#### **DIVINE LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK**

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Great Fast, March 13, 2022

9:00 AM - Lit. For God's Blessings on Our Parishioners 11:30 AM - Lit. + Hutnick, Kataryniak Families

Tuesday, March 15, 2022 6:30 PM - Stations of the Cross, English

Wednesday, March 16, 2022

8:45 AM - Lit. + Mykola and Mykola Lyszyk r/by Family

6:30 PM - Stations of the Cross, Ukrainian

Friday, March 18, 2022

6:30 PM - Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts (English)

Saturday, March 19, 2022

9:00 AM - Divine Liturgy and Lenten Commemoration

5:00 PM - Lit. + John & Anne Cherniansky

r/by Anne & Gil Eckert

# 3rd Sunday of the Great Fast, March 20, 2022 Epistle - Heb 4:14-5:6; Gospel - Mk 8:34-9:1

9:00 AM - Lit. + Miroslava Moriak

r/by Assumption Catholic School

11:30 AM - Lit. For God's Blessings on Our Parishioners

#### Lenten Mission-Confession

This year's Lenten Parish Mission will take place on Friday, March 25 to Sunday, March 27, 2022. The mission will be conducted by Fr. Ihor Kolisnyk, C.Ss.R., a Redemptorist Father and an assistant pastor of St. John Ukrainian Catholic Church in Newark NJ. There will be a spiritual talk at each service scheduled during the Lenten mission and time for the Sacrament of Repentance. Please make every effort during the Lenten Mission to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation in preparation for Easter Sunday.

#### Religious education during the Season of Lent

This week, our religious sisters Sr. Veronica and Sr. Maria offer another religious class to women from the parish on the topic "The Power of Forgiveness".

- Sr. Maria will have a class in English on Tuesday, after the Stations of the Cross.
- Sr. Veronica will have a class in Ukrainian on Wednesday, after the Stations of the Cross

I encourage women of the parish to join the sisters in the convent.

#### **Donations to Church**

\$500.00 - Kathryn Eckert and Dominick Siconolfi \$100.00 - Luba Bilowchtchuk, in memory of

+ LYDIA KERNITSKY

# In Memory of + OLGA MICHAELINA YURECHKO

# Donations to Orphanage in Ukraine:

\$250.00 - Maria Alvarez

\$200.00 - Melanie Fedynyshyn

\$100.00 - Maria Frankel

\$100.00 - Luba Bilowchtchuk

\$100.00 - Petro, Nadia Horbatyuk

\$100.00 - Alla Korostil

\$100.00 - Myroslava Revutsky Cahn

\$50.00 - Marcella Massopust

\$25.00 - Patricia & Daniel Shea

#### **Orchid Flower Donations**

The lovely orchid flowers on the side altars were recently donated by:

Iryna Kuzychyn for God's blessing on her family Irene Bigos - in memory of + Olga M. Yurechko Many people have special days in the year which they commemorate. Flowers on the side altars of Assumption Church can fittingly mark the anniversary of a birth, baptism, confirmation, marriage or death, or may be used as an expression of joy of thanksgiving at any time. Throughout the year, please buy orchids, bring them to our church as a donation and place them before the side altar. Your donation will be listed in the church bulletin.

Recently, we received an original "Stand with Ukraine" painting from the very talented artist Olga Muzician. This painting has been seen by many at rallys in support of Ukraine and even lawn sign and t-shirts with that picture on it. Thank you for the inspirational gift.

#### **Donations to Aid Ukraine**

This past week, our church received many generous donations. We will print the names of the donors of \$500.00 or more.

Name	Donation
Kachala, Andrei	\$10,000.00
Iryna Potapchuk	\$ 1,000.00
Fizer, Allyson & Peter	\$ 1,000.00
"With These Hands"	\$ 1,000.00
Tulnew, Nicholas & Olga	\$ 1,000.00
NJ State Retired Policemen/Fireman's Assoc.	\$ 500.00
"Celebrate the Amboys"	\$ 500.00
Barry Rosengarten	\$ 500.00
Kitchoula, Vasyl & Hanna	\$ 500.00
Rinkewich, Harry, Robert, Lee	\$ 500.00
Alvarez, Maria	\$ 500.00
Zavorsky, Bernadette	\$ 500.00
Lawrence, Mike & Melanie	\$ 500.00
Holy Name Society, Assumption Church	\$ 500.00

\*\*\*\* Every penny collected through these efforts will go to aid the wounded armed forces members and their families; to those suffering the consequences of the invasion by the loss of their homes and their injuries; as well as, those forced to become refugees in neighboring countries.

#### Thank you for Donations

We have all watched the reports on the news of the unprovoked Russian attack on Ukraine...the invasion, the bombings, the mothers and children trying to evacuate, and the civilian men and woman who have taken up arms to defend their homeland alongside the Ukrainian military. The stories are both heartbreaking and inspiring. Many have asked us what they could do to help. Right now, monetary donations can do the most good to help provide the basic needs for the Ukrainian people. The "Humanitarian Aid Fund for Ukraine" has been established by the Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Philadelphia to help provide the aid needed. If you or your friends want to donate, tell them to write a check to Assumption Catholic Church, drop it at the Rectory Office or send it by mail.

This week, we sent checks totaling \$23,000 to the Ukrainian Catholic Archdiocese of Philadelphia Humanitarian Aid Fund. This total includes \$10,000 from our parish and \$13,000 in checks sent to us but written to Ukrainian Archeparchy.

Thank you for your generosity. No donation is too small. Your donation can help change someone's life.

In addition to the monetary donations, our parish is ONLY collecting the medical supplies on the list published a week ago. The medical supplies can be dropped off at the church hall next week from 8 am till 8 pm. The church side door will be open. Please help!

## Prayer vigil for Ukraine.

The vigil is organized by the Mayor and Students of Assumption Catholic School and will be held in Perth Amboy, NJ at 260 High St. (City Hall Circle), Perth Amboy, NJ on Tuesday, March 15 at 6:00 p.m. All are invited.

#### Вечір "Молитви за Україну" у

### Перт Амбой, Нью-Джерсі, США

Центр Міста у Вівторок, 15 Березня о 6-год вечора.

Адреса: 260 High St, Perth Amboy, NJ

Молитву організовує Місто, Парафія і Українська Католицька Школа Успіння Пресвятої Богородиці.

Запрошення поширюється для всіх людей. Нехай Господь захистить і спасе нашу любу Україну.

# Sviachene - Easter Dinner

We are happy to announce that our annual Parish Easter Dinner/Sviachene will be held in the school hall on Sunday, May 1st, 2022 following a 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy. As in the past, only one liturgy will be held that Sunday. The dinner will consist of traditional Easter food, such as ham, kobasa, eggs, paska, cold salads, beets with horseradish, etc. Tickets will be on sale soon.