

# St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral

Patriarchal Stavropigia of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Kyiv Patriarchate

**Bulletin for Sunday, May 15, 2022**



**SATURDAY, MAY 14, in our Cathedral Hall and surrounding grounds, 817 N. 7<sup>th</sup> Street**

**11:30 AM** – Ribbon-cutting ceremony and blessing of Exterior Cathedral Sign by Bishop Luke on our south lawn. Guests: Philadelphia Councilman David Oh and Pennsylvania State Senator Candidate Sam Oropeza

**12:00 NOON-9:00 PM** – We sell pierogies! Proceeds from sales will benefit the Cathedral, the Vicariate and the **HELP UKRAINE FUND.**

## May 15: Sunday of the Paralytic Man

The weeks following Easter until Pentecost are called Paschaltide – or Pentecostarion – and they are filled with great joy. The Choir continues to sing the Paschal Troparion.

And the Sunday Gospel readings during this time have a special commemoration. The Gospel reading on the Sunday of the Paralytic Man begins with despair – but ends with the man, paralyzed by his sins -- rising and walking again in the light of Christ's Resurrection. **CHRIST IS RISEN!**



*On Sunday, May 8, 2022, the women of St. Nicholas Cathedral posed for a group photo with Bishop Luke on Mother's Day and the Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women.*

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**Bishop Luke and Father Oleksii prayed an Akathist to the Holy Theotokos on Sunday, May 8, 2022, a tradition in St. Nicholas Cathedral on Mother's Day.**



### **CAR BLESSING**

On Sunday, May 8, following our Fellowship Lunch, Bishop Luke blessed Oksana Voloshnovskyy's new car – with prayers for safe travel.

*“O Lord our God, Who makes the clouds Thy chariot and Who walks on the wings of the wind, Who has sent to Thy servant, the Prophet Elias, a chariot of fire, Who has guided man to invent this vehicle which is as fast as the wind. We thank Thee for Thou hast provided Thy servants with this vehicle to serve their various needs....”*



### **A NEW MICROWAVE FOR OUR KITCHEN**

One month ago, the St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral Sisterhood members received an email telling us that our old microwave needed to be replaced. We immediately received generous donations from Sisterhood President, **Barbara Latsios**, and members, **Vicki Borriello**, **Ellen Hanavin**, **Marcia O'Connor**, **Colleen Philipp** and **Oksana Voloshnovskyy** for the purchase of a new one! Thank you, ladies! The new Amana microwave arrived Thursday, May 5, and is already in use – and just in time for the Spring Pierogi Fest!



*Mothers Day*  
LUNCH

Thank you to Marcia Zaruba O'Connor for preparing and hosting a delicious Mother's Day Lunch enjoyed by all!

**SUNDAY VIGIL CANDLES LIT TODAY**



1. For the health, safety and peace of the Ukrainian people, offered by Joe Werba
2. For the health of our grandson, Ryan, on his 19th Birthday, offered by Baba and Pop-Pop McMonigle
3. For the health of Festival Director, Judy Hanney, and her team of volunteers, and for a successful Spring Pierogi Fest!

**Schedule of Services**

<b>Saturday, May 14</b>	<b>12:00 NOON: SPRING PIEROGI FEST!</b> <b>5:00 pm: Vespers</b>
<b>Sunday, May 15</b> <b>Sunday of the Paralytic Man</b>	<b>9:00 am: Reading of the Third Hour</b> <b>9:15 am: Vesting</b> <b>9:30 am: Hierarchal Divine Liturgy</b>
<b>Saturday, May 21</b>	<b>5:00 pm: Vespers</b>
<b>Sunday, May 22</b> <b>Sunday of the Samaritan Woman</b>	<b>9:00 am: Reading of the Third Hour</b> <b>9:15 am: Vesting</b> <b>9:30 am: Hierarchal Divine Liturgy</b>
<b>Saturday, May 28</b>	<b>5:00 pm: Vespers</b>
<b>Sunday, May 29</b> <b>Sunday of the Blind Man</b>	<b>9:00 am: Reading of the Third Hour</b> <b>9:15 am: Vesting</b> <b>9:30 am: Hierarchal Divine Liturgy</b>
<b>Sunday, June 5</b>	<b>9:00 am: Reading of the Third Hour</b> <b>9:15 am: Vesting</b> <b>9:30 am: Hierarchal Divine Liturgy, followed by Annual PICNIC on our South Lawn</b>
<b>Sunday, June 12 – PENTECOST</b>	<b>9:00 am: Reading of the Third Hour</b> <b>9:15 am: Vesting</b> <b>9:30 am: Hierarchal Divine Liturgy, followed by “Kneeling Prayers” Vespers</b>

