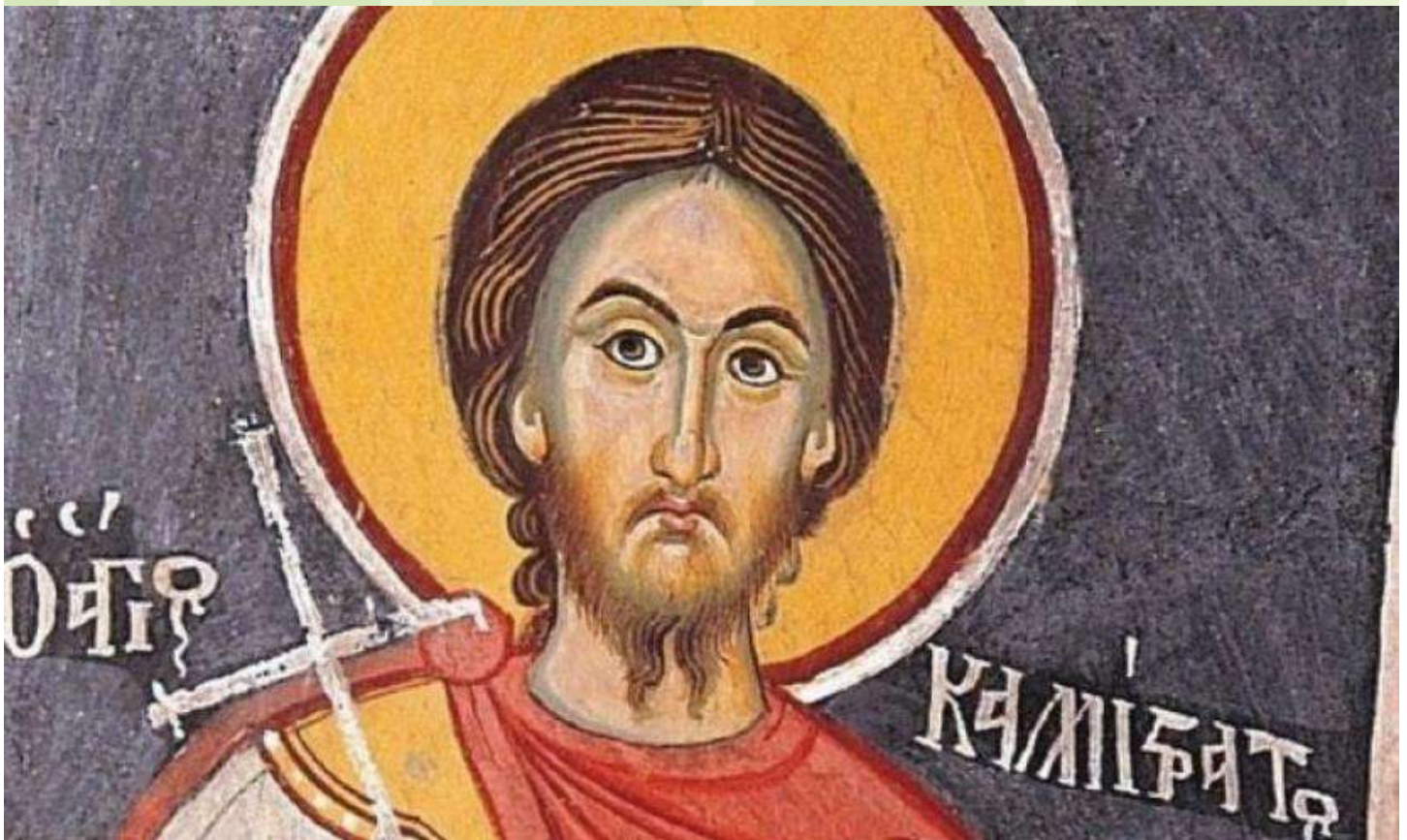


St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral

Patriarchal Stavropigia of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Kyivan Patriarchate

Bulletin for Sunday, October 10, 2021

MARTYR CALLISTRATUS AND HIS 49 MARTYR COMPANIONS



How far would you go to defend the Orthodox Christian faith? Would you be prepared to stand alone to preach your faith? Would you defend the Christian faith with your life?

That is exactly what Martyr Callistratus and his 49 companions did in Rome in the year 288. And today we commemorate them for the torments they suffered for their unwavering belief in Christ.

