of the Theotokos For the parishioners of St. Nicholas Church
FRI	Oct. 2	8:00 AM	For God's Blessing and Health of Glen and Martha Gimbel
SAT	Oct. 3	9:00 AM	For health of Richard Javick – Rev./Mrs. Klanichka
19 th Sunday after Pentecost			
SUN	Oct. 4	9:00 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 September 27th is requested by daughter Nadija and son-in-law Herb Dempsey in memory of +Anna Balanczuk. May her 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.**

Annual Clergy Retreat –Father Klanichka will attend a retreat Monday, Sept 28th through Thursday, October 1st. Please pray for the spiritual enrichment and renewal of our clergy.

Attention: Next Sunday October 4, 2026, The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 9:00 am!

On Thursday, 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.

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!

Parish Picnic – please join us today at St Nicholas End of Summer Picnic! The picnic will take place on Sunday, September 27th after at 10:00 AM The Divine Liturgy. All are welcome!

Let us remember our sick people in our prayers: Fr. Robert Hitchens, Kryzysztof and Valentina Falkowski, Lidia Harwanko, Deanna Hynansky, John Hynansky, Ihor and Karen Hrycak, Bohdan Hrycushko, Martha Gimbel, Orest Sobkiw, Marbeth Szczerban, Yaroslav Vidoynyk and Richard Javick.

Father Klanichka will celebrate The Divine Liturgy Byzantine Rite on every last Sundays of the months of October 25, November 29 and December 27, 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!

Parish income for September 13th: Sunday \$1,399; Holyday \$30; Dues \$3; Heat/Fuel \$; Improvements \$20; Eternal Vigil Light \$20; Monthly Diocesan \$18; Aid to Ukraine \$60. TOTAL: \$27,105.00. **Thank you very much for your donations! May God richly Bless you all in hundredfold!**

Parish income for September 20th: Sunday \$1,129; Holyday \$25; Dues \$; Heat/Fuel \$40; Improvements \$; Eternal Vigil Light \$; Monthly Diocesan \$. TOTAL: \$1,194.00. **Thank you very much for your donations! May God richly Bless you all in hundredfold!**

Reporting and Benefit Events 2026 – Metropolitan Borys Gudziak cordially invites you to join him at the Reporting and Benefit Evens 2025 – Engaging Our Core – Saturday, October 17th, at 5:30 PM, Cathedral Hall, 830 North Franklin Street, Philadelphia, PA.

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY will be held today with the theme “Christ, the Heavenly Bread” As we begin the new catechetical year 2026 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.