



Holy Trinity and St. Anne Ukrainian Catholic Churches



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Confessions: Every Sunday
15 minutes prior to Divine Liturgy
(Other times available by appointment)

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Sunday, June 4, 2023

Sunday of All Saints

Tone: 8

Epistle: Hebrews 11:32-12:2a

Gospel: Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38 & 19:27-30



Liturgical Greetings

Greeting:

"Glory to Jesus Christ!"
"Slava Isusu Khrystu!"

Response:

"Glory Forever!"
"Slava Na Veeky!"

Next Sunday:

June 11, 2023

Second Sunday After Pentecost
Holy Apostles Bartholomew
and Barnabas

Tones: 1 and Festive

Epistles: Romans 2:10-16;
Acts 11:19-30

Gospels: Matthew 4:18-23;
Luke 10:16-21

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Sunday of All Saints (June 4th)

Day:	Date:	Place:	Time:	Intention:	Offered/Requested By:	Cantor(s)/Reader(s):
Sunday of All Saints						
Sun	Jun 4	SA	8:30a	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom in private intention(s)* preceded by the Moleben to Christ the Lover of Mankind for Peace and Justice in Ukraine @ 8:10am		K. Scenna
		HT	10:20a	Praying of the Holy Rosary		J. Bodak
			11:00a	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom for the Parishioners of Both Churches preceded by the Moleben to Christ the Lover of Mankind for Peace and Justice in Ukraine @ 10:40am		J. Bodak
Mon	Jun 5	No Service				
Tue	Jun 6	SA	9:00a	†Dan Hlywa followed by the Moleben to the Most Holy Theotokos for Peace and Justice in Ukraine	Roger and Carole Elias	J. Bodak
Wed	Jun 7	SA	9:00a	†Jean Yash followed by the Moleben to the Most Holy Theotokos for Peace and Justice in Ukraine	George, Lera, and Yuri Woloszyn	J. Bodak
Thu	Jun 8	HT	9:00a	The Solemn Adoration of the Most Pure Mysteries of the Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ Divine Liturgy for Peace and Justice in Ukraine followed by the Moleben to Christ the Lover of Mankind for Peace and Justice in Ukraine		M. Woloszyn
Fri	Jun 9	HT	9:00a	†Pauline Nachim followed by the Moleben to Christ the Lover of Mankind for Peace and Justice in Ukraine	Doug and Pam Seeley	J. Bodak/J. Billy
Sat	Jun 10	KFH	11:30a	Funeral Services for †Maria Patterson at Kinnick Funeral Home in Girard. (222 S. State St.)		
Second Sunday After Pentecost; Holy Apostles Bartholomew and Barnabas						
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*Fr. Lubomir Zhybak's private intention(s)



Many Congratulations to Mr. Zhybak!

Heartfelt congratulations to **Svyatoslav Zhybak**, son of Fr. Lubomir & Natalia Zhybak, who graduated on May 31st of this year from St. Rose Catholic School in Girard. Svyatoslav will continue his studies at Ursuline High School in Youngstown.

May the Triune Lord: The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit continue to bless Svyatoslav in his studies through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Holy Angels and Saints!

Congratulations!

2023 Graduate Information

All 2023 graduates - high school, college, and university - are invited to submit their biographies for publication in the June 11th edition of the parish bulletin. The deadline for submission is June 8, 2023. Thank you.

My dear Friends,

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Blessed Sunday of All Saints to all of you! I trust that my message found you and your loved ones all well and sound.

We begin **the Apostles Fast** tomorrow (known also as *Petrivka* in our Church) that will last till June 29th – the feast of the Holy Apostles Peter and Paul. As we commence this holy time of fasting, I wholeheartedly wish everyone to have a very blessed and spiritually fruitful fast, and I hope that this year's *Petrivka* will not be for you a pure technicality, but a time to prepare your hearts and minds worthily for the celebration of the feast of Holy Apostles Peter and Paul.

During **the month of June**, we are celebrating **Moleben to Christ the Lover of Mankind in the intention of peace and justice in Ukraine** (please follow the bulletin weekly for details). On Sundays, the Moleben will be celebrated immediately before the Divine Liturgy at each church. If you would like to go to confession on any given Sunday in June, please either let me know after the Liturgy or make an appointment with me.

We, Ohioans, need to take unwavering action against the proposed pro-abortion amendment to Ohio Constitution and VOTE NO on this amendment on the General Election Day, November 7th, or whenever you'll be voting this year! Let's unite in prayer and action, reaffirming our firm YES TO LIFE and NO TO DEATH! IF OUR LORD IS WITH US, WHO COULD BE AGAINST US (cf. Romans 8:31)?!

