

ST. NICHOLAS ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL

Patriarchal Stavropigia of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Kyivan Patriarchate

Bulletin for Sunday, May 30, 2021

**The Fifth
Sunday of
Pascha:**

**Sunday of
the
Samaritan
Woman,
Saint
Photine,
at the
Well**

*"The
Samaritan
Woman came
to the well in
faith. She saw
Thee, the
Water of
Wisdom, and
drank
abundantly!
She inherited
the Kingdom
on high and is
ever glorified."*

**Kontakion,
Tone 8**



CALLING ALL GRADUATES!



Are you - or is your child - graduating in the coming weeks? Please let us know so that the student can be honored at a Moleben in June.

Schedule of Services

Sunday, May 30 Samaritan Woman at the Well	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Sunday, June 6 Sunday of the Blind Man	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy, followed by Annual Church Picnic
Sunday, June 13	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy and Panikhida
Sunday, June 20 PENTECOST FATHER'S DAY	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy, followed by "Kneeling Prayers" Vespers and Moleben for our Fathers
Sunday, June 27	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Sunday, July 4	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Sunday, July 11	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Sunday, July 18	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Sunday, July 25	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE BUILDING FUND 2021

- Patricia Walker
- Anna Kuliasha
- Colleen Philipp
- The Borriello Family, In Memory of David Patterson
- The Murphy Family, In Memory of our Mother/Mom-Mom, Lillian Fox
- In Memory of Tina Fedec
- Cassandra and Ray McNulty

Please note: Saturday Vespers will resume in September.



Please remember our homebound parishioner:
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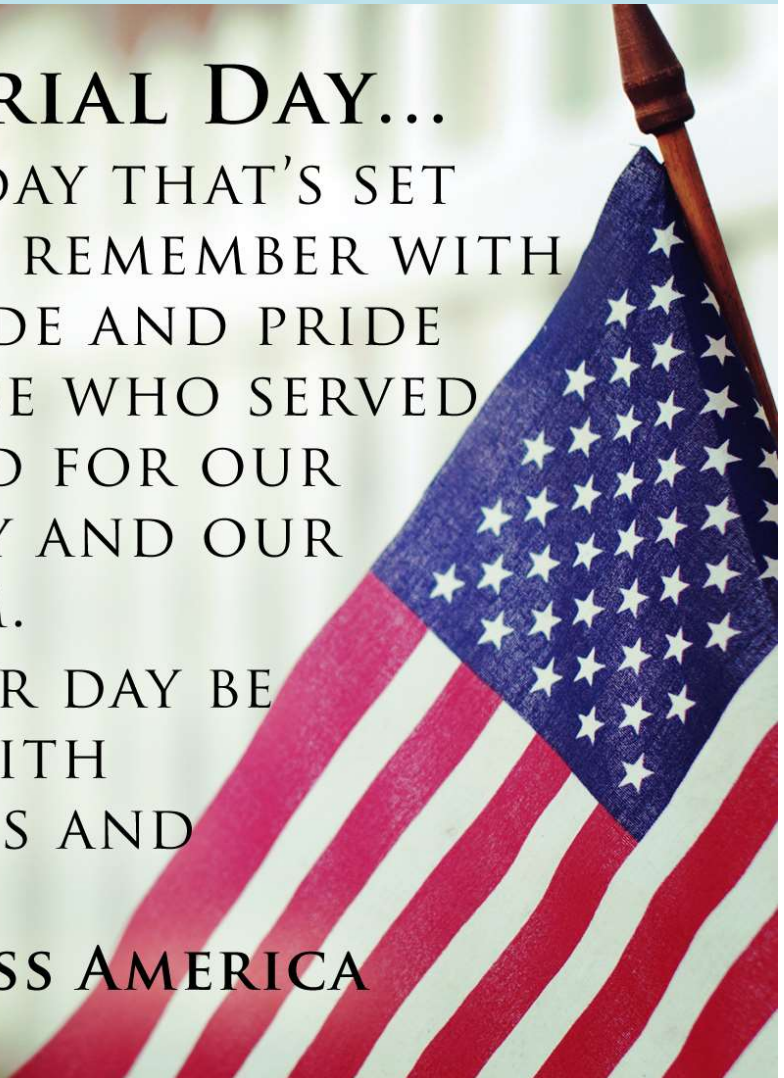


SUNDAY VIGIL CANDLES LIT TODAY

1. For the health of my son, Geoffrey Osborn, offered with love by Mom
2. For the health of my brother-in-law, Frank Murphy, offered with love by Gail
3. For the health of my husband, Jim, on our 48th Wedding Anniversary, offered with love by Barbara McMonigle
4. For the health of my husband, Phil, on our 33rd Wedding Anniversary, Love, Ellen
5. In memory of John Martin, former faithful parishioner and generous benefactor, on his birthday, June 5

5. In memory of all the brave men and women in the armed forces who gave their lives through the history of our country to protect us from danger and harm and preserve our freedom.
6. For the health of all those who serve in the armed forces.

