

DIVINE LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK**8th Sunday After Pentecost, July 30, 2017**

9:00 AM Lit. For God's Blessings on Our Parishioners

11:00 AM Lit. + Maria Rodriguez r/by Ana & Ron

Monday, July 31, 2017

8:00 AM Lit. + Mary Perski r/by Eva Kalinowski

Tuesday, August 1, 2017

8:00 AM Lit. + Evhen Strot r/by John & Anna Dzera

Wednesday, August 2, 2017

8:00 AM Lit. + Veronica Lopazanski

r/by Maryann & Bob Martenuk

Thursday, August 3, 2017

8:00 AM Lit. + Michael Michalski r/by Malopolski Family

Friday, August 4, 2017

8:00 AM Lit. + Ivan & Mahdalyna Hoy

r/by John & Anna Dzera

Saturday, August 5, 2017

8:00 AM Lit. + Walter and Mary Lykosh - Legate

5:00 PM Lit. + Lech Family r/by Family

Transfiguration of Our Lord, August 6, 2017*Epistle - 2 Pet 1:10-19; Gospel - Mt 17:1-9*

9:00 AM Lit. + Katarzyna Hnat r/by Sister and Family

11:00 AM Lit. For God's Blessings on Our Parishioners

Festal Anointing-Mirovanya after Sunday's Liturgies.**New Principal - Meet and Greet!**

Join us Tuesday, August 8, 2017 from 7:00 to 8:30 PM on the Assumption Catholic School Playground, 380 Meredith Street, Perth Amboy, to meet and greet the new principal. Mrs. Lissette D Shumny will be available to answer questions about the new initiatives at ACS and tours of the school will be available. New families and current ACS families are all invited for ice cream and petting zoo fun for all ages.

We are an Advanced Ed accredited school which provides a Christ-centered Catholic environment and rigorous instruction to a diverse population of Pre-Kindergarten to eighth grade students.

If you are unable to attend, please call ACS at 732-826-8721 to schedule a tour and meet with a member of the ACS administration.

Save the Date - 63rd Holy Dormition Pilgrimage - August 12-13, 2017

The popular Holy Dormition Pilgrimage has been held in easy-to-reach Sloatsburg, NY since 1954. It is always held on the weekend before the Feast of the Dormition (Assumption), August 15 (rain or shine). Usually attracting some 4,000 pilgrims, it is the largest annual religious gathering of Ukrainian Catholics in the US. For more info go to sisters:ssminy@aol.com or visit their website: www.ssmi-us.org. A poster with the schedule of all the services is placed on the bulletin board in the Church Hall for your convenience.

Children's Bible Summer Camp.**"The Journey with St. Luke Evangelist"**

Bible Summer Camp for the youth of our parish children Grades 1 to 5 has been scheduled for Mon.-Wed., August 28-29-30, 2017, 9:00 a.m-3:00 p.m. If you want your child/children to learn about God's love for them and meet other youngsters from our parish, please register your child for this FREE camp. The children will enjoy learning about Jesus' life in St. Luke's Scripture, as Luke was known as the Gospel writer for women and children. His was a Gospel of poetry, simplicity and beauty and children will appreciate St. Luke's exciting readings. Lunch provided, activities, games, crafts.

We have a sign-up sheet and a registration form in the vestibule. If your child is planning to go, put your name on that sheet and also take home the yellow registration form, fill it out and then return it to the rectory office or give it to Fr. Ivan no later than Sunday, August 20. The chairperson of the camp is Mrs. Melanie Fedynshyn.

The Feast of the Transfiguration - August 6th

This feast, one of the 12 Great Feasts, recalls how the Lord revealed His divine glory to His disciples on Mt. Tabor. On this Feast we bless fruit as a symbol of transfiguration, new life, and God's gifts. If you wish to have your fruit blessed, please place it in the center of the Church on the Tetrapod (Sacramental Table). On that Sunday we will also have Festal Anointing-Mirovanya.

Wedding Anniversary Celebration**Sunday, September 24, 2017**

All our married faithful are invited to join with our Metropolitan-Archbishop Stefan Soroka to celebrate their Wedding Anniversaries at a Divine Liturgy in our Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Philadelphia, PA, on Sunday, September 24, 2017 at 11 AM. A Banquet in their honor will follow. Deadline for Registration is September 13, 2017.

Cost: \$50.00 per Anniversary Couple \$30.00 per guest.

Mail to: Office for Evangelization 811 North Eighth Street, Philadelphia, PA 19123

Make checks payable to: *Archeparchy of Philadelphia.*

Marriage

The Holy Mystery of Marriage (from the Catechism of the Ukrainian Catholic Church) - Marriage is a Mystery of Love between a Man and a Woman # 472. Marriage is based on the fact that the married couple mutually complements one another. The Church gives witness to this in a prayer of the Rite of Crowning: *"Holy God, you created man from the dust and from his side fashioned a woman as a suitable helpmate for him, for such was the good pleasure of your majesty that man should not be alone on earth."* In their gender differentiation, a man and a woman complete one another, creating an indissoluble union of one body.

Summer Vacation

Fr. Ivan will be on vacation through August 17. While he is away Fr. Yuriy Kostik and Fr. John Zeyak will substitute for him.

Church Etiquette

- Please be on time for services; those arriving late should not approach the Chalice for Communion.
- To receive Communion, one must be a baptized/chrisdated Catholic Christian who has prepared by prayer, fasting, alms giving, and regular confession.
- Men, women, and children: please dress modestly for services. The general rule for men and women is to dress appropriately, modestly and respectfully, because we stand before the living God. The people of our church wear everything from casual pants to suits, long dresses to skirts, and shirts with or without ties. Some women wear head coverings, but this is not required. Men are asked not to wear head coverings (baseball caps, etc.) in the nave, the main part of the church.
- Please remove lip balm or lipstick before receiving Communion or kissing the holy icons, Chalice, or Gospel.

Please take note

Please remember to take your Sunday Bulletin home with you rather than leaving it on the pew, it will help you to remember the services and the events going on in your church. Much time and effort goes into the publishing of our bulletin so, please use it as a resource! If you haven't yet picked up last Sunday's bulletin, it is available on the side table in the church vestibule, or on our website, <http://www.assumptioncatholicchurch.net>.