

Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Divine Liturgy Schedule

January 27, 2019

Saturday, January 26

6:00PM

†David Trimelll-wife, Irene Quirion

Sunday, January 27

10:30AM

THIRTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

God's Blessings and Good Health on All Parishioners

Tuesday, January 29

**6:30PM

THREE HOLY HIERARCHS

God's Blessings & Good Health for Rebecca Aguado

-Pedro & Brenda Aguado

Thursday, January 31

9:30Am

God's Blessings for Ed Schwartz- A Friend

Friday, February 1

**6:30PM

ENCOUNTER OF OUR LORD WITH SIMEON

God's Blessings & Good Health for Jennifer Wetzel-

Peter Slota

Saturday, February 2

6:00PM

God's Blessings and Good Health on All Parishioners

Sunday, February 3

10:30AM

THIRTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

†Anna Wrobel-Arlene Jennings



Petitions & Prayers for Our Parishioners: Please pray for our Parishioners **Nursing Homes:** Doris Conrad. **Assisted Living:** Olga Yurkowski, Mary Manson, Anna Hopiak, Mary Hoolick. **At Home:** Anna Kutsup, Helen Bogdan, Dolores Miller, Arlene Czarnecki, Mary Louise Bailey, Sophie Staronka. **Away:** Leona Kobela. **Prayer Request:** Mike Sawczuk; Michelle Miller; Kerri; Ellen Kobela, Sister Martin Rodko; Fr. Deacon Michael Waak, Fr. Uriy Markewych; Fr. Peter Waslo.

THIRTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
January 27, 2019

TROPAR: Let the heavens be glad, let the earth rejoice, for the Lord has done a mighty deed with His arm. He trampled death by death. He became the first-born of the dead; He saved us from the abyss of Hades and granted great mercy to the world.

TROPAR: The divine Church rejoices and the whole world keeps feast with radiance at the transfer of your relics, O venerable hierarch John Chrysostom. Your life as a bishop was godly and you willingly became a martyr. Therefore, we cry to you, O martyr, passion-bearer and hierarchs' companion: Pray to Christ God that our souls may be saved.

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

KONDAK: The precious Church rejoices mystically at the transfer of your holy relics and treasuring them as costly gold it lavishly grants to those who hymn you the grace of healing, by your prayers, O John the Golden-mouthed.

Now and forever and ever. Amen.

KONDAK: You rose from the tomb, O compassionate Lord, and led us out from the gates of death. Today Adam exults and Eve rejoices, and the prophets together with the patriarchs unceasingly acclaim the divine might of Your power.

PROKEIMENON: Sing to our God, sing; sing to our King, sing. **verse:** Clap your hands, all you nations; shout unto God with the voice of joy.

A reading of the First Letter of the Holy Apostle Paul to Timothy 1:15-17:

Brethren, here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst. But for that very reason I was shown mercy so that in me, the worst of sinners, Christ Jesus might display his immense patience as an example for those who would believe in him and receive eternal life. Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.



ALLELUIA: Alleluia (3). In You, O Lord, have I hoped that I may not be put to shame for ever. Alleluia (3). Be a protector unto me, O God, and a house of refuge to save me. Alleluia (3).

Luke 18:35-43

At that time, when Jesus drew near to Jericho, a certain blind man was sitting by the wayside, begging; but hearing a crowd passing by, he inquired what this might be. And they told him that Jesus of Nazareth was passing by. And he cried out, saying, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" And they who went in front angrily tried to silence him. But he cried out all the louder, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Then Jesus stopped and commanded that he should be brought to him. And when he drew near, he asked him, saying, "What would you have me do for you?" And he said, "Lord, that I may see." And Jesus said to him, "Receive you sight, your faith has saved you." And at once he received his sight and followed him, glorifying God. And all the people upon seeing it gave praise to God.

COMMUNION HYMN: Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance; of evil hearsay he shall have no fear. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

PRAYER FOR RECOVERY FROM SICKNESS

O God, the strength of the weak and the comfort of sufferers: Mercifully accept our prayers, and grant to your servant (name), the help of your power, that his (her) sickness may be turned into health, and our sorrow into joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CHURCH ENVELOPES: Church envelopes are available in the basement. If you do not see envelopes with your name on it, please contact the church office.

SVIACHENNE: The 2019 Sviachenne will be on **May 5, 2019**. Please save the date.

MYASOPUSNA FLYERS: Myasopusna Flyers will be available in the back of the church, if you can, please put a flyer in your favorite places of business. We count on your help spread the word!

CHURCH NEWS ... *Christ is Born!- Glorify Him!*

Khrystos Razhdayetsia! Slavyte Yeho!



PYROHY SALE: The cost of potato pyrohy is now \$7.00 per dozen. There are pyrohy for sale in the freezer.



IT'S A LENTEN MOVIE RESCHEDULED: Our next movie is The Ultimate Gift on **THIS** Sunday, January 27th immediately following Divine Liturgy. Invite a friend!

MYASOPUSNA PYROHY: The date for Myasopusna is **February 24, 2019.** We will be making pyrohy for this event on **February 16th at 8:30am.** Please come out & help.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION CLASS: The next Adult Instruction Class will be on **THIS Saturday, January 26** immediately following Divine Liturgy. Our class will discuss Holy Communion. If you don't know what the Triangle of Mary is... YOU should attend. **Everyone is welcome!**

PARISH COUNCIL: The next meeting of the Parish Council will be **Tuesday, February 12th, 2019 at 6:30PM.** Everyone is welcome!