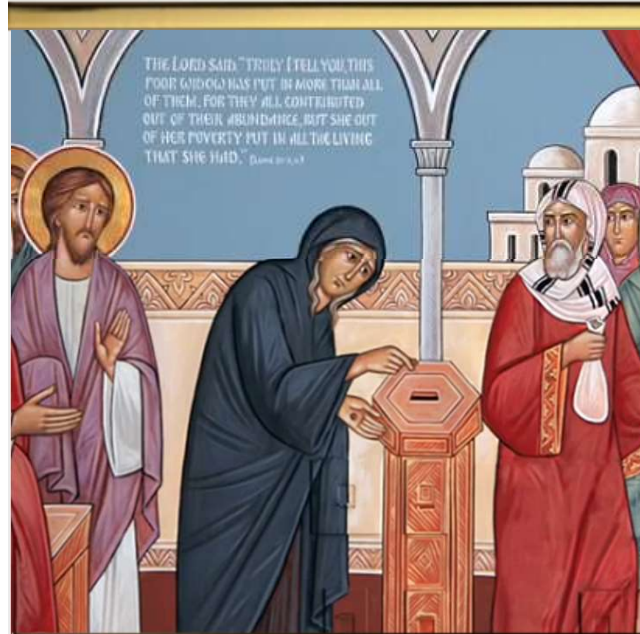
**PLEASE NOTE THAT SATURDAY VESPERS WILL BE TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED DURING JUNE, JULY, AUGUST.**



**SAVE THE DATE: SUNDAY, JUNE 5, following Divine Liturgy. Weather permitting, we will gather on our South Lawn for grilled burgers, dogs, corn-on-the-cob and watermelon!**

(Inclement weather....we will picnic inside!)

**Please bring your favorite outdoor games, frisbees, balls, etc. A food sign-up sheet is at the Candle Room Window. Please indicate what you can bring. Only \$10 for attendees 12 years & older.**



Give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you.

Luke 6:38

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VIEW FROM 6TH AND GREEN



# OUR CHANGING NEIGHBORHOOD

What happens in our neighborhood impacts St. Nicholas Cathedral. And nearby Fairmount Manor is being demolished to make way for a massive, multi-family development. The new complex, called 650 Fairmount, will contain 407 residential units situated within two 6-story apartment building and a series of townhouses.

Fairmount Manor was in decline for decades. The 650 Fairmount project promises to be a major improvement for the former blighted site.



VIEW FROM 6TH STREET





# ANNUAL VIGIL CANDLES LIT AT EVERY SERVICE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

<b>Sunday Vigil:</b>	<b>\$2</b>
<b>Analog Candles:</b>	<b>\$25</b>
<b>Altar Candles:</b>	<b>\$35</b>
<b>Annual Vigil:</b>	<b>\$100</b>
<b>Bulletin Sponsor:</b>	<b>\$25</b>

