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July 22, 2018: Ninth Sunday After Pentecost		
Epistle: 1 Cor. 3: 9-17		Gospel: Mt. 14: 22-34
Mon., July 23	8:00	+ Pearl Kostic (Annette & Stephen Nye)
Tues., July 24	8:00	+ Theresa Krenitsky (John & Linda Giglio)
Wed., July 25	8:00	+ Tom Matkosky (St. Cyril's Holy Name Society)
Thurs., July 26	8:00	+ Mildred Gazella (Paul & John Simionick)
Fri., July 27	8:00	+ Ann Marie Chelak (Laura Delrusso & Family)
Sat., July 28	No Morning Divine Liturgy	
	10:30	Confessions
	2:00 pm	Confessions
	4:00 pm	+ Emmett & Zenia Hooper (Family)
Sun., July 29	9:00	For Our Parishioners
	11:30	+ Mary Ann (Frank)

QUESTION: *How do you make the sign of the cross?*

ANSWER: Blessing oneself with two fingers brought to the thumb represents the Trinity. The last two fingers held to the palm represent the two natures of Jesus - God and man. For the first 1,200 years of the Church, in making the Sign of the Cross, the hand was typically brought

from the right to the left shoulder. In the East, including our Ukrainian Catholic Church, this is still the practice, to signify Christ enthroned at the right hand of the Father. According to tradition and in the words of Pope Innocent III (1198-1216), the Sign of the Cross is made with three fingers because it is impressed upon us in the name of the Holy Trinity.

L.U.C. Meeting

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

throughout Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York and Connecticut in this very special spiritual event.

Departure will be at 7:30am from St. Vladimir Church in order to arrive in time for the 10:30am Pontifical Divine Liturgy. The afternoon consists of Blessing of the Sick, Blessing of Flowers and Religious Articles, Stations of the Cross and Moleben to the Mother of God. Departure for home will be at approximately 4:30pm.

Food and refreshments will be available on the Villa grounds. We are told sufficient seating will be available for the Divine Liturgy, however we are encouraged to take a folding chair along for the purpose of relaxing on the grounds of the Villa.

A donation of \$20.00 is requested and check should be made out to St. Vladimir Church. For reservations contact Father Myron Myronyuk by phone at 570 342-7023.

Annual Ukrainian Seminary Day

The Clergy and faithful of the South Anthracite Deanery of Pennsylvania will host the 84th Annual Ukrainian Seminary Day on Sunday, July 29, 2018 at St. Nick's Picnic Grove in Minersville, PA. All funds raised will

go to support St. Josaphat Seminary in Washington, D.C. We encourage all our faithful to go and observe 84 years of celebrating our Ukrainian Catholic Faith, culture and heritage. You will have a good time!

Collection Processing Team...

The Collection Processing Team for the month of July 2018 is Team #:

Helen Pagnotti, Marlene Zelno, Dorothy Zinsky and Cheryl Matuszewski.

Sunday Collection for July 14 & 15, 2018: \$1,951.93

Altar Boy and Lector Schedule for July 28 & 29, 2018

	Altar Boys	Lectors
4:00 pm	Brett Lowe -- Samuel Szczesniak	Bill Vervan
9:00 am	Cole Marcinko -- John Nasevich	Pat Marcinko
11:30 am	David Slachtish -- Jordan Radle	Frank Lesnefsky

having you and your family spiritually refresh yourselves with us during your

vacation at the Jersey Shore in Wild-wood Crest!

It's Vacation Time... (But Not for Church Bills)

It's that time of year again...Vacation Time. We take time out of our normal routine for rest and relaxation. Sometimes we stay at home; sometimes we take trips to visit friends, explore new places or go on adventures. We may even forget about our normal routines for a little while.

Unfortunately, our bills and fi-

nancial obligations never take a vacation. This includes our Church's bills, which always seem to INCREASE during summer time. Please, when you prepare to go on vacation, don't forget about YOUR CHURCH! You can always mail in your Sunday Collection envelopes and then can enjoy your vacations.

St. Mary's Country Picnic Dinner

August 2 6PM Seating. \$20per person. St. Mary's Center, 320 Mifflin Ave., Scranton. Menu: Fresh Summer Fruit Salad, Oven Baked Fried Tender Chicken sections w/seasoned coating and baked to a tender perfection, Country Sweet Potato(prepared w/

honey and Cinnamon), Roasted Vegetable Medley, Chef's Favorite Dessert-Homemade Lemon Lush. Non-alcoholic beverages included, Cash bar available. Reservations by end of day Monday, July 30. 570-343-5151 or events@stmcsScranton.com.

DORMITION PILGRIMAGE - BUS TRIP

Scranton's St. Vladimir parish has chartered a 33 passenger bus to the Sunday, August 12, Holy Dormition Pilgrimage on the beautiful grounds of St. Mary Villa in Sloatsburg, New York which is the Motherhouse of our Sisters of Mary Immaculate. The colorful day will be especially graced by our Patriarch Sviatoslav, head of the

world-wide Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church; seven bishops of our Church in the United States; Sister Sophia Lebedowicz, Supreme General of the world-wide Order of the Sisters of Mary Immaculate; and, His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan, Archbishop of New York. Join the Sisters, fellow parishioners and their pastors from

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.

