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SUNDAY BULLETIN

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Sts. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Orthodox Church



Our Church has a vision and mission
Join our journey with Jesus Christ
There's a place for you!

Help us live the mission – We welcome you

12th Sunday after Pentecost. Tone 3

Epistle: St. Paul's 1st Letter to the Corinthians 15:1-11

Gospel: According to St. Matthew 19:16-26

The Tropar is sung after the Entrance hymn
“Come let us worship and bow down before Christ”, that
immediately follows the Small Entrance

Tropar of the Resurrection – Tone 3

Let the heavens rejoice. Let the earth be glad. For the Lord has shown strength with his Arm. He has trampled death by death. He has become the First born of the Dead. He has delivered us from the depths of Hades and has granted the world great mercy.

Kondak of the Resurrection – Tone 3

On this day You rose from the tomb, Merciful One, leading us from the gates of death. On this day Adam exults as Eve rejoices. With the prophets and patriarchs, they unceasingly praise the divine Majesty of Your Power.

Bohorodychyni (Theotokion) – Tone 3

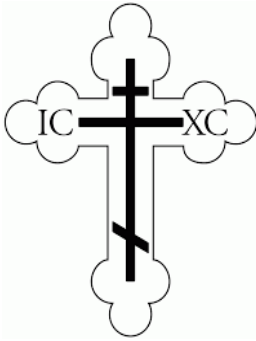
We chant your praises. Virgin Birth-giver of God, who intercedes for the Salvation of our race. For your son, our God, by taking flesh from you and accepting suffering on the cross, has delivered us from corruption for HE loves all mankind.

Prokimen Psalm (117:14,18)

Sing to our God, sing praises.

Sing praises to our King, sing praises.

Verse: clap your hands, all your peoples,
shout to God with a joyful voice.



Stewardship Matters

Reaching Out

SS. Peter and Paul's Stewardship Committee invites you to help with an effort to get in touch with those who are missing from our pews and our Church family.

A significant stewardship responsibility is building community. So, we want to reach out to those who, for one reason or another, have not been with us to worship and enjoy the fellowship we have in Jesus Christ.

Please let Fr. Ivan or a member of the Stewardship Committee know the names, ages and contact information for missing members—those who need our support and whose support we need. We're working together to find a way to bring them back to Church. And, you are a vital part of that process.

The reading is from: St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians 15:1-11

The Resurrection of Christ

15 ¹Now I would remind you, brethren, in what terms I preached to you the gospel, which you received, in which you stand, ²by which you are saved, if you hold it fast—unless you believed in vain.

³For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, ⁴that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, ⁵and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. ⁶Then he appeared to more than five hundred brethren at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. ⁷Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. ⁸Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. ⁹For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God which is with me. ¹¹Whether then it was I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse: May the Lord answer you in the day of trouble. May the Name of the God of Jacob protect you.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse: Lord, save the living and bear us on day we call out to You.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

The Gospel According to St. Matthew 19:16-26

The Rich Young Man

19 ¹⁶And behold, one came up to him, saying, “Teacher, what good deed must I do, to have eternal life?” ¹⁷And he said to him, “Why do you ask me about what is good? One there is who is good. If you would enter life, keep the commandments.” ¹⁸He said to him, “Which?” And Jesus said, “You shall not kill, You shall not commit adultery, You shall not steal, You shall not bear false witness, ¹⁹Honor your father and mother, and,

You shall love your neighbor as yourself.”²⁰ The young man said to him, “All these I have observed; what do I still lack?”²¹ Jesus said to him, “If you would be perfect, go, sell what you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me.”²² When the young man heard this he went away sorrowful; for he had great possessions.²³ And Jesus said to his disciples, “Truly, I say to you, it will be hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven.²⁴ Again I tell you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.”²⁵ When the disciples heard this they were greatly astonished, saying, “Who then can be saved?”²⁶ But Jesus looked at them and said to them, “With men this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.”

with God
ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE... MATTHEW 19:26



SS. Peter & Paul's Sunday Quiz

Questions from Gayle E. Woloschak's popular book:
Challenge Questions on Orthodoxy for Students

1. The first saints to translate scripture into Slavonic languages were a.) Volodymyr and Olha, b.) Boris and Gleb, c.) Cyril and Methodius, d.) Cosmas and Damian
2. The apostle known as “the Apostle to the Ukrainians” is a.) Peter, b.) James, c.) John, d.) Andrew.
3. The Orthodox Church was founded a.) When Christ was born, b.) On Pentecost, 50 days after Christ’s resurrection, d.) At the Great Council of Corinth
4. Which saint made Christianity legal in 312 AD? a.) Volodymyr, b.) Constantine, c.) Athenagorus, d.) Polycarp
5. Alpha and Omega are used in the Book of Revelation to symbolize a.) The eternity of heaven, b.) The Beast, c.) The people of God, d.) The eternal Father, God Almighty
6. Candles on the altar symbolize a.) Christ as the “Light of the World” b.) The threatening fire of hell, c.) The ever-consuming sins of the world, d.) None of the above
7. The English word “laity” (or Lay people) comes from the Greek word “laos.” This Greek word means a.) Unordained, b.) People of God, c.) Unprofessional, (d.) Unimportant
8. The names “Jesus” means a.) God is salvation, b.) Messiah, c.) Lord, d.) King
9. A parable is a.) A letter from one of the Apostles b.) A book of the New Testament, c.) A simple story with a moral, d.) A commandment from God.
10. The word Orthodox means a.) Christian, b.) Correct action, c.) People of God, d.) True belief