1. +The Repose of the soul of Carol Dantine, offered by David Dantine, Jr. and Family. exp. 11/1/23
2. +The Repose of the souls of George and Barbara Wohar, offered by Barbara McMonigle and Family. exp. 11/1/22
3. +The Repose of the souls of John and Helen Guz; John and Mary Dzwonczyk; Paul and Anna Guz, offered by daughters/granddaughters Patricia Walker and Susan Guz. exp. 12/31/22
4. +The Repose of the souls of Helen and Michael Zaruba, and Christina and Christopher Natale. May Their Memory Be Eternal. Offered with love by Daughter/Sister/Aunt, Marcia O'Connor. exp. 10/1/26
5. +The Repose of the souls of All Members of the Sisterhood Fallen Asleep in the Lord, offered by the Sisterhood of the Pokrova. exp. 10/13/22
6. +The Repose of the souls of the Boljarevich Family, Anastasia (Nancy) Yarosh, Helen Kon, Helen and John "Whitey" Horbacz, Harry Mason, Sophie Gamble, Michael Zaruba and John Martin. PERPETUAL
7. +The Repose of the soul of my beloved husband, our devoted father and grandfather, Jack Kavchok. May his memory be eternal! Offered with love, Diane, John, Michael, Melissa, Makenzie, Riley and Kylie. exp. 8/1/22
8. +The Repose of the souls of Emil and Helen Levchenko offered by daughter, Ellen Hanavin. exp. 12/31/22
9. +The Repose of the souls of Irina and Michael Sierp, Konstantin, Olga, Lydia and Juris Teterski, Richard Boswell, and the health of all living members of the Teterski, Sierp, Boswell and Lis Families, offered by Susan Lis. exp. 9/18/22
10. +The Repose of the soul of our mother and grandmother, Helen Marx, offered by Victoria, Frank, Christopher, Stephanie, Julia, Nicholas, Krissy, Nathan and Morgan Borriello. exp. 4/19/23
11. +In memory of John and Susan Stetsuk, offered by Susan Isaac. exp. 12/31/22
12. +In memory of Paul Stetsuk, offered by Susan Isaac. Exp. 12/31/22
13. +In memory of Vera, Richard and Paul Wienckowski, offered by Susan Isaac. exp. 12/31/22
14. +In memory of Evelyn Atlee, offered by the Borriello Family. exp. 12/31/22
15. +In memory of Nadia Borriello, offered by the Borriello Family. exp. 5/31/22
16. +In loving memory of our mother, Lillian Fox, and our sister, Karen Niehoff, offered by Renee Murphy and Gail Osborn & Families. exp. 9/1/22
17. +The Repose of the souls of the Kowal Family: Andrew, Paraskeva, Andrew, Catherine, Susan, John, Nionila, Anna, David, Franklin Shultz and Edward Barrett, offered by Drew Kowal. exp. 11/1/30
18. For the health of Mykhailo, Tetiana, David, Svitlana, Vitaliy, Marina, Viktor, Ilona, Bogdan, Oleksandra, Maksym, Volodymyr, Halyna, Victoria, Mykola, Father Bohdan Zhoba and his family, Veronika, Tetiana, Oleksander, Diana-Olga, Hrustyna, Dimitriy, Diana; and +In memory of Mykhailo, Yaroslav, Anna, Petro, Bohdan and Hanna, offered by Michael, Tetiana and David Kuchmiak. exp. 12/31/22
19. For the health of Viktor, Oksana, Volodymyr, Anna-Diana, Olga, Vasyl, Maria, Mykhailyna, Anna, Olga, Mykola, Marianna, Oksana, Olga, Roman, Bogdan, Iryna-Olesia. +In memory of Anna, Sophia, Petro, Volodymyr, Joseph, Petrunelia, Vasyl, Maria, Stepan, Anna, Volodymyr, Stepania, Maryna, Vasyl, offered by Oksana and Viktor Voloshnovskyy. exp. 9/1/22
20. +The Repose of the souls of Stephen and Helen V. Sameruck, offered by Barbara Latsios, Judy Hanney and families. exp. 10/25/22
21. +The Repose of the souls of Mary and Gregory Buckley. Memory Eternal. Offered by the children and grandchildren of the Buckley, Janoczkin and Wojnarowicz Families. exp. 12/20/22
22. +In memory of Joseph and Mary Ann Visman, offered by Debbie and Michael. exp. 5/2/23

# THE SCRIPTURE READING FOR SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022

## 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF PASCHA – SUNDAY OF THE PARALYTIC MAN



**PRIEST:** Let us attend! Peace be unto all!

**READER:** And to thy spirit.

**PRIEST:** Wisdom!

**READER:** The Prokeimenon in the 1<sup>st</sup> Tone: Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on Thee.

**CHOIR:** Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on Thee.

**READER:** Rejoice in the Lord, O ye Righteous! Praise befits the just! Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us.

