

St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral

Patriarchal Stavropigia of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Kyivan Patriarchate

Bulletin for Sunday, October 3, 2021

The Parish Council



Thomas Hanney, President; Susan Guz, Vice-President; Ellen Hanavin, Treasurer; Frank Borriello, Secretary
Re-elected at the Annual Meeting on September 26, 2021, to serve in their positions for another year, 2021-2022.
Ellen, Tom, Susan and Frank are pictured here with Father Bohdan following his Blessing.



Father Bohdan and Father Oleksii carry the adorned cross to the anoi table on Sunday, September 26, 2021, in celebration of the Feast Day of the Elevation of the Holy Cross. Flowers donated by Ellen Hanavin, Barbara Marozzi and Dawn Healey in memory of Parents/Grandparents, Helen and Emil Levchenko.







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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!**

Annual Meeting

RECAP

The following is an excerpt from the Minutes of the Annual Meeting held last Sunday, September 26, 2021.

A complete record of the Annual Meeting, as recorded by Secretary, Frank Borriello, is included in the Cathedral Minute Book.

On Sunday, September 26, 2021, the congregation of St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral in Philadelphia, held its Annual Meeting, attended by both new members and long-time parishioners. The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer, led by the Rector, Very Reverend Bohdan Zhoba, who extended the blessings of His Holiness Patriarch for the good health of the congregation and a productive meeting.

Then followed a prayer by Father Bohdan for all deceased members of St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral, including all departed Priests, Deacons and Clergy, Choir Directors and Singers, Council members, Sisterhood members, Founders, Donors and Caretakers of the Cathedral and all departed faithful Parishioners.

The election for the Council Officers was next. The members voted unanimously for the current Council Officers to remain and serve in their present positions for the coming term, 2021-2022. The Council Officers are:

Thomas Hanney, President
Susan Guz, Vice-President
Ellen Hanavin, Treasurer
Frank Borriello, Secretary

Father Bohdan blessed the re-elected Council Officers with the following prayer:

"Almighty God, pour out your blessings upon these Your servants -- THOMAS HANNEY, SUSAN GUZ, ELLEN HANAVIN and FRANK BORRIELLO -- who have been given an important ministry in Your church. Grant them grace to give themselves wholeheartedly in Your service. Keep before them the example of our Lord Who did not think first of Himself but gave Himself for us all. Guide them in their work. Reward their faithfulness with the knowledge that through them Your purposes are accomplished through Jesus Christ our Lord."

Father Bohdan presented his report to the congregation, first thanking His Holiness Patriarch Philaret for granting Cathedral status to St. Nicholas Orthodox Church earlier this year and appointing him Secretary of the Vicariate of the UOC-KP in the USA and Canada, two momentous events for the Clergy and congregation.

President, Tom Hanney, then led the meeting that included a list of accomplishments in the past year, most notably the installation of a new roof with snowguards on the Cathedral. Revenue for the ongoing maintenance and operation of the Cathedral comes from generous donations from parishioners, the sale of pierogies at our annual Pierogi Festival, and the rental of the Cathedral Hall.

Treasurer, Ellen Hanavin, and Frank Borriello, Secretary, presented the Financial Report for the fiscal year October 1, 2020-September 30, 2021.

Judy Hanney, Pierogi Festival Director, thanked all the volunteers who have already made more than 1,000 helpuki to sell at the Festival, November 6-7. She anticipates that the Festival will attract an even bigger crowd of people than last year. The Festival is well-known in the community, and people look forward to the home-cooked ethnic food every year, including 8,000 pierogies!

Sisterhood President, Barbara Latsios, reminded everyone that the Sisterhood of the Protection of the Holy Theotokos Annual Lunch is soon, on Sunday, October 17. This lunch is the only fundraising event organized by the Sisterhood. All income from ticket sales will be used to buy essential liturgical items for the Clergy.



Harry and Ksenia Loginow Founding Members

Special recognition and gratitude were given to long-time member Serge Loginow (who is moving from the Philadelphia area), his parents and grandparents, founding members of the Cathedral, who served St. Nicholas Cathedral for more than 100 years -- since 1917. Serge's grandfather, Harry Loginow, was a Council Starosta-President, and the family were faithful parishioners and benefactors of the Cathedral. Serge recently resigned from the Endowment Fund Committee after serving on it for many years. He was a vigilant steward of the funds donated by parishioners and was committed to protecting and preserving the beloved church that his grandparents founded. A Gramota from His Holiness Patriarch Philaret is forthcoming.



Serge Loginow,
with his wife, Janet (right)
and cousin, Diane Kavchok (left) in 2017

The Annual Meeting concluded with a prayer by Father Bohdan.

SUNDAY VIGIL CANDLES LIT TODAY

1. For the health of Susie Sobchak on her birthday, offered by the Sisterhood
2. For the health of my granddaughter, Celia Snoke, on her 9th birthday, Love, Grandmom, Gail Osborn
3. For the health of Tom Demchuk, offered by Ellen Hanavin
4. For the health of Susie Sobchak on her birthday, Love, Ellen



It arrived! A 100-pound box packed with a variety of healthy breakfast foods was sent to the Obertyn Rehabilitation Center in Ukraine by Father Bohdan. Here are some of the children anticipating chewy granola bars and raisin bran cereal.

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 2	5:00 pm: Vespers
Sunday, October 3	9:00 am: Reading of The Hours 9:30 am: Divine Liturgy
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

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Father Bohdan's Sermon Sunday, September 26, 2021

Tomorrow is the Feast Day of the Exaltation – or Elevation – of the Holy Cross. This feast day is a reminder of Jesus' sacrifice for us on the cross. And that the cross is our Christian symbol of eternal life and victory over death. We also celebrate on this day the discovery by Saint Helen in the 4th Century of the actual cross on which Christ was crucified. Jesus said: "He who does not take up his cross and follow Me is not worthy of Me." It is a simple statement that defines how we must live to be saved. The cross represents Jesus, and I hold it in my right hand so that you see God's power and wisdom are with us in this sanctuary. And you, too, should wear your cross so that everyone can see that you believe in the power of the crucifix and that God is with you always.

