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Epistle Eph 2:14-22; Gospel Lk 8:41-56; TONE 7

DIVINE LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK

24th Sunday After Pentecost, November 8, 2026
9:00 AM – Lit. God's blessings for choir "Boyan"
11:30 AM – Lit. God's Blessings on our Parishioners
Tuesday, November 10, 2026
7:45 AM – Lit. Health of Ron and Ana Mascenik r/by Holy Name Society
Wednesday, November 11, 2026
5:00 PM – Lit. + American Veterans
Thursday, November 12, 2026
7:45 AM – Lit. + Rev. Roman Mirchuk
Friday, November 13, 2026
8:45 AM – Lit. God's blessings and health for Fuh family
Saturday, November 14, 2026
8:00 AM – Lit. + Maryann Smereka r/by Stanley Stempinski
5:00 PM – Lit. + Joseph Setnyk - Legate
25th Sunday After Pentecost, November 15, 2026
Epistle Eph 4:1-6; Gospel Lk 10:25-37
9:00 AM – Lit. God's Blessings on our Parishioners
11:30 AM – Lit. + Steve & Anna Mysak r/by daughter, Susan

Church Donation
$1,000.00 – parish Coffee Hour
$300.00 – parish Holy Name Society

Aid to Ukraine
In response to the ongoing humanitarian crisis in Ukraine and the urgent need for assistance, our parish continues to support those most affected by the Russian invasion.
Recently, $2,000 was donated to sergeant Roman Chornopyskyy of the 8th Artillery Brigade "Harmash" (Azov). These funds were generously collected during our October Parish Canapés. We sincerely thank everyone who contributed to this initiative.

October 2026 Parish Liturgies Attendance Statistics

Liturgy (5 weeks)	Attendance
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	124
Sunday 9:00 a.m.	1,219
Sunday 11:30 a.m.	216
Total Attendance	**1,559**

Visit with Saint Nicholas.
All parish children 10 years old and under are invited to our annual Saint Nicholas Party **on** Sunday, December 13, 2026! A sign-up sheet is available in the church vestibule. Please register by Sunday, December 6**,** writing your first and last name in English.
The event is sponsored by our parish Holy Name Society.
A few important details:
- The event will take place after the **ONLY, 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy**.
- The celebration will be held in the school hall**.**
- A food sale will also take place during the event.

All parish children are warmly invited to join us in welcoming Saint Nicholas, who will have gifts for everyone!

Veterans Day: This Wednesday, November 11, we honor the men and women who have served our country in the United States Armed Forces. We are grateful for their courage, sacrifice, and willingness to serve in defense of the freedoms we enjoy.

TODAY: 24th Sunday after Pentecost.
Today's holy gospel lesson, taken from the account of the Holy Evangelist Luke, demonstrates how Jesus in His mercy and compassion brought Peace to the lives of a synagogue president named Jairus and to a poor hemorrhaging woman. In both cases, faith was the key — the woman's steadfast belief brought her healing, and Jairus' trust restored his daughter's life.
Our faith, too, must be living and active, shaping our daily lives. Through such faith, Christ grants us His peace — the deep serenity our souls long for. United in faith and loyalty to Jesus, we share in the peace of His Mystical Body, the holy Church.

Parish Catechesis for November:
- Nov 8 - parish Sodality of Mary for girls 8-12 years old (grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7), Sunday 11:15 am
- Nov 11 - women (Ukrainian), Wed, 6:30 pm
- Nov 13 - children 8-10 years old (grades 2, 3, 4), Friday, 6:30-8:30 pm
- Nov 15 - young adults, over 17 years old (grade 12 and older), Sunday 11:15 am – 12:30
- Nov 17 - women (English), Tuesday, 6:30 pm
- Nov 20 - children 10-12 years old (grades 5, 6, 7), Friday, 6:30-8:30 pm
- Nov 21 - teenagers 13-17 years old (grades 8, 9, 10, 11), Saturday, 6:30-8:30 pm
- Nov 22 - parish Sodality of Mary for the girls 8-12 years old (grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7), Sun 11:15 am

Parish Canapés
On Sunday, November 15, following the 9:00 a.m. Liturgy, parishioners will have an opportunity to purchase homemade canapés, sandwiches, and other delicious treats in the church hall.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE!
In our compassion for the area's less fortunate, we are collecting non-perishable items for the annual food drive to be delivered to people in our community, in time for Thanksgiving. Please bring non-expired items to the Church and place them at the entrance.

Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy to Host Mental Health Prayer Evening
The Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Philadelphia will host a free evening of prayer and reflection on mental health ministry on Thursday, November 19, 2026, at 6 p.m. at the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Philadelphia. The event will feature prayer, a mental health awareness roundtable with Catholic leaders, and a prayer for healing and anointing with blessed oil. The gathering aims to reduce stigma, promote compassion, and strengthen the Church's support for individuals and families facing mental health challenges. Free parking is available, and all are welcome.