Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church

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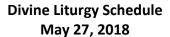
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Saturday, May 26

10:00AM-1:00PM Liturgy & Adoration of Shroud

6:00PM-8:00PM Divine Liturgy (English) & Adoration of Shroud

Sunday, May 27 1st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:30AM -1:00PM Divine Liturgy & Adoration of Shroud

4:00-8:00PM Adoration of Shroud

4:30PM HOLY ROSARY

Monday, May 28 MEMORIAL DAY

AFTER LITURGY Blessing of the Graves at Holy Transfiguration Cemetery

& Saint Nicholas Cemetery

Saturday, June 2

6:00PM Health & God's Blessings for MaryLouise Bailey-

Daughter, Arlene Czarnecki

Sunday, June 3 2nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:30AM God's Blessings and Good Health for All Parishioners



Welcome! VITAEMO! You enter this Church - not as strangers, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Ask His blessing on those who love His house of faith as the inspiration of their labor, rejoicing in the power of the Holy

Spirit, and may that blessing rest on you, both in your going out and your coming in. Bring our people together to worship in the hope of everlasting love.



SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST May 27, 2018

TROPAR: You came down from on high, O Merciful One, and accepted three days of burial to free us from our sufferings. O Lord, our life and our resurrection, glory be to You!

TROPAR: Clothed as in purple and fine linen with the blood of Your martyrs throughout the world, Your Church cries out to You through them, O Christ God: send down Your loving-kindness on Your people; grant peace to Your community, and to our souls great mercy.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and for ever and ever. Amen.

KONDAK: O Lord, Creator of nature, the world offers You the godly martyrs as the first-fruits of nature. By their supplications, through the Mother of God, preserve Your Church and Your people in profound peace, O most merciful One.

PROKEIMON: Pray and give thanks to the Lord our God. verse: In Judea God is known; His name is great in Israel. Pray and give thanks to the Lord our God.

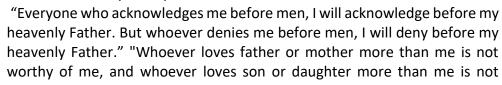
A reading from St. Paul's Epistle to the Hebrews (11:32-12:2:)

Brethren, what more shall I say? I have not the time to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah of David and Samuel, and the prophets, who by faith conquered kingdoms, did what was righteous, obtained the promises; they closed the mouths of lions, put out raging fires, escaped the devouring sword; out of weakness they were made powerful, became strong in battle, and turned back foreign invaders. Women received back their dead through resurrection. Some were tortured and would not accept deliverance, in order to better resurrection. Others endured mockery, scourging and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, sawed in two, put to death at the sword's point; they went about in skins of sheep or goats, needy, afflicted, tormented. The world was not worthy of them. They wandered about in deserts and on mountains, in caves and in crevices of the earth. Yet all these, though approved because of their faith, did not receive what had been promised. God had foreseen something better for us, so that without us they should not be made perfect. Therefore, since we

are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and preserve in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith. For the sake of the joy the lay before him he endured the cross, despising its shame, and has taken his seat at the right of the throne of God.

ALLELUIA: Alleluia (3). The just cried out and the Lord heard them, and delivered them out of their afflictions. Alleluia (3). The afflictions of the just are many, and out of them all will the Lord deliver them. Alleluia (3).

Gospel of Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30



worthy of me; and whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me. Do not think that I have come to send peace upon the earth; I have come to bring a sword, not peace. For I have come to set a man at variance with his father, and a daughter with her mother, and a daughter-in-law with her mother-in-law; and a man's enemies will be those of his own household. Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me. Then Peter said to him in reply, "We have given up everything and followed you. What will there be for us?" Jesus said to them, "Amen, I say to you that you who have followed me, in the new age, when the Son of Man is seated on his throne of glory, will yourselves sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has given up houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or lands for the sake of my name will receive a hundred times more and will inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first."

COMMUNION HYMN: Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the righteous. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.



Please remember all of our <u>deceased</u> Veterans from Transfiguration of Our Lord and Saint Nicholas Parishes, especially:



Peter Wrobel Sr. Andrew Hvozda
Andrew Sloto Peter Kutsup

John Petrochko George Salonski Robert Jennings John Yanoshak

Russell Skordy Daniel Adamchak

Michael Hvozda 2nd Lt. Daniel Lee

John Hvozda Pavlo Kuczeria

Michael Skordinski Henry M. Heylek

Clarence "Red" Lee Daniel Lee

Peter Weron Michael Weron

Robert Jennings

Prayer for Deceased Veterans

O God, by whose mercy the faithful departed find rest, look kindly on your departed veterans who gave their lives in the service of their country. Grant that through the passion, death, and resurrection of your Son they may share in the joy of your heavenly kingdom and rejoice in you with your saints forever.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

CHURCH NEWS

VETERAN'S DAY: Keep in your prayers all veterans both living and deceased. It is with our deepest appreciation that we thank them for their service to our country and for our freedom.