The commitment of disciples of Christ, such as the martyrs we celebrate today, offer strength and courage to those with weak faith.

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Message from: Barbara Latsios, *President, Sisterhood*

**Founded in 1931, the St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral
Sisterhood of the Protection of the Holy Theotokos
celebrates its 90th Anniversary this year! Please reserve**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2021

**for a very special annual luncheon following Divine Liturgy.
The luncheon is our only fundraiser. We use this event each year to raise
money for essential items needed in our Cathedral by the Clergy.**

Tickets are \$25.00 for adults (18 and older).

Children 17 and under are free of charge.

**The luncheon includes a full course menu,
music and dancing, too!**

**Your attendance makes this event a success and
we look forward to seeing you there.**

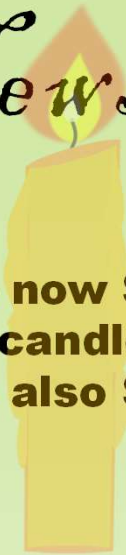
**Please contact Barbara Latsios at 215-814-5384 or
at gbcl@comcast.net for reservations
or additional information! Thank you!**



Candle Room News

PRICE CHANGE

- **Beeswax taper candles are now \$2.**
- **We are no longer selling \$1 candles.**
 - **Votives are also \$2.**



Tuesday evening,
September 28, 2021,
Father Bohdan officiated
at the
Marriage
of
Guram Pherseidze
and
Irina Aleseyevna
Zabegay

Congratulations!





SUNDAY VIGIL
Candles Lit Today

1. For the health of the Murphy Family, Frank, Renee, Alex and Matt
2. For the health of my granddaughter, Lily Osborn, on her 19th Birthday, Love, Grandmom, Gail Osborn
3. For the health of Julia Borriello, on her 16th Birthday, Love, Aunt Gail
4. For the health of Deacon Daniel Terrazas, offered by Colleen Philipp
5. For the health of Deacon Daniel Terrazas and a speedy recovery, offered by Dawn Healey
6. For the health of Deacon Daniel Terrazas and a speedy recovery, offered by Ellen and Phil Hanavin
7. For the health of Susie Sobchak, on her birthday, Love, Dawn

Please remember our homebound parishioner:
Ms. Anna Kuliasha
 St. Martha Center
 470 Manor Avenue
 Downingtown, PA 19335
 Tel: 610-873-8490



Schedule of Services

Saturday, October 9	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, October 10	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy & Panikhida
Saturday, October 16	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, October 17	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy, followed by the Akathist to the Holy Theotokos. At the conclusion of the prayer service, the Sisterhood Annual Luncheon will take place in the Church Hall.
Saturday, October 23	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, October 24	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Saturday, October 30	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, October 31	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Saturday, November 6	PIEROGI FESTIVAL DAY 1 5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, November 7	PIEROGI FESTIVAL DAY 2 9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Saturday, November 13	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, November 14	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Saturday, November 20	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, November 21	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
Saturday, November 27	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, November 28	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy

Email sneoc100@gmail.com to contribute information to this Bulletin. Info must be received by noon on WEDNESDAY to be published in the Sunday Bulletin.
 Publisher: Susan Guz; Editor: Fr. Bohdan

Father Bohdan's Sermon - Sunday, October 3, 2021

Mark 8:34-9:1

In today's Scripture reading, Jesus tells us to "Take up your cross and follow Me." These words mean that Jesus is calling us to follow His lead. And to do that, we must deny ourselves and live courageously and unashamed of Jesus Christ. Jesus requires a commitment from us. We cannot be indecisive about our faith in Him. We must be completely devoted to Him with all our heart.

Our faith cannot be passive. Jesus gives us a stern warning about digressing in our faith. You heard that warning in today's Scripture passage: "If anyone is ashamed of Me and My message...the Son of man will be ashamed of that person when He returns..."



So, let today's Scripture reading remind you that you are a faithful -- outspoken -- Orthodox Christian. Seize every opportunity to preach how your life is good, how your life has changed because of your Orthodox faith and your love of Christ. Do not deny Him. Go forward in life, unashamed of Jesus Christ. AMEN.

ATTENTION

The Endowment Fund Committee is seeking a new volunteer member. Please email Tom Hanney -- teetomhanney@yahoo.com -- if you are interested in serving on the Endowment Fund Committee.

