

Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Divine Liturgy Schedule July 8, 2018

Saturday, July 7

6:00PM

God's Blessings and Good Health on All Parishioners **Sunday, July 8**

7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:30AM

†Mary Kozmoski- Family

Wednesday, July 11

9:30AM

†Dorothy Swiderski(40th Day) - Barno Family

Saturday, July 14

6:00PM

†Stanley Yachwan- Helen Lipowski

Sunday, July 15

10:30AM

8th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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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.

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 8, 2018

TROPAR: Angelic powers were upon Your tomb and the guards became like dead men. Mary stood before Your tomb seeking Your most pure body. You captured Hades without being overcome by it. You met the Virgin and granted life. O Lord, risen from the dead, glory be to You!

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

KONDAK: With His life-giving hand Christ our God, the Giver of life, raised all the dead from the murky abyss and bestowed resurrection upon humanity. He is for all the Saviour, the resurrection and the life, and the God of all.

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

THEOTOKIEN: Undaunted patroness of Christians, O steadfast intermediary with the Creator, turn not away from the suppliant voices of sinners, but in your kindness come to help us who cry out to you in faith. Be quick to intercede, make haste to plead, for you are ever the patroness of those who honor you, O Mother of God.

PROKEIMON: Save Your people, O Lord, and bless Your inheritance.

verse: Unto You I will cry, O Lord, my God, lest You turn from me in silence.

A reading from St. Paul's Epistle to Romans 15:1-7:

Brethren, we who are strong ought to put up with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Each of us must please our neighbor for the good purpose of building up the neighbor. For Christ did not please himself; but, as it is written, "The insults of those who insult you have fallen on me." For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, so that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

ALLELUIA: Alleluia(3) He who lives in the aid of the Most High, shall dwell under the protection of the God of heaven. Alleluia(3) He says to the Lord: You are my protector and my refuge, my God, in Whom I hope. Alleluia(3)

Gospel of Matthew 9:27-35

As Jesus went on from there, two blind men followed him, crying loudly, "Have mercy on us, Son of David!" When he entered the house, the blind men came to him; and Jesus said to them, "Do you believe that I am able to do this?" They said to him, "Yes, Lord." Then he touched their eyes and said, "According to your faith let it be done to you." And their eyes were opened. Then Jesus sternly ordered them, "See that no one knows of this." But they went away and spread the news about him throughout that district. After they had gone away, a demoniac who was mute was brought to him. And when the demon had been cast out, the one who had been mute spoke; and the crowds were amazed and said, "Never has anything like this been seen in Israel." But the Pharisees said, "By the ruler of the demons he casts out the demons." Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness.

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



**The Church Bulletins for the month of July are donated by the Skordy Family
in loving memory of Skordinski & Slota Families.**

CHURCH NEWS...

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: Happy Birthday to Arlene Czarnecki who celebrated her 88th Birthday on July 6. Mnhaya Lita!! God Bless her Health and Happiness!



I baptize you in the name
of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit—

BAPTISM: On Sunday, July 15 we will have the baptism of Lawson Cooney. Lawson is the son of Shawn Cooney and Kimberly Koretz-Cooney. His Godparents are Stanley Cardinale and Lisa McDonaoy. Mnohaya Lita!

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.



EXCITING NEWS!!! FEAST OF SAINT ELIJAH THE PROPHET: We will have a Liturgy on Friday, July 20 and Saturday, July 21- immediately following these liturgies will be the **BLESSING OF CARS OR AUTOMOBILES IN THE CHURCH PARKING LOT. BRING YOUR CAR TO CHURCH AND HAVE YOUR CHARIOT BLESSED!!!**



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.

CONGRATULATIONS: Our warmest wishes are extended to Father John Wysochansky who is celebrating his 90th birthday on July 10th. Mnohaya Lita!



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.

LUC MEETING: INVITATION: Father Walter Pasicznyk, pastor of the Hanover section of Nanticoke's Holy Transfiguration Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, extends a warm invitation to a special celebration of the Transfiguration of Our Lord's Feast Day Parish Celebration on Sunday, August 5, 2018. The day will begin with Divine Liturgy at 10:30am followed by a summer picnic in the church's basement hall and on the church grounds. At 2:00pm the parish sponsored meeting of the North Anthracite Council of the League of Ukrainian Catholics (LUC) will take place. All parishioners and LUC members are warmly welcomed to attend. The parish is located at 240 Center Street, Nanticoke. If you need direction or more information you can call the rectory at (570) 735-2262.



TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD FEAST DAY: Please save the date for our church picnic which will be on Sunday, August 5th. Rentko's will be providing picnic food. If you can, please plan to bring a snack or dessert food.

JUNE LOTTERY WINNERS

496-6/10	Not Sold	\$50.00
987-6/11	Theresa Kolonsky	\$25.00
579-6/12	Tom Potsko	\$25.00
834-6/13	Richard Barno	\$25.00
451-6/14	Dorothy Dubrick	\$25.00
801-6/15	Not Sold	\$25.00
819-6/16	Ann Niezboda	\$50.00
776-6/17	Raymond Konetski	\$50.00
670-6/18	Not Sold	\$25.00
315-6/19	John Hoolick	\$25.00
405-06/20	Donna Schmidt	\$100.00
246-06/21	Joan Cominsky	\$25.00
462-06/22	Johanna Longenberger	\$25.00
101-06/23	Donna Lee-Hischak	\$50.00
529-06/24	Ellen Algrainy	\$50.00
405-06/25	Donna Schmidt	\$25.00
034-06/26	Ed Michalek	\$25.00
927-06/27	Kerri Michalek	\$25.00
451-06/28	Dorothy Dubick	\$25.00
355-06/29	Margaret Yanoshak	\$25.00
510-06/30	Jill Gagliardi	\$50.00



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, Sophie Staronka
Away: Leona Kobela **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.

PRAYERS FOR A DAUGHTER OF OUR PARISH: Please remember in your prayers Sister Martin Rodko, MSMG who is being hospitalized on Monday at Nazareth Hospital in Philadelphia for a period of one week for an ankle infection and skin graft.



Psalm 123
Supplication for Mercy

To you I lift up my eyes,
O you who are enthroned in the heavens!

As the eyes of servants
look to the hand of their master,
as the eyes of a maid
to the hand of her mistress,
so our eyes look to the LORD our God,
until he has mercy upon us.

Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us,
for we have had more than enough of contempt.
Our soul has had more than its fill
of the scorn of those who are at ease,
of the contempt of the arrogant.



JULY CANDLES

The Eternal Light is given by Mark & Arlene Jennings
In loving memory of Peter & Anna Wrobel.

The Altar Candles are given by Donna Lee-Hischak for
God's Blessings & Good Health for Jill Gagliardi.

The St. Nicholas Candle is given by Ed & Mary Schwartz
for God's Blessing & Good Health for their granddaughter, Elizabeth Ann.

Candle Intentions Before the Icon for the Month of July

The Candles on the Tetrapod are given by the Mary Ann Jarolen
In loving memory of Her Uncle-Godfather, Stanley Frankowski.

The Candle Before Christ is given by Irene Hvozda in
memory of Hvozda & Frankowski Families.

The Candle Before the Theotokos is given by
Tom & MaryAnn Potsko for a Special Intention.