

## Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church

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### Divine Liturgy Schedule

June 10, 2018

**Saturday, June 9**

6:00PM

✠Wasil Kobela & God's Blessings & Health for  
Leona Kobela-daughter, Ellen Alqrainy  
Petitions to Christ- The Lover of Mankind

**Sunday, June 10**

10:30AM

**3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

God's Blessings and Good Health for All Parishioners  
Petitions to Christ- The Lover of Mankind

**Saturday, June 16**

6:00PM

God's Blessings and Good Health for All Living Fathers  
& Eternal Rest for All Deceased Fathers  
Petitions to Christ- The Lover of Mankind

**Sunday, June 17**

10:30AM

**FATHER'S DAY**

**4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

God's Blessings and Good Health for All Living Fathers  
& Eternal Rest for All Deceased Fathers  
Petitions to Christ- The Lover of Mankind



**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.

## THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 10, 2018

**TROPAR:** When You went down to death, O Life Immortal, You struck Hades dead with the blazing light of Your divinity. When You raised the dead from the nether world, all the powers of heaven cried out: "O Giver of Life, Christ our God, glory be to You!"

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.**

**KONDAK:** You rose from the tomb, O almighty Saviour; and Hades, seeing this wonder, was stricken with fear; and the dead arose. Creation saw and rejoices with You, and Adam exults. And the world, my Saviour, sings Your praises for ever. **Now and for ever and ever. Amen.**

**THEOTOKION:** The tomb and death could not hold the Mother of God, unceasing in her intercession and an unfailing hope of patronage, for as the Mother of Life she was transferred to life by Him Who had dwelt in her ever-virgin womb.

**PROKEIMON:** The Lord is my strength and my song of praise, and He has become my salvation. *verse:* The Lord has indeed chastised me, but He has not delivered me to death.

### **A reading from St. Paul's Epistle to Romans 5:1-10:**

Brethren, therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we boast in the hope of the glory of God. Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us. You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him! For if, while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life!

**ALLELUIA:** Alleluia(3) The Lord will hear you in the day of tribulation; the name of the God of Jacob will shield you. Alleluia(3) Lord, grant victory to the king and hear us in the day that we shall call upon You. Alleluia(3).

**Gospel of Matthew 6:22-33**

The Lord said, “The eye is the lamp of the body. If your eyes are healthy, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eyes are unhealthy, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light within you is darkness, how great is that darkness! “No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money. “Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life? “And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? So do not worry, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

**COMMUNION HYMN:** Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.



**The Church Bulletins for the month of June are donated by the Skordy Family in loving memory of Russell and Anna Skordy.**

## CHURCH NEWS .....

**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.



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

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



Lisa Placek.

**MOVIE:** We are planning a movie/social hour for Sunday, June 24, the Feast Day of the Birth of John the Baptist, immediately following Divine Liturgy. Please save the date. Keep your eyes open for the vote on the next movie. If you would like to contribute a food item to the social hour, please contact



**FLEA MARKET:** We are planning to have the flea market this year after Labor Day. Due to events at the church basement and church hall please DO NOT to bring stuff until AFTER September 1 as we have no place to store items. Pick up will also be available after September 1.

**VINYL SIDING NEEDED:** We are looking for vinyl siding for the shed at the church hall. If anybody has siding in their garage or basement that they are not using and will probably never use please donate it to the church. Pick up is available. Call Bob Longenberger 570-256-7883. Any color siding is usable.

**It is easier for a father to have children than for children to have a real father.**

**- Pope John XXII**



**Petitions & Prayers for Our Parishioners:** Please pray for our Parishioners

**Nursing Homes:** Dorothy Kopiak, Doris Conrad **Assisted Living:** Mary Manson, Anna Hopyak **At Home:** John & Mary Hoolick, Helen Bogdan, Dolores Miller, Arlene Czarnecki, Mary Louise Bailey, 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. Especially, please keep in your prayers Leona Kobela.

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



**Psalm 1(1-6) NIV**

Blessed is the one who does not walk in step with the wicked or stand in the way that sinners take or sit in the company of mockers, but whose delight is in the law of the LORD, and who meditates on his law day and night.

That person is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither— whatever they do prospers.

Not so the wicked! They are like chaff that the wind blows away. Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous. For the LORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked leads to destruction.



***Let nothing disturb you,  
Let nothing frighten you,  
All things are passing away:  
God never changes.  
Patience obtains all things  
Whoever has God lacks nothing;  
God alone suffices.***

***-- St. Teresa of Avila***

***BORROWING TROUBLE- by Eugene Rice***

Some time ago I heard a lecture that has stuck with me ever since. The speaker was a nurse; she was at the bedside of a patient I was visiting at the hospital. The patient was worried about the possibility of surgery coming up, and, learning of this worry, the nurse began "Listen," she said, "we don't borrow trouble from tomorrow. You may have surgery, who knows, but that's not today. In this place," she continued, "we live one day at a time. If we borrowed all the problems tomorrow's going to bring, we'd never make it through a day. You live one day at a time, and you've got quite enough to think about today without borrowing tomorrow's trouble." Now I don't know for sure how much the patient was helped, but I profited from that and went away feeling better. And I went away thinking that this was just what Jesus was talking about in Matthew 6:34: "Therefore, do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Let the day's own trouble be sufficient for the day," (RSV). And I went away thinking of a quotation I heard not long ago. It said simply: "Worry is a pagan prayer." Think about this for a while. We do encounter trouble in life, no doubt it. But some of us go around busily making life worse than it is, and unnecessarily.....

***For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. – Matthew 6:21***



## **JUNE CANDLES**

The **Eternal Light** is given by the Yanoshak Family  
in loving memory of Shirley Yanoshak

The **St. Nicholas Candle** is given by  
Leona Kobela for Blessings & Health for  
Michael David Balicki.

### **Weekly Candle Intentions**

**Candle Before Christ** is given by Donna Davis in memory of  
Hvozda & Frankowski Families.

**Candle Before John The Baptist** is given by the  
Irene Hvozda & MaryAnn Jarolen for Good Health & God's Blessings.

**Candle Before the Theotokos** is given by the Ellen Algrainy, In memory of  
Wasil Kobela.