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- Nancy Stott Trauger, Alto
- Nathaniel McEwen, Tenor
- Anthony Sinigaglio II, Bass
- Susan Guz, Choir Director

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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. 11/1/23
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. 8/1/22
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. 9/18/22
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. 4/19/22
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. 5/31/22
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. 12/31/21
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. 10/25/21
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. 12/20/21
22. +In memory of newly-departed Alice (Lesya) Orlan, our beloved "Forever Friend," offered by Dorothy Chelak and Family. exp. 1/24/22
23. 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
24. +In memory of Joseph and Mary Ann Visman, offered by Debbie and Michael. exp. 5/2/22

THE SCRIPTURE READING FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2021

16TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



PRIEST: Let us attend! Peace be unto all!

READER: And to thy spirit.

PRIEST: Wisdom!

READER: The Prokeimenon in the 7th Tone: The Lord shall give strength to His people! The Lord shall bless His people with peace!

CHOIR: The Lord shall give strength to His people! The Lord shall bless His people with peace!

READER: Offer to the Lord, O ye sons of God! Offer young rams to the Lord! The Lord shall give strength to His people!

CHOIR: The Lord shall bless His people with peace!

PRIEST: Wisdom!

READER: The reading is from the Corinthians.

PRIEST: Let us attend!

READER: Brothers...We then, as workers together with Him also plead with you not to receive the grace of God in vain. For He says: In an acceptable time I have heard you, And in the day of salvation I have helped you. Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation. We give no offense in anything, that our ministry may not be blamed. But in all things we commend ourselves as ministers of God: in much patience, in tribulations, in needs, in distresses, in stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labors, in sleeplessness, in fastings; by purity, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Spirit, by sincere love, by the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armor of righteousness on the right hand and on the left, by honor and dishonor, by evil report and good report; as deceivers, and yet true; as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold we live; as chastened, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing all things. **(2 Corinthians 6:1-10)**

PRIEST: Peace be unto thee, Reader.

READER: And to thy spirit.

PRIEST: Wisdom!

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

READER: It is good to give thanks unto the Lord, to sing praises to Thy Name, O Most-High!
To declare Thy mercy in the morning and Thy truth by night!

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 Luke.

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

PRIEST: Let us attend. So it was, as the multitude pressed about Him to hear the word of God, that He stood by the Lake of Gennesaret, and saw two boats standing by the lake; but the fishermen had gone from them and were washing their nets. Then He got into one of the boats, which was Simon's, and asked him to put out a little from the land. And He sat down and taught the multitudes from the boat. When He had stopped speaking, He said to Simon, "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." But Simon answered and said to Him, "Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net." And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking. So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord!" For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish which they had taken; and so also were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid. From now on you will catch men." So when they had brought their boats to land, they forsook all and followed Him. **(Luke 5:1-11)**

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

Project: Painting the Building's Exterior Walls



As you know, the renovation of the front of our building was finished in March 2020 – and it was a great success.

Now it is time to focus on the remaining walls of the building -- the north, south and east walls -- not just for aesthetics, but to **WATERPROOF** the interior.

This is the final step in our waterproofing efforts. The front wall is completed. The roof with snowguards is completed. Caulking all of the windows is completed.

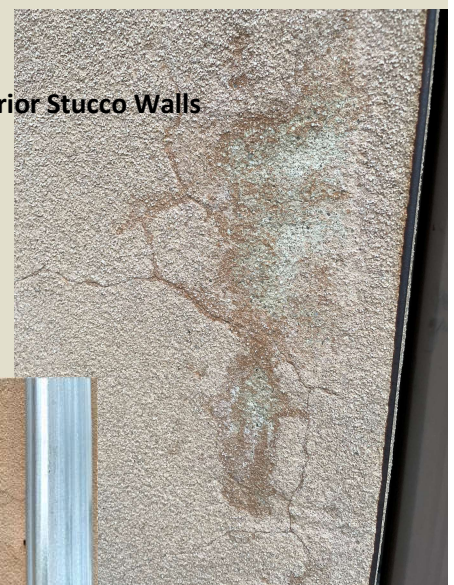
Look at these photos of the many spider cracks in the stucco; the damage done to the north and south stairwells; and our deteriorating Sanctuary wall icons -- all caused by water seepage from the porous exterior walls.

We have received contractor estimates to: power wash the 3 exterior walls, patch the stucco, and seal the cracks with two coats of elastomeric paint.

