DIVINE LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK

1st Sunday of the Great Fast, February 22, 2015
9:00 AM Lit. + Irene Ambrozewycz r/by Roman & Cathy
11:30 AM Lit. For God's Blessings on Our Parishioners
Monday, February 23, 2015
No Liturgy Sceduled
Tuesday, February 24, 2015
7:20 AM Lit. + Charles Kopcho Sr; Charles Kopcho Jr - Legate
6:30 PM – Stations of the Cross (English)
Wednesday, February 25, 2015
8:45 AM Lit. + Mary Ilek - Legate
7:00 PM – Stations of the Cross (Ukrainian)
Thursday, February 26, 2015
7:20 AM Lit . + Steve Koval r/by Linda Coyne
Friday, February 27, 2015
6:30 PM Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
Saturday, February 28, 2015
9:00 AM Lit. Divine Liturgy and Lenten Commemoration of the Dead
5:00 PM Lit. + Mary Makar r/by Daughter, Mary Ann
2nd Sunday of the Great Fast, March 1, 2015
Epistle – Heb 1:10-2:3; Gospel – Mk 2:1-12
9:00 AM Lit. + Dubitsky Family Members r/by Family
11:30 AM Lit. For God's Blessings on Our Parishioners

Pot O'Gold Gift Auction – Next Week!

The St. Ann Society of Ukrainian Catholic Church of the Assumption is sponsoring a Pot O'Gold Gift Auction on Sunday, March 1, at Assumption Catholic School Auditorium, 380 Meredith St., Perth Amboy, NJ. Doors open at 12 noon and the drawings begin at 2:00 pm. Admission is $8.00. There are hundreds of prizes at the end of this rainbow, including electronic and tech super-prizes, "Beautiful Baskets" raffle, 50-50 Money Raffle, and more. Complimentary cake, coffee, and tea will be served. The kitchen will be open for an international lunch featuring hot dogs, cabbage and noodles, kielbasa and kraut, empanadas, Irish potato soup, soda, water, and snacks. Tickets are available in advance for this St. Patty's themed event from members of St. Ann Society or at the door. For more information call the rectory, (732) 826-0767.

DATE CHANGED

A Special Moleben Prayer and Healing Service before a Relic of Blessed Bishop-Martyr Mykola Charnetsky, CSsR

On Sunday, March 22 at 4 p.m. a special moleben prayer and healing service before a relic of Blessed Bishop Martyr Mykola Charnetsky, C.Ss.R., will be led by Metropolitan-Archbishop Stefan Soroka at the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, 830 North Franklin Street, Philadelphia, Pa. During the services Metropolitan Soroka will also bless a newly commissioned icon of Blessed Bishop Charnetsky, which will be available with the relic for prayer and veneration. During the service the faithful will be anointed with the holy oil of healing. Blessed Bishop-Martyr Charnetsky, known as "the healer of souls" was beatified by St. John Paul II on June 27, 2001 in Lviv, Ukraine. Many personal testimonies are recorded of miraculous healings through his intercession. All the faithful are invited and encouraged to attend these services and to bring their intentions for healing through the intercession of Blessed Bishop Mykola.

Our parish is providing a free bus for parishioners to participate in this event. Bus seating is limited, only a few seats remain. If you signed up to go on the bus and can not go, please call the rectory to cancel.

Journey through the Great Fast

This Tuesday after Stations of the Cross, Fr. Ivan will have an adult education class in the church hall about Proskomedia Rite before the Divine Liturgy. All are invited.

Lenten Mission

This year's Lenten Parish Mission will take place on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, March 6, 7, and 8. The Spiritual Director will be Fr. Raphael Strontsitsky, a Studite Monk from Ukraine who is currently studying at the Catholic University of America in Washington, DC. There will be a spiritual talk at each service scheduled during Lenten mission and time for the Sacrament of Repentance. Please mark these dates on your calendars and plan to attend.

A Big THANK YOU

Thank you to the members of the Holy Name Society: Peter Baralecki, Charles Boyko, Ralph Iacuzio and Andrew Baralecki for the repair of a leaking pipe in the school kitchen. Thanks to their work, we saved a lot of money and now the kitchen can function well. Much thanks for all your help.

Sorokousty 2015

We started our remembrances of the dead on Saturday, February 21, with Divine Liturgy at 9:00 a.m. Please take the time to remember your deceased family members on the Saturdays of the Great Fast. They hope for our prayers; and in turn, they pray for us. The sorokousty envelope is in the current set of envelopes please return with your list of names.

'Heroes of the Heavenly Hundred'

This year marks the first anniversary of the escalated violence in Maidan which started on February 18, 2014 by police against Maidan activists and resulted in at least 100 people dead. This Sunday, after the 9:00 a.m. Liturgy, we are going to commemorate 'Heavenly Hundred,' those who sacrificed their lives for Ukraine's democratic and European ideals.

2015 WOMEN'S DAY OF PRAYER

This year's Women's Day of Prayer will be held as follows on two consecutive Sundays during the Great Fast:

SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2015, at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church, 217 President Street, Passaic, New Jersey 07055.

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2015, at Presentation of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1564 Allentown Road, Lansdale, Pennsylvania 19446.

Our presenter is Sr. Natalya Stoczanyn, a member of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate. The Holy Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available before Divine Liturgy and throughout the Day. Suggested Donation: $10 to cover the cost of lunch.

Ladies from our parish are asked to register on their own to the Woman's Day in Passaic, NJ. It's only 40 minutes away from our parish. Registration forms are in the church vestibule.

Our parish will sponsor a free mini van for ladies who are interested of going to the Woman's Day in Lansdale, PA. Please register for this trip on the form in the church vestibule by the deadline of March 1.

Lenten Song Booklets

During Lent we encourage all the faithful to sing Lenten songs along with the cantor before and after church as well as during communion. The booklets are in your pews.