Sadly, the situation in our beloved Ukraine continues to remain grave. The country is still under a heavy attack from the side of Russia and whoever else sides with it in this horrible war... So many victims, including innocent children... How much longer will this bloodshed last? Right now, the People of Ukraine are being crucified... in fact, it is Christ Himself Who is being crucified again... Yet, life does not end with death! After the crucifixion and death comes resurrection! The resurrection will come for Ukraine as well! Today our risen Lord is embracing all people, who grieve due to having lost their loved ones because of the war in Ukraine, asking them to have faith in Him and not be afraid, for one day they will see their loved ones again, as this is a temporary absence. Today Jesus is telling the whole world just as He addressed His beloved friend Lazarus' sister Martha before Christ brought Lazarus back to life: "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" (John 11:25-26 (NRSVCE)). Lord Jesus, we believe in You, give us life eternal!

In the meantime, let us continue to **pray and act for the end of the war in Ukraine as well as for the conversion of Ukraine's aggressors** and, as a Ukrainian citizen, I'd like to tell all of you: THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF OUR SUFFERING BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN UKRAINE! Ukraine direly needs our help right now! If you would like to **help financially** your brothers and sisters in Ukraine, please **see a separate notice in the bulletin of how you can help**. No amount is too small, yet please be generous, and I thank you in advance for your munificence! May our Good Lord reward you abundantly for it in this life and in the life to come!

- If any of you, who are homebound, would like to partake in the **Holy Sacraments**, kindly call the parish office at 330-744-5820 to make arrangements.
- I would like to encourage you to pray (*daily if you can*) the prayers from the **Prayer Corner**.
- Since we are done for now with the **pyrohy project both at Holy Trinity and Saint Anne Churches**, I would like to take this opportunity to express my **profound gratefulness to all the volunteers** – both parishioners and non-parishioners – who have been helping out with this important project for both parishes. May our Triune Lord: The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit reward you abundantly for your benevolence in this life and in the life to come! Enjoy the break!
- On **June 16-18 of this year** there will take place the **5th All American Youth Pilgrimage** themed "**Relationships, Values, and God**" at the **Pokrova Ukrainian Catholic Church in Parma, OH**. The pilgrimage will be in Ukrainian & English, and, if interested, I do encourage our parish youth to attend it (the registration form is available at the following Internet link: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScSUMYPoQekcjvf8-gbxT9qUfO9zWVE4ImpYmQvFI-0h1AxTA/viewform?fbclid=IwAR14eOS1AxKgMH2wqZRoHiRarJbVlcmup5p48pQCTG0v9nw2uT1DYY65wkc&mc_cid=be4bbc71cb&mc_eid=d5728b89c0). There is also a promotional video (in Ukrainian) that could be found at the following Facebook link: <https://www.facebook.com/100083052744999/videos/228042009815380/>.
- Moreover, this year the **Eparchial Youth Days (EYD)** are scheduled to take place on **June 23-24 (Fri. & Sat.)** at the **Breakneck Campground of the Cheeseman Farm in Portersville, PA**. The topic for this year's event is (con't)

You Are Not Here by Accident: "You Are the Light of the World," and the **main speaker** is **Father Michael Polosky** who is the Pastor of Sts. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church in Ambridge, PA and the Administrator of Sts. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church in Aliquippa, PA as well as the Protosyncellus (i.e., Vicar General) of our eparchy. I likewise encourage our parish youth to attend this wonderful event that I personally enjoy and that even our bishop usually (or perhaps always) participates in. For more information, please call (330-888-8881) or e-mail me (zhybak@hotmail.com).

- Please check out in the bulletin **the winners of the Knights of Columbus' Ohio State Council's 2023 Super Cash Bonanza.**
- We are continuing collecting certain needed items at both parishes for a local branch of **the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.** You'll find a special box for the items at each church. Please be generous and thank you for your benevolence! **Thank you also to those who already donated the needed items!** If you would like to make a monetary donation, you may do so either online at <https://www.mahoningsvdp.com/product-category/donation-levels/> or by mailing your check to:

Mahoning County St. Vincent de Paul Society, P.O. Box 224, Youngstown, OH 44501

The organization likewise offers volunteering opportunities. For more information, please go to <https://www.mahoningsvdp.com/> or call (330) 333-3601.

