

Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Divine Liturgy Schedule

July 14, 2019

Saturday, July 13

6:00PM

SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF SIX ECUMENICAL COUNCILS

†John Kaminsky-wife, Denise Kaminsky (2mos.)

Sunday, July 14

10:30AM

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God's Blessings and Good Health for All Parishioners

Tuesday, July 16

9:30AM

†Will Dougherty(3 mos.)-John & Denise Kaminsky

Saturday, July 20

6:00PM

†Joseph Heylek-Tom & MaryAnn Potsko

Blessing of Cars After Divine Liturgy(St. Elijah)

Sunday, July 21

10:30AM

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

God's Blessings and Good Health for All Parishioners

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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. Uriy Markewych; Fr. Peter Waslo.

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TROPAR: When the disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the glorious news of the resurrection and cast off the ancestral condemnation, they proudly told the apostles: "Death has been plundered! Christ our God is risen, granting to the world great mercy."

TROPAR: You are praised beyond all measure, O Christ our God! You made our Father on earth to be illuminaries, guiding u and all things to the true faith. O Lord, kind and loving beyond all measure, glory to you.

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

KONDAK: The apostles' preaching and the fathers' teaching confirmed the church in a single faith. Vested in a garment woven from the fabric of sublime theology, she rightly teaches and glorifies the great mystery of divine worship.

PROKIMEN: How great are Your works, O Lord You have made all things in wisdom. verse: Bless the Lord, O my soul: O Lord my God, You are exceedingly great. How great are Your works, O Lord You have made all things in wisdom.

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

Brethren, my heart's desire and prayed to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved. For I can testify about them that they are zealous for God, but their zeal is not based on knowledge. Since they did not know the righteousness of God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness. Christ is the culmination of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes. Moses writes this about the righteousness that is by the law: "The person who does these things will live by them." But the righteousness that is by faith says: "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'" (that is, to bring Christ down) "or 'Who will descend into the deep?'" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say? "The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart," that is, the message concerning faith that we proclaim: If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.

ALLELUIA: Alleluia (3). Poise yourself and advance in triumph and reign in the cause of truth, and meekness, and justice. Alleluia (3). You have loved justice and hated iniquity. Alleluia (3).



Gospel of Matthew 8:28-9.1

At that time, when Jesus arrived at the other side in the region of the Gadarenes, two demon-possessed men coming from the tombs met him. They were so violent that no one could pass that way. "What do you want with us, Son of God?" they shouted. "Have you come here to torture us before the appointed time?" Some distance from them a large herd of pigs was feeding. The demons begged Jesus, "If you drive us out, send us into the herd of pigs." He said to them, "Go!" So they came out and went into the pigs, and the whole herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and died in the water. Those tending the pigs ran off, went into the town and reported all this, including what had happened to the demon-possessed men. Then the whole town went out to meet Jesus. And when they saw him, they pleaded with him to leave their region.

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

The Parable of the Spoons



A holy man was having a conversation with the Lord one day and said, "Lord, I would like to know what Heaven and Hell are like. "The Lord led the holy man to two doors. He opened one of the doors and the holy man looked in. In the middle of the room was a large round table. In the middle of the table was a large pot of stew which smelled delicious and made the holy man's mouth water. The people sitting around the table were thin and sickly. They appeared to be famished. They were holding spoons with very long handles and each found it possible to reach into the pot of stew and take a spoonful, but because the handle was longer than their arms, they could not get the spoons back into their mouths. The holy man shuddered at the sight of their misery and suffering. The Lord said, "You have seen Hell." They went to the next room and opened the door. It was exactly the same as the first one. There was the large round table with the large pot of stew which made the holy man's mouth water. The people were equipped with the same long-handled spoons, but here the people were well nourished and plump, laughing and talking. The holy man said, "I don't understand." It is simple" said the Lord, "it requires but one skill.

You see, they have learned to feed each other."