Update for the 8th Annual Rummage Sale (September 21, 22, & 23, 2018)

1. Donations from parishioners, friends and neighbors will be accept on July 21st and July 28th, Saturday from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and not accepted on Saturday, August 4th. Beginning on Monday, August 6th (dates/times) listed below, the doors are open, you can drop off your donations. Do not leave them in the back of the school or on the front school steps, due to the weather. Contact Lauren 646-241-9443 or Michaelene 570-209-2026 or Father Nestor 570-291-4551 for additional information.

Pre-Rummage Sale flyers regarding the donations are available in the vestibule of the Church. We accept CLEAN and SALEABLE ITEMS: Please NO clothes, NO Shoes, NO Tv's, NO computers, NO baby car seats, NO baby cribs, NO VHS tapes, NO exercise equipment, NO text books, NO mattresses, NO encyclopedias. We are overcrowded with books, we will only take current bestselling authors. Pass the Pre-Rummage Sale Flyer out to family, friends and neighbors and local yard sales.

2. The "FURNITURE SALE" ONLY is August 3rd (Friday) and August 4th (Saturday) 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Ladies and men volunteers are needed!!!! Especially the men, altar boys, and high school students of the parish to lend a helping hand, as furniture will be sold and removed from the gym. The Ladies can assist the customers as items are put "on hold" or "sold" (p.s. we are selling lamps and wall hanging/pictures)

We will continue to organize the school gym on Monday, July 23rd, and Tuesday, July 24th 9:30 a.m. We have to separate and block off the boxes of merchandise for the Rummage Sale. If you have furniture, please call Michaelene or Father Nestor to get it to the gym before July 29, 2018 Flyers for the Furniture Sale are in the Vestibule of the church.

If anyone is interested in helping us out regarding selling items on E-bay, please contact Lauren.

3. Starting on Monday, August 6th we will begin to unpack, price and merchandise the items. You can sit at a table, items will be categorized by price and you just mark the price on the sticker. Some will set the items on the specific tables. Come for a few hours!!!! Stay and help as long as you want!!!! Come any time, the doors are open!!! Bring your Lunch!! We are starting early because we rather work at an easy pace, then be rushed in September.

First week: August 6th-August 11th (VOLUNTEER AND DROP OFF DONATIONS)

*Monday (6)-Wednesday (8)-Friday (10) from 9:30 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

**Tuesday (7) and Thursday (9) from 1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

***Saturday (11) from 5:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

You can always call Lauren at 646-241-9443 or Michaelene 570-209-2026 to verify that we are still working and at the school gym.

4. The Raffle last year offered over 100 baskets. We will continue with the collection of "Wine and Spirits" bottles and gift certificates, products, services, from retail stores, grocery, and businesses.

A letter introducing our "Rummage Sale" and stating we are seeking contributions is available in the vestibule. All you have to do is "Just hand the letter to your favorite place "ASAP Just follow up or let Lauren know whom you have contacted. We have left letters with: Mooyah, The Vitamin Store, Home Depot, Best Buys, Sam's Club, Design to Consign, Burger King, Wegmans, The business on the Burke By-Pass in Olyphant, Alexander's Restaurant, Thirst T's Bar & Grill etc...

Do you go to: Glider Diner, Christmas Tree Shops, Applebee's, Gerrity's Market, Texas Road House, La Cucina Restaurant, Walmart, Target, ViewMont Dinner, etc...and the neighboring stores in their complex... Just drop off a letter!!!! Every donation to our Raffle is very much appreciated. You might be surprised getting donation from stores you just happen to stop in with a letter!!!

5. The Flyer for the Rummage Sale (Yellow) is in the vestibule of the church and can be dropped off at your local post office, senior apartments, fire house, doctor's office etc.....And always ask permission to post the flyer.

#6. A schedule/calendar will be available for volunteers for the Furniture Sale in the school gym. We need the men throughout each day. It is not necessary for 6 men to be at the sale at 9:00 a.m. and no one is around at 2:00 p.m. Please call Lauren (570-383-0319 or 646-241-9443 for an approximate time you can volunteer on Aug. 3 and Aug 4th. (for both men and women).

#7. Refreshments will be available for sale to the customers at the Furniture Sale in August. Any suggestions concerning the food menu for the Rummage Sale in September, please contact MaryAnn Spryn at 570-489-4648.

Bunk Beds Needed

We received a request from Sandy Chekansky Dematteo from St. Catherine's Church, Moscow, they are looking for bunk beds for a family with 6 children. If you have them and would donate them, contact Sandy at 570-241-3915 or St. Catherine's Rectory 570-842 4561. We can work out the logistics!!! as we "pay if forward" to help others.

Vacationing at the Jersey Shore?

For all who are vacationing during the Summer months in Wildwood Crest, NJ, the Ukrainian Catholic Summer Mission in Wildwood Crest invites you to come and worship with us! We celebrate the Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom in Ukrainian (homily in English and Ukrainian) every Sunday evening at 6:30 pm from Sunday, July 1st, through Sunday,

September 2nd, 2018, located at:

Crest Community Church
5901 Pacific Avenue
Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260

Crest Community Church is located on the corner of Pacific Avenue and Crocus Road. For more information, please contact Father Roman Sverdan at 856-482-0938 or Marusha Cyhan at 609-522-2811. We look forward to