- Let us continue to **keep in our prayers all people who are on the prayer lists, especially the sick.** May our Triune God: The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit bless all of them through the intercession of His and our Most Holy Mother and all the Holy Angels and Saints!
- Our weekly bulletins are available online at both churches' websites (www.holytrinityucc.com and www.stanneucc.com). Thank you!
- Furthermore, I would like to thank those of you, who have been sending us your donations. If you still cannot come to your parish church at this time, please continue to support it by sending us your weekly donations to each respectful church (see the church addresses in the bulletin) and I thank you very much for your support of our parishes!
- Should there be anything else that needs my or Dean's attention, please let us know at once.

May our Triune Lord: The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit continue to bless all of us in the world! May He help us stop all wars and conflicts on earth, especially the current war in Ukraine! May He protect everyone who is on the front lines defending his or her country's freedom! May He convert the hearts of all aggressors in the world! May He rest in peace the souls of all people on earth, who already died from these wars and conflicts, giving consolation to the families, relatives, and friends they left behind! Likewise, may our Lord protect each of us from all illnesses, especially the coronavirus disease! May He heal all the people in the world, who are infected with it! May He protect all people on earth who are on the front lines in the fight against it as well as everyone who works in public places! May He rest in peace the souls of all people in the world, who died from this and other diseases, giving consolation to the families, relatives, and friends they left behind! May our Lord our fill your hearts and the hearts of your loved ones with the authentic joy and peace that only He can give and may He always protect all of us here in America as well as our beloved people of Ukraine, helping us to end the war there! Let us present all of these petitions to our Lord through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Holy Angels and Saints!

Have a blessed Sunday of All Saints, blessed feast of the Solemn Adoration of the Most Pure Mysteries of the Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ on Thursday, June 8th, a blessed week, and a spiritually fruitful Apostles Fast! May our Triune Lord: The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit always bless America, Ukraine, and the rest of the world through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Holy Angels and Saints!

Слава Ісусу Христу!

Слава Україні!

With prayers in the Triune Lord and the Theotokos,



Holy Trinity 50/50 Club May Winners:

Ron and Diane Yourstowsky

The May total was \$50.00.

The church and the Yourstowskys each receive \$25.00.

МОЛІТЬСЯ ЗА УКРАЇНУ!

PRAY FOR UKRAINE!

Official 2023 Super Cash Bonanza Winners List

Prize #	Winner	Prize	Ticket #	Council
1	Alfred S Fricano - East Liverpool, OH	\$414.00 A MONTH FOR 10 YEARS (\$49,680	534700	507
2	Doug Dusenberry - Newark, OH	\$313.00 A MONTH FOR 5 YEARS (\$18,780)	109324	721
3	Ray Pesho - Broadview Hts, OH	\$212 A MONTH FOR 5 YEARS (\$12,720)	241273	
4	Rick Thomas	\$4,000.00	400652	5621
5	Pat Wehrman - Minster, OH	\$3,000.00	037064	5239
6	Erich Hesselbrock - Hollywood, MD	\$1,500.00	594809	14882
7	Dennis Gnage - OH	\$1,500.00	317772	546
8	Mary Jude Schroeder - Hudson, OH	\$1,500.00	688231	10936
9	Justin Rieman - Ottawa, OH	\$1,500.00	013436	
10	Rev. James S. Duell - Covington, OH	\$1,250.00	023576	15424
11	David J. Wuebker - Saint Henry, OH	\$1,250.00	239012	2640
12	Lori Long - Montpelier, OH	\$1,250.00	266535	5226
13	Frances - Burlington, KY	\$1,250.00	554003	3369
14	Fr. Ed Littlemen - Toledo	\$1,000.00	491224	13636
15	Clayton Kiralofe - Eaton, OH	\$1,000.00	029409	3754
16	Ann Brocker -OH	\$1,000.00	669820	
17	Dawn Wehrle - Edgerton, OH	\$1,000.00	661400	
18	Bob Neiswone - Springboro, PA	\$ 750.00	308457	5063
19	Phillip Elerby - Hermitage, PA	\$ 750.00	465893	4571
20	Joe Seifert Jr. - Navarre, OH	\$ 750.00	526478	554
21	J. Stefonsky - Stow, OH	\$ 750.00	194503	10936
22	Nick Seibert - Bryan, OH	\$ 500.00	261104	
23	Christopher Brown - Cincinnati, OH	\$ 500.00	038219	15533
24	Dcn. Frank Iannarino - Dublin, OH	\$ 500.00	455373	
25	George Halloran - Brandenton, FL	\$ 500.00	457238	10765
26	Jerry Malik - Mingo Junction	\$ 500.00	363248	4361