**CHOIR:** As we have set our hope on Thee.

**PRIEST:** Wisdom!

**READER:** The reading is from the Acts of the Holy Apostles.

**PRIEST:** Let us attend!

**READER:** Brothers...Now it came to pass, as Peter went through all parts of the country, that he also came down to the saints who dwelt in Lydda. There he found a certain man named Aeneas, who had been bedridden eight years and was paralyzed. And Peter said to him, "Aeneas, Jesus the Christ heals you. Arise and make your bed." Then he arose immediately. So all who dwelt at Lydda and Sharon saw him and turned to the Lord. At Joppa there was a certain disciple named Tabitha, which is translated Dorcas. This woman was full of good works and charitable deeds which she did. But it happened in those days that she became sick and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in an upper room. And since Lydda was near Joppa, and the disciples had heard that Peter was there, they sent two men to him, imploring him not to delay in coming to them. Then Peter arose and went with them. When he had come, they brought him to the upper room. And all the widows stood by him weeping, showing the tunics and garments which Dorcas had made while she was with them. But Peter put them all out, and knelt down and prayed. And turning to the body he said, "Tabitha, arise." And she opened her eyes, when she saw Peter she sat up. Then he gave her his hand and lifted her up; and when he had called the saints and widows, he presented her alive. And it became known throughout all Joppa, and many believed on the Lord. **(Acts 9:32-42)**

**PRIEST:** Peace be unto thee, Reader.

**READER:** And to thy spirit.

**PRIEST:** Wisdom!

**READER:** Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! **CHOIR:** Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**READER:** God gives vengeance unto me and subdues people under me!  
He magnifies the salvation of the king and deals mercifully with Christ, with David and his seed forever.

**CHOIR:** Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**PRIEST:** Wisdom! Let us attend! Let us listen to the Holy Gospel. Peace be unto all.

**CHOIR:** And to thy spirit.

**PRIEST:** The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Saint John.

**CHOIR:** Glory to Thee, O Lord, glory to Thee.

**PRIEST:** Let us attend. After this there was a feast of the Jews, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. Now there is in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate a pool, which is called in Hebrew, Bethesda, having five porches. In these lay a great multitude of sick people, blind, lame, paralyzed, waiting for the moving of the water. For an angel went down at a certain time into the pool and stirred up the water; then whoever stepped in first, after the stirring of the water, was made well of whatever disease he had. Now a certain man was there who had an infirmity thirty-eight years. When Jesus saw him lying there, and knew that he already had been in that condition a long time, He said to him, "Do you want to be made well?" The sick man answered Him, "Sir, I have no man to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up; but while I am coming, another steps down before me." Jesus said to him, "Rise, take up your bed and walk." And immediately the man was made well, took up his bed, and walked. And that day was the Sabbath. The Jews therefore said to him who was cured, "It is the Sabbath; it is not lawful for you to carry your bed." He answered them, "He who made me well said to me, 'Take up your bed and walk.'" Then they asked him, "Who is the Man who said to you, 'Take up your bed and walk?'" But the one who was healed did not know who it was, for Jesus had withdrawn, a multitude being in that place. Afterward Jesus found him in the temple, and said to him, "See, you have been made well. Sin no more, lest a worse thing come upon you." The man departed and told the Jews that it was Jesus who had made him well. **(John 5:1-15)**

**CHOIR:** Glory to Thee, O Lord, glory to Thee.

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