PARISH MOVIE & LUNCHEON IN JULY: IT'S MOVIE TIME!!!! The Parish Movie day is Sunday, July 21 immediately after Divine Liturgy. Our social will be hosted by Gayle Miles and Jill Gagliardi. Dessert will be furnished. So just bring yourself and your family! **THE MOVIE IS: The Russians Are Coming!!**

Don't look now-The Russians Are Here! Invite your friends and family!



FOOD COLLECTION: Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish is collecting non-perishable food products to donate to the St. Faustina Food Kitchen. Please deposit it in the church basement.



PARISH PICNIC: The Parish Picnic will be **Sunday, August 4 following Divine Liturgy.** THIS YEAR something different we will hold the picnic in the church hall. Please save the date. Get ready your pyrohy toss, toss across, and any other picnic games we can use in the hall or inter active games.

The meal will once again be catered, however if you would like to donate chips/pretzels/dessert, etc. - please contact Lisa at 570-574-1016.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: The next meeting of the Parish Council is scheduled for **Tuesday, July 30th at 7:00PM.** The City of Nanticoke is planning to do re-curbng the intersection of Bliss & Center Street. This will impact our hall Property- the plans are in the back of the church. This is a topic to be discussed at this meeting.

125th ANNIVERSARY OF SAINT NICHOLAS CHURCH: St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church is celebrating it's 125th. A Hierarchical Divine Liturgy will be celebrated on **Sunday, October 6, 2019** at 1:30PM at St. Nicholas Church. A banquet will follow at 4:00pm at Transfiguration of Our Lord Church Hall. The cost per adult is \$45.00. Children ages 7-15 is \$15.00 and under 7 are free. Beer, wine, & soda are included. No tickets will be available at the door & there are no refunds. Please make your check out to "St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church" along with number of tickets you are requesting and the names of the people attending to St. Nicholas Church, 153 East Main Street, Glen Lyon, PA 18617 by September 1, 2019.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND ONE DAY FOOD FESTIVAL

11:00am-4:00pm

**Our Parish is holding a One-Day Ethnic Food Festival
on Saturday, August 31.**

**Home-Made Pierogi, Haluski,
PIG-in-the Blanket, POTATO PANCAKES, Clam
Chowder.....**

**FOOD PREPARATION HELP: Help is needed, keep
your eyes on the bulletin for dates. Pyrohy making
dates to come!**

SATURDAY HELP IS NEEDED.

**APPETITES ARE WANTED: Tell your friends &
neighbors, put up flyers!**



FOR UNFAILING STRENGTH

Do not look forward to what may happen tomorrow; the same everlasting Father who cares for you today will take care of you tomorrow and every day. Either He will shield you from suffering, or He will give you unfailing strength to bear it.

Be at peace, then. Put aside all anxious thoughts and imaginations, and say continually:
"The Lord is my strength and my shield. My heart has trusted in Him and I am helped.
He is not only with me but in me, and I in Him.

NOTABLE DATES:

JULY 28 - 85th Annual Seminary Day (Minersville/Primrose)

AUGUST 10-11 -65th Holy Dormition Pilgrimage (Sloatsburg, NY)

AUGUST 17 & 18 -Ukrainian Festival (Lehighton)

AUGUST 25th - Marian Pilgrimage (Centralia)

Information is available from THE WAY online.



You are the
light
of the world.

A city built on a hill
cannot be hid. No one after
lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel
basket, but on the lampstand, and it
gives light to all in the house.

Matthew 5:14-15



JULY CANDLES

The **Eternal Light** is given by Ellen Kobela-Alrainy in loving memory of Mike & Helen Oresick.

The **Altar Candles** are given by Tom & Mary Potsko In loving memory of Helen, Henry & Joseph Heylek.

The **St. Nicholas Candle** is given by Ed & Mary Schwartz for God's Blessings on their granddaughter, Elizabeth Ann Schwartz.

The **Proscomedia Table** is given by Mary Ann Jarolen for God's Blessings & Good Health for Barb Kunec.

Candle Intentions Before the Icon for the Month of July

The **Candle Before Christ** is given by Mrs. Irene Hvozda in loving memory of the members of the 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.