Answers: 1 c.) 2 d.) 3 c.) 4 b.) 5 d.) 6 a.) 7 b.) 8 a.) 9 c.) 10 d.)

STEWARDSHIP ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES UPCOMING PARISH AND OTHER EVENTS

We need your help!

On Sunday, October 5, 2019, SS. Peter & Paul will hold a Quarter Auction Fundraiser. The church is seeking the following donations: Gift Cards, Gift baskets, Money that will be used to purchase items and supplies for the gift basket, and other new items. Please give your donations to either Cystal Walkowicz or Yvonne Mark. Please note that all donations made will be credited to Stewardship.

- Sunday, September 8, 2019, 9:30 AM – **DIVINE LITURGY**, followed by Annual Church picnic on the Church grounds. Memorial service for Mary Chekanosky and Olga Permon.
- **MEETING** of Junior UOL at the Picnic. Election of officers.
- Wednesday, September 11, 2019, 9:30 AM – **DIVINE LITURGY**, Beheading of the Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and St John the Baptist. **THIS DAY IS A STRICT FAST.**
- Saturday, September 14, 2019: Beginning of the **NEW CHURCH ECCLESIASTICAL YEAR** (The Indiction)

- Sunday, September 15, 2019, 9:30 AM – **DIVINE LITURGY**. Memorial service of one Year of the repose for the servant of God V. Rev. John Harvey.
- **MEETING OF THE UOL** (3rd Sunday) – Immediately following the Divine Liturgy.
- Saturday, September 21, 2019, 9:30AM – **DIVINE LITURGY**, Nativity of Our Most Holy Lady the Theotokos and Ever Virgin Mary.

- Sunday, September 22, 2019, 9:30 AM – **DIVINE LITURGY. Beginning of Church School.**
- Saturday, September 27, 2019, 9:30 AM – **DIVINE LITURGY**, The Universal Exaltation of the Precious and Live Giving Cross, repose of St. John Chrysostom.

- Sunday, September 29, 2019, 9:30 AM – **DIVINE LITURGY**, at the Cemetery Chapel.
- Tuesday, October 1, 2019, 7:00 PM: **MEETING OF THE CHURCH COUNCIL** The Orthodox Center
- Saturday, October 5, 2019, 9:30 AM Doors Open, Auction begins at 10:00 AM.: **QUARTER AUCTION** at The Orthodox Center.

NEXT PEROGIE SALE - FRIDAY, September 19, 2019 (PICKUP 10 AM – NOON)

Don't forget: your help is always welcome and needed.

Task	Time	September 20
Potato Prep	9:30 AM	18 th (Wed)
Pinching	9:30 AM	19 th (Thurs)
Pick-up	10:00 AM-Noon	20 th (Fri)

September 11

The beheading of St. John the Baptist Some Orthodox traditions and customs

The feast of the Beheading of St. John the Baptist is a Strict Fast day in remembrance of the violent execution of God's greatest prophet. Pious Orthodox have established certain customs to honor the honorable Forerunner.

- Avoid using a round plate, since the head of the Glorious Prophet's head was delivered on a plate to Herodius.
- Avoid dancing since Salome's dance seduced Herod and gave her the opportunity to ask for St. John the Baptist's head.
- Avoid eating cabbage since it is round like a head. And some say it was used on the platter that held his head. Avoid eating round food, such as apples, pears, onions, garlic or in general any round fruits or vegetables on this day.

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for good health for our following parish family members and others:

Fr. Gregory Becker, Fr. Andrew Gall, Fr. Paisius McGrath, Fr. John Nakonachny, Pani-matka Mary Ann Nakonachny, Tom Draybick, Nora (a beautiful girl born prematurely) Dominick, David Spanja, Mary Goncy, Nancy Racz, Walter Duzzny, Kathy Duzzny, Nancy Tiedeman, Kay Malys, Marie Pupa, Deborah Harvey, Mary Lapushansky, Stella Woytek, Mary Ann Owens, Pauline Witkowsky, Dr. Dinah Fedyna, Marianne Carmack, Steve Medved, Marty Woloschak, Pat, Ben Mischev.

Ukrainian Dinner

Saturday, September 14, 2019

Two Dinner Seatings at 4:00 & 6:30 PM

SS. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Orthodox Center

1025 N. Belle Vista, Youngstown, Ohio 44509



All your favorite Ukrainian Foods

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St. John the Baptist