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.

ST. NICHOLAS PATRIARCHAL CHOIR

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

CHURCH COUNCIL

- Thomas J. Hanney, President
- Susan Guz, Vice-President
- Ellen Hanavin, Treasurer
- Frank Borriello, Secretary

ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE

- Thomas J. Hanney
- Frank Borriello
- Susan Guz
- George Latsios

CLERGY

V. Rev. Father Bohdan Zhoba, Rector
V. Rev. Father Oleksii Kacharai

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ANNUAL VIGIL CANDLES LIT AT EVERY SERVICE THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Sunday Vigil:	\$2
Analoï 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. 9/18/21
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. 5/31/22
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 3, 2021

15TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



PRIEST: Let us attend! Peace be unto all!

READER: And to thy spirit.

PRIEST: Wisdom!

READER: The Prokeimenon in the 6th Tone: O Lord, save Thy people and bless Thine inheritance!

CHOIR: O Lord, save Thy people and bless Thine inheritance!

READER: To Thee, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me! O Lord, save Thy people!

CHOIR: And bless Thine inheritance!

PRIEST: Wisdom!

READER: The reading is from the Galatians.

PRIEST: Let us attend!

READER: Brothers...knowing that a man is not justified by the works of the law but by faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, that we might be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law; for by the works of the law no flesh shall be justified. But if, while we seek to be justified by Christ, we ourselves also are found sinners, is Christ therefore a minister of sin? Certainly not! For if I build again those things which I destroyed, I make myself a transgressor. For I through the law died to the law that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me. **(Galatians 2:16-20)**

PRIEST: Peace be unto thee, Reader.

READER: And to thy spirit.

PRIEST: Wisdom!

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

READER: He who dwells in the shelter of the Most-High will abide in the shadow of the heavenly God!
He will say to the Lord: "My Protector and my Refuge. My God, in whom I trust!

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 Mark.

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

PRIEST: Let us attend. When He had called the people to Himself, with His disciples also, He said to them, "Whoever desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake and the gospel's will save it. For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul? For whoever is ashamed of Me and My words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him the Son of Man also will be ashamed when He comes in the glory of His Father with the holy angels. And He said to them, "Assuredly, I say to you that there are some standing here who will not taste death till they see the kingdom of God present with power." **(Mark 8:34-9:1)**

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

On Saturday, September 25, 2021,
Father Bohdan officiated at his 13th Baptism
in 2021.

**Congratulations to Parents
Teimuraz and Khatuna
Mukhiashvili
and the Godparents**

**on the Baptism of
NIKOLOZ
MUKHIASHVILI**





**Message from:
PIEROGI FESTIVAL
DIRECTOR, JUDY HANNEY**

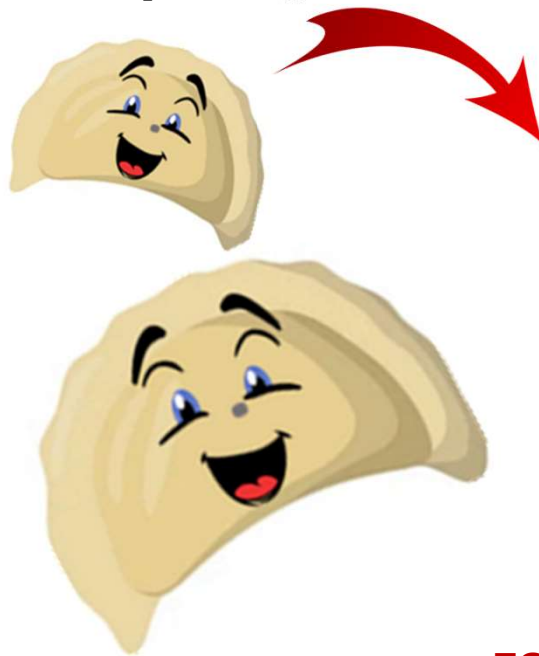
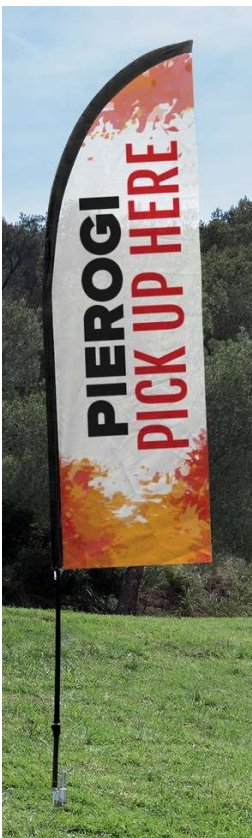
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to roll**



*It's time to
ROLL...pierogies!...in
preparation for our*

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 2
7:00 AM-1:00 PM**

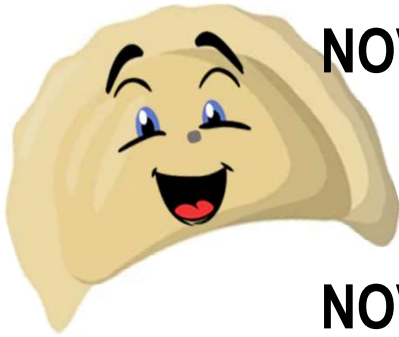
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16
7:00 AM-NOON**

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

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



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
under our tents -- with live music!**

All proceeds benefit:

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