MEMORIAL DAY...
 ...IS THE DAY THAT'S SET
 ASIDE TO REMEMBER WITH
 GRATITUDE AND PRIDE
 ALL THOSE WHO SERVED
 AND DIED FOR OUR
 COUNTRY AND OUR
 FREEDOM.
 MAY YOUR DAY BE
 FILLED WITH
 MEMORIES AND
 PEACE.
 GOD BLESS AMERICA



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Altar Candles Lit Today with appreciation from Father Bohdan

for Everyone
who contributed in some way to
make his 45th Birthday such a
joyous occasion:
whether by your presence,
lighting a vigil or candle,
writing a heartfelt sentiment in
a card, a gift, flowers, or cake,
bringing a special dish for our
buffet lunch- or just singing
Happy Birthday!

Blessings to All
for Good Health
from Father Bohdan



The Sisterhood presented
Father Bohdan with a bouquet of
flowers following Divine Liturgy
on Sunday, May 23, 2021.
The Patriarchal Choir then sang a
resounding MANY YEARS!





Ella Karlitsky and Natalya Polyakova, the founders of **HELPING HANDS**, a nonprofit community mission in Northeast Philadelphia presented Father Bohdan with an award on Sunday, May 23, 2021, on his birthday and in recognition of his volunteer work with their organization.



*This Week's Bulletin
is Sponsored by
Ellen and Phil Hanavin
on the Occasion of Their
33rd Wedding Anniversary!*

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!)

SUNDAY, JUNE 6, 2021



Please bring your favorite outdoor games, frisbees, balls, etc.
We may even play BINGO! Music by Ukrainian accordionist, Igor.

A food sign-up sheet is at the Candle Room Window.
Please indicate what you can bring.



STEPHANIE BORRIELLO
 completed a challenging
 course of study and
 received her Diploma
 as a
PHARMACY TECHNICIAN
 from Pharmacy
 Technicians University.
 Her employer, Rite Aid,
 recognized her
 achievement with a
 Certificate and
 promotion.
 Way to go, Stephanie!





ANNUAL VIGIL CANDLES LIT AT EVERY SERVICE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Sunday Vigil:	\$2
Analog Candles:	\$25
Altar Candles:	\$35
Annual Vigil:	\$100
Bulletin Sponsor:	\$25

1. +The Repose of the soul of Carol Dantine, offered by David Dantine, Jr. and Family. exp. 11/1/21
2. +The Repose of the souls of George and Barbara Wohar, offered by Barbara McMonigle and Family. exp. 11/1/21
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. 12/31/21
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. 10/1/21
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. 10/13/21
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. 8/1/21
8. +The Repose of the souls of Emil and Helen Levchenko offered by daughter, Ellen Hanavin. exp. 12/31/21
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. 9/18/21
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. 4/19/22
11. +In memory of John and Susan Stetsuk, offered by Susan Isaac. exp. 12/31/21
12. +In memory of Paul Stetsuk, offered by Susan Isaac. exp. 12/31/21
13. +In memory of Vera, Richard and Paul Wienckowski, offered by Susan Isaac. exp. 12/31/21
14. +In memory of Evelyn Atlee, offered by the Borriello Family. exp. 12/31/21
15. +In memory of Nadia Borriello, offered by the Borriello Family. exp. 5/31/21
16. +In loving memory of our mother, Lillian Fox, offered by Renee Murphy, Gail Osborn & Families. exp. 9/1/21
17. +In loving memory of our sister, Karen Niehoff, offered by Renee Murphy, Gail Osborn & Families. exp. 9/1/21
18. +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
19. 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. 12/31/21
20. For the health of Viktor, Oksana, Volodymyr, Anna-Diana, Vasyl, Maria, Mykhailyna, Anna, Olga, Mykola, Marianna, Oksana, Olga, Roman, Olga, Iryna-Olesia, Bohdan, Volodymyr. +In memory of Anna, Sophia, Volodymyr, Joseph, Petrunelia, Vasyl, Maria, Pavlo, Maria, Petro, Stepan, Anna, Stepania, Vasyl, Maryna, offered by Oksana and Victor Voloshnovskyy. exp. 9/1/21
21. +The Repose of the souls of Stephen and Helen V. Sameruck, offered by Barbara Latsios, Judy Hanney and families. exp. 10/25/21
22. +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. 12/20/21
23. +In memory of newly-departed Alice (Lesya) Orlan, our beloved "Forever Friend," offered by Dorothy Chelak and Family. exp. 1/24/22
24. For the health of Vasyl, Paraska, Roman, Oksana, Andriy, Volodymyr, Orusya, Maria, Vitaliy, Taras, Anatoliy, Olga, Anna, Ivan. +In memory of Paraska, Vasyl, Ivan, Vasyl, Evdokia, Maria, Paraska, Oksana. Offered by the Khanas and Petriv Families. exp. 3/1/22
25. +In memory of Joseph and Mary Ann Visman, offered by Debbie and Michael. exp. 5/2/22