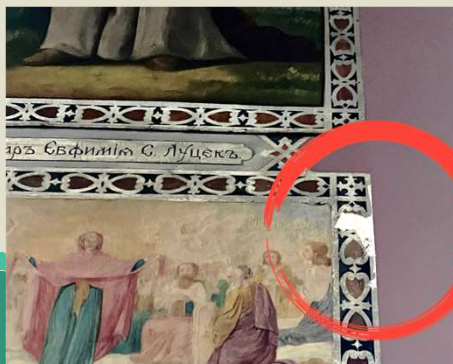
We are asking for **DONATIONS** to fund this project. The goal is \$20,000. **THANK YOU** for helping to preserve our beautiful St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral.



North Stairwell



Exterior Stucco Walls



Icon on North Interior Wall



PIEROGI

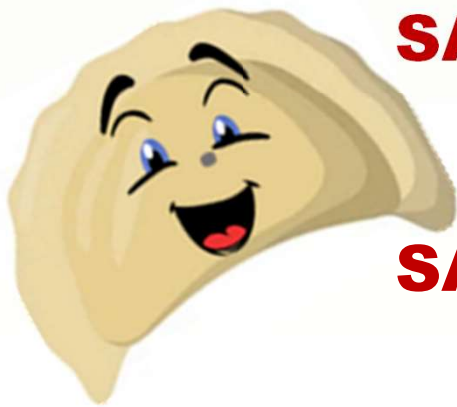


Festival

Every year the Festival is bigger and better – but only with the help of our volunteer workers – like YOU! Here is the schedule for pierogi-making. Please choose the day(s) that are convenient for you. We will be rolling, filling and pinching in the Church Hall, as follows:



**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16
7:00 AM-NOON**



**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23
7:00 AM-1:00 PM**

**FESTIVAL SET-UP
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31,
FOLLOWING DIVINE
LITURGY**

40000 PIEROGIES



were made on the first "pierogi-making weekend," Saturday-Sunday, October 2-3!

Festival Director, Judy Hanney invites you to join us

Saturday, October 16, 7:00 am-NOON
and
Saturday, October 23, 7:00 AM-1:00 PM

TOTAL GOAL FOR THE FESTIVAL:
7,000 PIEROGIES

Thank
you
everyone!









On Saturday, October 2, the "pinchers" moved outside to enjoy the gorgeous weather!

**And on Sunday, October 3, more volunteers joined in:
Father Oleksii, Tom Demchuk,
Susan Isaac, Kevan Jiang,
Nazarii Kalyniuk, Diane Kavchok and
Colleen Philipp.**

**THANK
YOU!**

TEAMWORK

PIEROGI FESTIVAL NOV. 6-7 PIEROGI FESTIVAL NOV. 6-7 PIEROGI FESTIVAL

Raffle

Fundraiser



Slide through traffic, commute to work or simply cruise around campus on this brand new Fyxation Pixel 7 Bicycle!

Just one of many "big ticket" raffle prizes in the

Pierogi Festival Raffle!

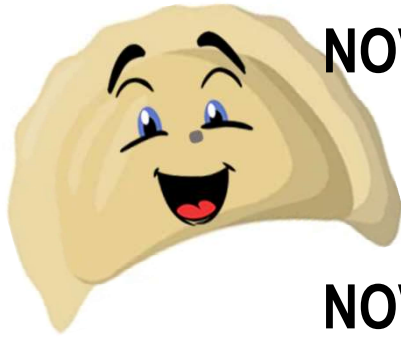
This prize includes a free tune-up at Bikesmith (18th & Spring Garden Sts.), a bike stand and a Bikesmith T-shirt!

**Drawing will be on Day 2 of the Pierogi Festival
Sunday, November 7, at 3:00 pm.
You need not be present to win!**

\$5 = 1 raffle ticket
\$10 = 3 raffle tickets
\$20 = 10 raffle tickets



PIEROGI Festival



SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 6, 2021
12 noon-9 PM
and
SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 7, 2021
12 noon-5 PM



Our Menu

Traditional Eastern European Food - Pierogies - Pelmeni - Blintzes - Kielbasa & Sauerkraut - Stuffed Cabbage - Borscht - Baked Goods - **AND MORE!**



❖ Pre-Order by Thursday, November 4, 2021
stnicholaseoc.org/donate/pierogi
for refrigerated or frozen food only,
curbside pick-up, during Festival Hours

❖ Take-Out hot food, inside only,
during Festival Hours

**Enjoy outdoor dining and beer garden
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