

## Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church

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### Divine Liturgy Schedule

March 3, 2019

Saturday, March 2

6:00PM

God's Blessings for Arlene Czarnecki-Mary Louise Bailey

Sunday, March 3

10:30AM

**SUNDAY OF CHEESEFARE**

4:00PM

God's Blessings and Good Health for All Parishioners

SUNDOWN

**FORGIVENESS VESPERS (DEANERY) & SOCIAL**

**BEGINNING OF LENT-Strict Fast-No Meat or Dairy**

Wednesday, March 6

4:00PM

Saint Peter & Paul Church (Plymouth)

Liturgy of PreSanctified Gifts

Friday, March 8

6:30PM

Liturgy of PreSanctified Gifts

Saturday, March 9

6:00PM

†Dorothy Swiderski- Theresa Broskoske

\*\*\*\*\* DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS ON SUNDAY MARCH 10 \*\*\*\*\*

Sunday, March 10

10:30AM

**SUNDAY OF CHEESEFARE**

AFTER LITURGY

God's Blessings and Good Health for All Parishioners

**Coffee Hour (Birthday Cake)**



**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.

## SUNDAY OF CHEESEFARE

March 3, 2019

**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.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit now and forever and ever. Amen.**

**KONDAK:** O Master, Guide to Wisdom, Bestower of prudent counsel, Instructor of the foolish and Defender of the poor ones; make firm my heart and give it understanding. Give me a word, O Word of the Father: Behold, I shall not stop my lips from crying out to You: In Your mercy, have mercy on me who am fallen.

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

**A reading of the Epistle from the Holy Apostle Paul to the Romans (13:11-14:4):**



Brethren, do this, understanding the present time: The hour has already come for you to wake up from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light. Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in carousing and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and debauchery, not in dissension and jealousy. Rather, clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus

Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the flesh. Accept the one whose faith is weak, without quarreling over disputable matters. One person's faith allows them to eat anything, but another, whose faith is weak, eats only vegetables. The one who eats everything must not treat with contempt the one who does not, and the one who does not eat everything must not judge the one who does, for God has accepted them. Who are you to judge someone else's servant? To their own master, servants stand or fall. And they will stand, for the Lord is able to make them stand.

**ALLELUIA:** Alleluia (3). It is good to give praise to the Lord, and to sing to Your name, O Most High. Alleluia (3). To announce Your mercy in the morning and Your truth every night. Alleluia (3).

**A reading from the Gospel of Matthew 6:14-21:**

The Lord said, "If you forgive men their offenses your Heavenly Father will also forgive you your offenses, but if you do not forgive men, neither will your Father forgive you your offenses. And when you fast, do not look gloomy like the hypocrites, who disfigure their faces in order to appear to men as fasting. Amen, I say to you, they have had their reward. But you, when you do fast, anoint your head and wash your face, so that you may not be seen by men to fast, but by your father, who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret, will reward you. Do lay up for yourself treasures on earth where rust and moth consume, and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasure in heaven where neither rust nor moth consumes, nor thieves break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be.

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

**CEMTERY:** Please remember to remove your Christmas Flowers from the cemetery in preparation for Pascha (Easter).

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**CHURCH NEWS ....**



**MYASOPUSNA "THANK YOU":** My sincerest thanks to **ALL** the Parishioners who participated in making this year's Meat-fare Dinner making it nothing short of FABULOUS! Thank you for working together as a Parish to make this happen! It was a delicious and lovely cultural event. Thank you to everyone who donated their time, their talents, their money, baskets and demonstrated their commitment to our Parish! Thank you to a wonderful performance by the Saint Mary's Ukrainian Dancers and Kazka!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!** Happy Birthday to **MaryAnn Jarolen** who celebrates her Birthday on Saturday, March 2. Mnohaya Lita! God Grant Her Many Happy Blessed Years! A Very Happy Birthday to **Father Walter Pasicznyk** who celebrates his Birthday on Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup>! Mnohaya Lita! God Grant and Bless Him with Many Happy Blessed Years!

**FIRST DAY OF LENT:** Please remembers that Lent begins at Sundown on Sunday, March 3 and the first day of Lent is a period of fasting from meat and dairy products.

**COFFEE HOUR:** We will have Birthday Cake next Sunday immediately following Liturgy.



**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME:** Please keep in mind that Daylight Savings time begins Sunday, March 10. Please set your clocks ahead one hour on Saturday, March 9, before you go to bed. Clocks will "spring" forward.

**PENGUINS GAME:** Parish Penguins Game will be Saturday, **March 30**. If you plan on attending, please sign the list at the back of the church. (Liturgy will be 1 hour earlier.)

**RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION CLASSES:** We will have our next class Saturday, March 3 immediately following Divine Liturgy.

**LINENS:** In preparation for the Great Fast we will be changing the linens in the church on **Sunday, March 3** immediately following Divine Liturgy.



**PIZZA OVENS:** We have pizza ovens for sale that the church no longer uses. For more information, please contact the rectory. If you know someone that might be interested in a pizza oven, please contact the rectory.



**PIGGIE DINNER: IT'S THIS SUNDAY!!!** "Saints Peter & Paul Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, Wilkes- Barre will hold a take-out Piggie / Holubtsi Dinner on **Sunday, March 3rd, 2019**. Dinners may be picked up between 11:30 am and 2:00 pm at the Parish School Hall, corner of North River and West Chestnut Streets, Wilkes-Barre. Dinner includes Piggies (meat stuffed cabbage), mashed potatoes, vegetable, bread and butter and dessert. Dinners will be \$12.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children (12 and under). Walk-Ins Welcome but Reservations are encouraged, call (570)829-3051."

**LUC BUS TRIP:** LUC is sponsoring a bus trip to New York City on **Saturday, May 18, 2019**. The Itinerary includes Brooklyn's Brighton Beach [Little Odessa] and the 43rd Annual St. George Ukrainian Street Festival on the Lower East Side of Manhattan. Bus will pick up at Edwardsville's St. Vladimir Church, 70 Zerby Avenue at 8:00am and at Scranton's St. Vladimir Church, 428 North Seventh Avenue at 8:45am. Departure for home will be at 8:00pm. Cost is \$45.00 per person. For further information and reservations call Paul at 570 563-2275 or Janina at 570 759-2824. (10 Seats are Currently Left...)



**HOAGIE SALE:** Saint Nicholas Ukrainian Church, 153 East Main Street, Glen Lyon is holding a Vegetable Soup, Turkey hoagie, and Italian Hoagie and a bake sale on Thursday, March 21, 2019 from 11am to 5pm in the church hall. The cost of each hoagie or quart of soup is \$6.00. Orders can be placed by calling Debbie at 570-736-6908 by Sunday, March 17th.



**PYSANKY EASTER EGG FUNDRAISER:** There will be a Pysanky Decorating Class at Exaltation of the Holy Cross Church Hall, 420 Main Road, Hanover Township on Saturday, March 30 @ noon and Sunday, March 31 @ 2:00PM. RSVP for Workshop Seat and by March 11<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$25.00 per person. All checks made payable to Ladies of Mary. Mail to 17 Maria Drive, Hanover Township, PA 18706. All supplies are provided. Food and Beverages are available for purchase. BYOB. Take Home Kit: \$20. Call Nicole Lasecki at

570-574-4453.

# Psalm 104 (1-13)

(Psalm of Creation.)



Bless the LORD, O my soul!  
O LORD my God, You are very great;  
You are clothed with splendor and majesty,  
Covering Yourself with light as with a cloak,  
Stretching out heaven like a *tent* curtain.  
He lays the beams of His upper chambers in the waters;  
He makes the clouds His chariot;  
He walks upon the wings of the wind;  
He makes the winds His messengers,  
Flaming fire His ministers.

He established the earth upon its foundations,  
So that it will not totter forever and ever.  
You covered it with the deep as with a garment;  
The waters were standing above the mountains.  
At Your rebuke they fled,  
At the sound of Your thunder they hurried away.  
The mountains rose; the valleys sank down  
To the place which You established for them.  
You set a boundary that they may not pass over,  
So that they will not return to cover the earth.

He sends forth springs in the valleys;  
They flow between the mountains;  
They give drink to every beast of the field;  
The wild donkeys quench their thirst.  
Beside them the birds of the heavens dwell;  
They lift up *their* voices among the branches.  
He waters the mountains from His upper chambers;  
The earth is satisfied with the fruit of His works. (To be Continued.)

## MARCH CANDLES

The **Eternal Light** is given by the Mrs. Olga Yurkowski  
in loving memory of Peter Slota.

The **Altar Candles** are given by the Mrs. Margaret Yanoshak in  
loving memory of her husband, Russell Yanoshak.

The **St. Nicholas Candle** is given by Ashton & Burel Families  
loving memory of John Hoolick.



### **Candle Intentions Before the Icon for the Month of March**

The **Candles on the Tetrapod** are given by Olympia Pasicznyk  
in loving memory of Ihor Pasicznyk.

The **Candle Before Christ** is given by the Lee Family  
in loving memory of Clarence "Red" Lee.

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  
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