SUNDAY SERMON

Father Bohdan's Sermon – Sunday, May 23, 2021
John 5:1-15



CHRIST IS RISEN! Today, the 4th Sunday of Pascha, the Bible reading tells of a miracle: the healing of the paralytic man by Christ. It is the story of a man who is paralyzed and lays on a cot next to a pool of water with healing powers. But he cannot get into the water. He is paralyzed, alone by himself, and in despair. He has no one to help him, and no hope. Yet, he continues to sit by the water not able to move forward and not able to go home.....stuck in a desperate situation. How many of us can see ourselves in this same dilemma? How many of us by our own efforts can save ourselves? But it is Jesus who comes to help the man. He asks a simple – but very important -- question: DO YOU WISH TO BE HEALED? YES, the man says, meaning that he repents his sins and accepts Christ's love. Christ then says: TAKE UP YOUR BED AND WALK HOME. For only Christ could heal his illness, forgive his sins and perform this miracle. Both body and soul were healed. In the same way Christ came to the paralytic man, He also finds us when we need to be healed. It is through His love and our repentance that we can then walk forward to our home. Be ready when Christ comes to YOU and asks: "Do YOU wish to be healed?" What will your answer be? AMEN. Christ is Risen!

THE SCRIPTURE READING FOR SUNDAY, MAY 30, 2021

5TH SUNDAY OF PASCHA – SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN AT THE WELL



PRIEST: Let us attend! Peace be unto all!

READER: And to thy spirit.

PRIEST: Wisdom!

READER: The Prokeimenon in the 3rd Tone: Sing praises to our God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises!

CHOIR: Sing praises to our God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises!

READER: Clap your hands, all ye people! Shout to God with loud songs of joy! Sing praises to our God, sing praises!

CHOIR: Sing praises to our King, sing praises!

PRIEST: Wisdom!

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

PRIEST: Let us attend!

READER: Brothers...Now those who were scattered after the persecution that arose over Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, preaching the word to no one but the Jews only. But some of them were men from Cyprus and Cyrene, who, when they had come to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists, preaching the Lord Jesus. And the hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number believed and turned to the Lord. Then news of these things came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent out Barnabas to go as far as Antioch. When he came and had seen the grace of God, he was glad, and encouraged them all that with purpose of heart they should continue with the Lord. For he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were added to the Lord. Then Barnabas departed for Tarsus to seek Saul. And when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for a whole year they assembled with the church and taught a great many people. And the disciples were first called Christians in Antioch. Then the disciples, each according to his ability, determined to send relief to the brethren dwelling in Judea. This they also did, and sent it to the elders by the hands of Barnabas and Saul. **(Acts 11:19-30)**

PRIEST: Peace be unto thee, Reader.

READER: And to thy spirit.

PRIEST: Wisdom!

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

READER: In Thee, O Lord, have I placed my hope. Let me not be put to shame! Be Thou a God of protection for me, a house of refuge, in order to save me!