Source: Ohio State Council of the Knights of Columbus . Link: <https://kofcoho.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/2023-SCB-Winners.pdf>

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Collection

Both Holy Trinity and St. Anne Churches are continuing to take collections for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul's soup kitchen. Bins with appropriate signage are located near the atriums of each church. While all items are acceptable and appreciated, high-use items sought by the kitchen are *canned vegetables, instant mashed potatoes, peanut butter, grape jelly, and crackers of any type*. This collection will continue indefinitely. For those with questions or seeking more information, collection representatives at Holy Trinity Church are **Tyler McBride** and **Jonie Bodak** while **Brian Chadwick** and **Michael Jordon** are leading the drive at St. Anne Church.

Prayer Group Welcomes the Public to Pray for Ukraine

A prayer group praying for Ukraine, which involves several individuals from our parishes, continues to meet weekly on Tuesdays at the Shrine of Our Lady Comforter of the Afflicted from 9:15-10:15a. You are both welcome and strongly encouraged to attend this group's weekly event. As a reminder, the Shrine is located at 517 S. Belle Vista Ave. in Youngstown.

FASTING & ABSTINENCE REGULATIONS FOR THE UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

In accordance with statute 403 of *The Statutes of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma*, "As each Christian is called to ongoing repentance and amendment of life, the ancient practice of fasting is to be maintained. All those from 14 to 59 years of age, inclusively, must abstain from meat on Holy Saturday and each and every Friday of Lent (the Great Fast), as well as Christmas Eve, December 24 and Theophany Eve, January 5. These faithful must also abstain from meat and all dairy food (including milk, eggs, cheese, etc.) on the first day of the Great Fast (the Monday which follows Cheesefare Sunday) and on Holy and Great Friday. Pregnant and nursing mothers, the ill and infirm, those who work at hard physical labor and the very poor are excused" (statute 403, *The Statutes of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma*, 19 August 1994). The statute continues: "The eparch can dispense all the faithful of the eparchy as well as any individuals for a good reason from any of these fasting prescriptions. A pastor may also dispense individual parishioners for a good reason. He cannot, however, dispense the entire parish" (ibid.). Moreover, according to the article 472 of the 1999 *Pastoral Guide of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in the United States of America* (the guide that "supplements the Statutes of the Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma" in our eparchy (see article 4 of the *Pastoral Guide*); the guide's revised version is forthcoming), "[t]he periods of penitence and their respective duration are:

Great Lent, extending from the Monday after Cheesefare Sunday to the Saturday of Lazarus. And Great and Holy Week, extending from Great Monday to Great and Holy Saturday inclusively.

The preparation for the Birth of Jesus Christ in the Flesh (*Pylypivka*) begins on the day... " after "... the feast of St. Philip (November 15), and lasts until the Eve of the Nativity of Christ (December 24) inclusively.

The Apostles' Fast (*[P]jetrivka*) extends from the Monday following the Sunday of All Saints, and continues through to the day preceding the Feast of SS. Peter and Paul (June 28), inclusively.

The Dormition Fast (*Spasivka*) begins on August [1] and lasts until the eve of the Dormition of the Blessed Virgin Mary (August 14), inclusively"

(article 472, *Pastoral Guide of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in the United States of America* (Philadelphia, PA, 1999)).

Furthermore, the "[g]eneral rules governing abstinence [are]:

Meat is to be understood as including not only the flesh but also those parts of warm-blooded animals that cannot be melted down, e.g., the liver, lungs, blood, graves, etc. Although it is not the authentic practice of the Tradition[,] the meat of fish and crustaceans may be eaten, as well of those mammals, that live constantly in water, as, e.g., whales.

Dairy Products are to be understood as comprising products derived from mammals and birds, but not regarded as meat, e.g., cheese, lard, butter, milk, and its by-products, eggs, etc.

Fats of plant origin, e.g., those derived from olives, coconuts, seeds of the sunflower and of the pumpkin, may be used.

Voluntary penance, prayers for the intentions of the hierarchs of the Church, Bishop of Rome, the Major Archbishop, the Metropolitan, and the Eparchial Bishop; voluntary offerings to the Church, the seminaries, the Church in Ukraine, self-denial of alcohol, smoking, attendance at entertainment, etc., may be supplementary only with permission of a confessor. Bread and water alone [are] a good fast.

Priests who possess a pastoral assignment are empowered to grant dispensations or relaxation from the laws of abstinence to individual persons as well as to individual families.