SHROUD THANK YOU: A sincere "Thank You" to everyone who participated in the hosting of the Shroud of Turin at our Parish.



MEMORIAL DAY: On Monday, May 28 we will have Liturgy at the church at 10:00AM followed by Panikhída Services and Blessing of Graves at Transfiguration Cemetery and then Saint Nicholas Cemetery. Remember your family members in these services of Blessing and Panikhída.

PARISH COUNCIL: The next Parish Council meeting is Tuesday, June 5 at 6:30pm.

LOTTERY TICKETS: Lottery Tickets are still available for pick up in the back of the church. Tickets are for the month of June-**Ticket returns are due ASAP**.



PYROHY SALE: We are <u>selling potato pyrohy</u> at \$6.00 a dozen. We are trying a new strategy, pyrohy are frozen and available anytime from the church basement.

PETER'S PENCE: Please note that we do have our Peter's Pence Collection coming up in June. Our Parish is assessed \$300 for this collection which is sent to the Diocese with our remittance.

FATHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCES: Father's Day is June 17th, don't forget to remember your Father at our Father's Day Divine Liturgy.

FATHER WALTER WILL BE AWAY: Father Walter will be away **from Friday, June 8 until Tuesday, June 19** on a Spiritual Retreat. Father George Worshak will be serving the weekend liturgies. If a priest is needed for an emergency, please contact Father Paul Wolensky at 570-823-1821. All other inquiries and non-emergencies you may contact Lisa Placek at 570-574-1016.

When you see the Lord immolated and lying upon the altar, and the priest bent over that sacrifice praying, and all the people empurpled by that precious blood, can you think that you are still among men and on earth? Or are you not life up to heaven? -St. John Chrysostom



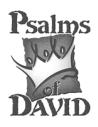
Petitions & Prayers for Our Parishioners: Please pray for our Parishioners Nursing Homes: Dorothy Kopiak, Doris Conrad Assisted Living: Mary Manson, Anna Hopiak At Home: John & Mary Hoolick, Helen Bogdan, Dolores Miller, Arlene Czarnecki, Mary Louise Bailey, Dorothy Swiderski. Sophie Staronka Away: Leona Kobela, Peter Slota. Prayer Request: Mike Sawczuk; Michelle Miller; Kerri; Anna Kutsup; Ellen Kobela,

Sister Martin Rodko; Fr. Deacon Michael

PRAYERS: Please remember in your prayers all who are in need of God's help. Remember those in the nursing facilities, hospital and at home, all the sick and the suffering. Please say a special prayer for all of our nation's soldiers and their families at home and abroad.

LUC MOLEBEN: Father Walter Pasicznyk, pastor of Plymouth's SS. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, extends a warm invitation to the beautiful Prayer Service - Moleben to Christ, Lover of Mankind on **Sunday, June 3, 2018** at 3:00pm to be followed by a church sponsored meeting of our North Anthracite Council of the League of Ukrainian Catholics (LUC). This is a public event of SS. Peter and Paul parish to which all parishioners and friends are welcome

Psalm 140(1-5;13.) NABRE(The Lamp Lighting Psalm)



For the leader. A psalm of David.

Deliver me, LORD, from the wicked; preserve me from the violent,
 From those who plan evil in their hearts, who stir up conflicts every day,
 Who sharpen their tongue like a serpent, venom of asps upon their lips.

⁵ Keep me, LORD, from the clutches of the wicked; preserve me from the violent, who plot to trip me up.
¹³ For I know the LORD will take up the cause of the needy, justice for the poor.



MAY CANDLES

The Eternal Light is given by the Yanoshak Family
In loving memory of Shirley Yanoshak.
The Altar Candles are given by MaryAnn & Donna
Kelley in loving memory of Brian Kelley.
The St. Nicholas Candle is given by Lisa Placek
for God's Blessing & Good Health for Ben Placek.

Candle Intentions Before the Icon for the Month of May

Candle Before Christ is given by MaryAnn Jarolen in memory of Hvozda & Frankowski Familes. Candle Before the Theotokos is given by Andy & Maria Sapol In loving memory of Andrew, Mary & Stephen Sapol.