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. So He came to a city of Samaria which is called Sychar, near the plot of ground that Jacob gave to his son Joseph. Now Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied from His journey, sat thus by the well. It was about the sixth hour. A woman of Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give Me a drink." For His disciples had gone away into the city to buy food. Then the woman of Samaria said to Him, "How is it that You, being a Jew, ask a drink from me, a Samaritan woman?" For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans. Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water." The woman said to Him, "Sir, You have nothing to draw with, and the well is deep. Where then do You get that living water? Are You greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well, and drank from it himself, as well as his sons and his livestock?" Jesus answered and said to her, "Whoever drinks of this water will thirst again, but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him will never thirst. But the water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of water springing up into everlasting life. The woman said to Him, "Sir, give me this water, that I may not thirst, nor come here to draw." Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." The woman answered and said, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You have well said, 'I have no husband,' for you have had five husbands, and the one whom you now have is not your husband; in that you spoke truly. The woman said to Him, "Sir, I perceive that You are a prophet. Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, and you Jews say that in Jerusalem is the place where one ought to worship. Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe Me, the hour is coming when you will neither on this mountain, nor in Jerusalem, worship the Father. You worship what you do not know; we know what we worship, for salvation is of the Jews. But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth. The woman said to Him, "I know that Messiah is coming" (who is called Christ). "When He comes, He will tell us all things." Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am He." And at this point His disciples came, and they marveled that He talked with a woman; yet no one said, "What do You seek?" or, "Why are You talking with her?" The woman then left her waterpot, went her way into the city, and said to the men, Come, see a Man who told me all things that I ever did. Could this be the Christ? Then they went out of the city and came to Him. In the meantime His disciples urged Him, saying, "Rabbi, eat." But He said to them, "I have food to eat of which you do not know." Therefore the disciples said to one another, "Has anyone brought Him anything to eat?" Jesus said to them, "My food is to do the will of Him who sent Me, and to finish His work. Do you not say, 'There are still four months and then comes the harvest'? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for harvest! And he who reaps receives wages, and gathers fruit for eternal life, that both he who sows and he who reaps may rejoice together. For in this the saying is true: 'One sows and another reaps.' I sent you to reap that for which you have not labored; others have labored, and you have entered into their labors. And many of the Samaritans of that city believed in Him because of the word of the woman who testified, 'He told me all that I ever did.' So when the Samaritans had come to Him, they urged Him to stay with them; and He stayed there two days. And many more believed because of His own word. Then they said to the woman, "Now we believe, not because of what you said, for we ourselves have heard Him and we know that this is indeed the Christ, the Savior of the world." **(John 4:5-42)**

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

PROJECT: NEW SIGNS

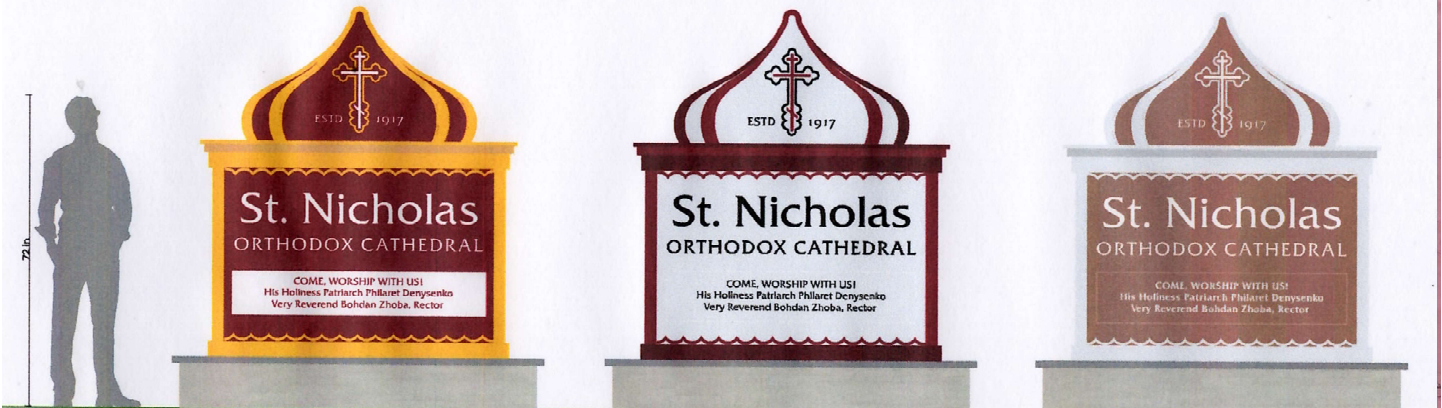
The new sign would replace our current wood sign. It will be internally lit with LED modules, designed with machine-carved "routed" lettering and constructed in durable aluminum and vinyl.



Option 1

Option 2

Option 3



**PROPOSED NEW EXTERIOR SIGNAGE
DESIGNED BY ELMARK SIGNS**