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH-We pray You, O almighty and eternal God! Who through Jesus Christ hast revealed Your glory to all nations, to preserve the works of Your mercy, that Your Church, being spread through the whole world, may continue with unchanging faith in the confession of your name. **Amen.**



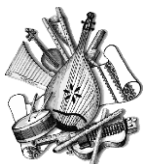
CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS: We will be taking down the Christmas Decorations on Tuesday, January 29 at 5:00PM. Please come out and help. Thank you to everyone who worked to decorate/un-decorate the church, order & place the Poinsettias, and water the flowers in the church for the Christmas Season. Thank You!!

MYASOPUSNA BASKET RAFFLE: We will be having a Basket Raffle in Conjunction with Myasopusna. If you could donate a basket, psanky egg, etc. please contact Johanna at 570-256-7883.



ASK FATHER A QUESTION? Father.....when you prepare The Gifts in preparation for communion, there is a “particle” or square for the deceased or living person that we have a Liturgy Intention for... Why? I thought it was the Body of Christ? Who gets THIS particle? Yes, there is a particle during the Preparation of “The Gifts” for the person whom the Liturgy is Intended, as there are for many of the Saints as well as the

Theotokos and Jesus Christ. We pray as we believe and part of our prayer of Holy Communion is that we become “like” Christ. So that we the Church are the Body of Christ. This is part of the symbolism **of the prayer** of Holy Communion. Because we truly believe and follow Christ’s Word, “that he who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I in him.” Those who partake of Holy Communion truly receive Christ. This is recognized in all of the prayers around Holy Communion. As to who receives that particle, as those of you who come to the adult discussion group learned, one of the parishioners will receive this particle, because it is co-mingled with all the particles in the chalice. All the particles originate from the one loaf that **IS** the Body of Christ.



MYASOPUSNA 2019: Transfiguration of Our Lord Church is pleased to announce that dinner tickets are now available for our Annual Myasopusna Festival, held at the church’s banquet hall at 240 Center Street, Nanticoke, on Sunday, February 24, from noon to 4 pm. The Myasopusna (Meatfare) Festival is the parish’s pre-Lenten celebration, preceding the Great Fast. Dinner (a platter of holuptsi, kobasi, pyrohy, borscht, black bread and butter, and a homemade dessert) will be served from 12:30 to 2:00 pm, followed by live Ukrainian dance performances by Saint Mary’s Ukrainian Dancers. A variety of Ukrainian crafts will be on display and for sale. Dinner tickets are \$13 if purchased by February 17th (\$15 at the door). Tickets can be purchased by calling Helen (735-4654) or Geri (824-3880).

Invite your friends and neighbors!

GENEAOLGY: Finding official documents on ancestors in what used to be Galicia can be challenging. If anyone has insights on how to find birth, baptismal, marriage, emigration, and death records for ancestors who lived in what is now south Poland, please contact Roberto Camacho at drexelterp@gmail.com. Roberto is helping his son-in-law, Mike Uhas, learn more about his ancestry and is looking for assistance.

Psalm 119(129-144)

Psalm 119 is the longest psalm in the Bible. To make sure that it is included in it's entirety- we will break it down into several parts.
It is being broken down by letter of the Hebrew Alphabet.

Pe

Your statutes are wonderful;
therefore I obey them.
The unfolding of your words gives light;
it gives understanding to the simple.
I open my mouth and pant,
longing for your commands.
Turn to me and have mercy on me,
as you always do to those who love your name.
Direct my footsteps according to your word;
let no sin rule over me.
Redeem me from human oppression,
that I may obey your precepts.
Make your face shine on your servant
and teach me your decrees.
Streams of tears flow from my eyes,
for your law is not obeyed.



Tsadhe

You are righteous, LORD, and your laws are right.
The statutes you have laid down are righteous;
they are fully trustworthy.
My zeal wears me out,
for my enemies ignore your words.
Your promises have been thoroughly tested,
and your servant loves them.
Though I am lowly and despised,
I do not forget your precepts.
Your righteousness is everlasting
and your law is true.
Trouble and distress have come upon me,
but your commands give me delight.
Your statutes are always righteous;
give me understanding that I may live. (To be Continued...)

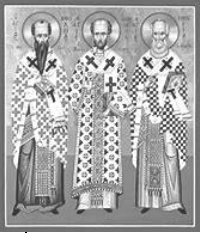
JANUARY CANDLES

The **Eternal Light** is given by the Yanoshak Family in loving memory of Steve, John, & Russell Yanoshak all of whom had January Birthdays.

The **Altar Candles** are given by the Koretz Family in loving memory of Leo Koretz.

The **St. Nicholas Candle** is given by MaryAnn & Donna Kelly in loving memory of Joseph Boback.

The **Proscomedia Table** is given by Irene Hvozda For God's Blessings & Good Health for Beth Davis.



Candle Intentions Before the Icon for the Month of January

The **Candles on the Tetrapod** are given by MaryAnn Jarolen For God's Blessings & Good Health for Beth Davis.

The **Candle Before Christ** is given by Irene Hvozda in for the deceased members Hvozda & Frankowski Families.

The **Candle Before the Theotokos** is given by the Slota Family in loving memory of Peter & Pauline Slota.

The **Candle Before John the Baptist** is given by the Slota Family in loving memory of Peter & Pauline Slota.