

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Saints Callinic and Theodotia -- July 29th

July 29, 2018: Tenth Sunday After Pentecost		
	Epistle: 1 Cor. 4: 9-16	Gospel: Mt. 17: 14-23
Mon., July 30	8:00	+ Mary Repchak (Andrew Powanda)
Tues., July 31	8:00	+ Andy Baranik (Andrea Novak)
Wed., Aug. 1	8:00	+ Msgr. Stephen Hrynuck (Evelyn Cheplick)
Thurs., Aug. 2	8:00	+ Ruth & George Daniels (Dolly Daniels)
Fri., Aug. 3	8:00	+ Florence Chomo (John & Mary Ann Turko)
Sat., Aug. 4	No Morning Divine Liturgy 10:30 Confessions 2:00 pm Confessions 4:00 pm For Our Parishioners	
Sun., Aug. 5	9:00	+ Paul Wasnetsky (Children & Grandchildren)
	11:30	+ Mary Zenzel (Sandra, Joe & Nikki Berta)

Assistance to Those Who Are Affected By Floods In Pa

Recently, many parishes in the central and northern part of Pennsylvania have been affected by floods caused by downpours. Many people have lost properties and personal valuables. Our Archeparchy is asking for your help and consider making a donation, which will be given directly to the parishioners and non-parishioners in the North and South Anthracite deaneries in Shenandoah, St. Clair, Mount Carmel, Centralia, Shamokin, Marion

Heights, Olyphant, Minersville, Middleport, McAdoo, Hazleton, Scranton, Simpson, Nanticoke, Plymouth, Berwick, Glen Lyon, Wilkes Barre, Edwardsville, Frackville, and Maizeville who are in need. Help them to rebuild and restore what was lost.

In your kindness, please consider making a donation and send it directly to our Archeparchy - Archbishop's Chancery, 810 North Franklin Street,

Philadelphia, PA 19123. Attention: US Disaster Recovery Fund. Please make your check payable to: Archeparchy of Philadelphia.

Thank you for your generosity and consideration!

There are also envelopes for this fund-raiser located throughout the Church. You can also make a donation using this envelop and drop it in the collection basket.

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 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)

First Annual Furniture Sale at St. Cyril's

"FURNITURE SALE" ONLY, August 3rd (Friday) and August 4th (Saturday) 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (The Parishioners are all invited to preview and purchase from our "Furniture Sale" AFTER all the Divine Liturgy's on Saturday, July 28th and Sunday, July 29th)

1. For our first "Furniture Sale" a schedule is available in the school gym, to sign up for a few hours on Friday (August 3) and Saturday (August 4). Volunteers are needed throughout the day. (Not have everyone show up at the same time, please sign the schedule) Ladies and men volunteers of all ages are needed!!!! Especially the men, al-

tar 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 also selling refreshments, lamps and wall hanging/pictures, books, suitcases, vinyl records, music media, stuff animals, lawn furniture, canning jars, and golf clubs because they are easy access to sell NOW.) Contact Lauren at 646-241-9443 or Michaelene 570-209-2026 or Father Nestor at 570-291-4451

2. Update: On July 30, Monday at 12:00 (noon)and Thursday, August 2, at 9:30 a.m. volunteers are needed to get the school gym “ready” (tweaking a few last minute items: Lobby, kitchen, securing the items for the rummage sale in September, etc...) for the public to come to the Furniture Sale.

3. On Monday, August 6th, at 11:00 a.m.(Holy Day, Divine Liturgy at 9:00 a.m. “Transfiguration” Bless Fruit) After the Furniture Sale, we need to reorganize the school gym, and move some furniture to Father Nestor’s garage, starting at 11:00 a.m. The tables need be set up to begin the pre-rummage sale preparation beginning on Tuesday, August 7th. The following men: Paul Mohila, Paul Mitzerak, Bob Kletsko, Ken Kosakevitch, and Michael Hermanovitch, have been so helpful with the logistics of the furniture over the past 8 weeks, we do need additional men volunteers to help out!!!! Moving tables and rearranging racks in the gym can be done in a short period of time. An extra pair of hands, always make the workload so much easier.

4. On Tuesday, August 7th at 12:00 p.m. 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.

5. The Hours the School gym is open: First week: August 6th-August 11th Call Lauren or Michaelene to check if they are still open in the school gym, (especially due to the hot and humid weather, they can close earlier) Bring a Lunch!!!!

**Monday (6) Starting at 11:00 a.m., re-organizing the gym, and setting up tables. Men volunteers are needed.

**Tuesday (7) and Thursday (9) from 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 pm...

(VOLUNTEER AND DROP OFF DONATIONS)

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

(VOLUNTEER AND DROP OFF DONATIONS)

**Saturday (11) only 5:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

(DROP OFF DONATIONS)

6. "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 or just a local business " ASAP. They can mail the gift certificate back to the rectory. IF they have "products", we will supply the basket. The raffle will be held September 23,2018 and benefits the Church.

Just follow up or let Lauren know whom you have contacted. We have left letters/received gift certificates/product with: The Giant(Green Ridge), The Greek Restaurant, Edible Fruits, Viewmont Diner, Sebastianelli's Restaurant, Eclipse Hair Salon, Firestone Tires, Manning's Ice-Cream, Wegmans.

Do you go to: Christmas Tree Shops, Applebee's, Gerrity's Market, Texas Roadhouse, Lugis's, Lou Pizza, Andy's Pizza, Tony's Pizza, O-Town, Coney Island, Toyota, Feel Good Motors, Legendary Auto, La Cucina Restaurant, Kohl's, Target, Dunkin Donuts, 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!!! and follow up with!!!

Bunk Beds Needed

We received a request from Sandy Chekan-sky 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 logis-tics!!! 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 Ukraini-an (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 having you and your family spiritually refresh yourselves with us during your vacation at the Jersey Shore in Wildwood 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 finan-

cial 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@stmcscranton.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, Arch-

bishop of New York. Join the Sisters, fellow parishioners and their pastors from 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 21 & 22, 2018: \$

Altar Boy and Lector Schedule for August 4 & 5, 2018

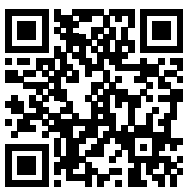
	Altar Boys	Lectors
4:00 pm	Thomas Radle -- Brian Radle	Michael Shumek
9:00 am	Nicholas Chylak -- John Nasevich	Pat Marcinko
11:30 am	Nicholas Muchisky -- David Slachtish	Frank Lesnefsky

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Baptism is Iconic Imitation

How different and paradoxical is what happened to us who received holy Baptism! We did not really die, nor were we really buried, nor even were we really crucified and raised again. Everything that took place was iconic imitation. Yet they constituted for us our true salvation. Christ was actually crucified and buried, and truly rose again. He freely bestowed on us all these things, so that we might truly gain salvation by imitatively participating in the sufferings of Christ. What a surpassing love for humanity! Christ allowed nails to be attached to His immaculate hands, and suffered anguish. To me, however, He freely bestows salvation without pain or toil but by making me a communicant of His suffering.

Let no one suppose that Baptism is merely for the forgiveness of sins and adoption, as John's baptism was only for the forgiveness of sins. We should fully know that that Baptism effects in us the cleansing of sins and the gift of the Holy Spirit, and additionally, it is equivalent to the sufferings of Christ. For this reason Paul shouts and says, "Are you not aware that all of us who were baptized in Christ Jesus, were baptized into His death? So, we were buried with Him by baptism into death" (Rom. 6:3-4). ... I beseech you, then, to constantly maintain in your memory these things which you have sufficiently learned...

St. Cyril of Jerusalem