The following are exempt from abstinence:

- (1) the poor who live on alms;
- (2) sick and frail persons;
- (3) convalescents who are returning to their strength;
- (4) pregnant women, and mothers who are nursing their children;
- (5) persons who perform hard labor;
- (6) children who have not completed their seventh [currently, fourteenth] year of age;

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(7) [p]ersons have completed their 59th year of age” with permission of their pastor or confessor” [the clause “with permission of their pastor or confessor” is no longer valid... it could have been an original error, too...] (article 474, *Pastoral Guide of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in the United States of America* (Philadelphia, PA, 1999)).

Furthermore, in accordance with article 475 of the *Pastoral Guide*, “In virtue of rules enacted by the Synod of Bishops under the presidency of the Major Archbishop in 1969 the following rules of abstinence oblige in the United States:

Abstinence from meat on all Fridays of the year except those which occur in privileged weeks and on holydays of Our Lord and of the Mother of God.

Abstinence from meat and all dairy products on the first day of the Great Fast (Lent) and on Good Friday.

Abstinence from meat, in addition to eating only one full meal and a smaller snack, milk products being permitted in accordance with local custom: on Christmas Eve, Epiphany Eve, Exaltation of the Holy Cross (September 14) and Beheading of St. John the Baptist (August 29).

During the Great Fast, the faithful may also maintain the tradition of abstaining from meat on Wednesdays” (ibid., article 475).

Compiled by Fr. Lubomir Zhybak on March 3, 2022 and revised on February 20, 2023.

Prayer Requests

Holy Trinity Church: Ann Blazina, Andrea Curran, John Fecych, Ann Karnofel, Dan Malarcik, Yvonne Mudryk, James Pirko, Marie Schuller, and *the health of all of our parishioners*

St. Anne Church: Joseph Belasco, Joyce Budinsky, Carole Elias, Roger Elias, Susan Kurtiak, Fr. Ignatius, Louis Mancini, Katie Moran, Margaret Rodomsky, Al Stevens, Ann Stevens, Josie Timlin, Helen Yurchison, and *the health of all of our parishioners*

Clergy: Bishop Josyf Milyan, Fr. Louis, Fr. Jeff, and Msgr. Martin Canavan

Non-Parishioners: Kennedy Eater, Mark F., Dawn Howard, Yaroslava, Myroslava, Halyna, Petro, Nadiya, Mylan, Yaremiya, Zoryana, Mariya, Connor, Claire, Mark, Christine, Dave Kishton, Fr. Andrzej, Judy Lepore, Jimi Stevens, Carol Martyn Dow, Tonja Delaine, Joann Panko, Kateryna Bolshahova, William J. Smith, Jim, Ivan M., Nadiya M., Anna F., Alexei Y., Nadiya Y., and Volodymyr Y.

Holy Trinity Church Financials for the Week Ending May 28, 2023

Candle/Offering: \$20.00 Reimbursements: \$20.00

Weekly Offering: \$719.00 Ukr. Human. Fund: \$148.00

Dues: \$20.00 Repairs/Maint: \$65.00

Diocesan: \$10.00 **Deposit: \$1,292.00**

Ascension: \$30.00 Attendance: 39

Mission Fund: \$130.00 May 50/50: \$50.00

Desc./Holy Spirit: \$130.00

Stambaugh Chorus

Presents

Giving Voice to Peace IV

Stambaugh Auditorium

June 11, 2023

2:30 PM

Featuring

Dr. Hae-Jong Lee, Director

Kathy Miller, Accompanist

Stambaugh Chorus

Stambaugh Festival Orchestra

Guest Choral Ensembles

Tickets available at

<http://stambaughauditorium.com/>

OR \$25 at the door



Additional Information About This Concert Event

All donations from this concert event will be distributed through the following organizations:

Grace Tea: <https://www.gracetea.org>

World Central Kitchen: <https://wck.org>

Note: There is a suggested donation of \$5 for the electric candle to be used during the candle-lighting portion of the concert.

EXHIBIT GUIDE

Ukrainians!

A Tribute

May 1, 2023 through June 30, 2023

UKRAINIAN MUSEUM-ARCHIVES
Український Музей-Архів

LAKEWOOD
PUBLIC LIBRARY

ABOUT THE ARTIST



PHOTOGRAPHER PETER FEDYNSKY was born in Ashland, Pennsylvania to post-War Ukrainian immigrants and grew up in Cleveland, Ohio, where he was active in the local Ukrainian community as a scout leader and human rights activist. Fedynsky was a German major at Bowling Green State University, having spent his sophomore year in Salzburg, Austria. A friend who supervised the photo lab at BGSU recognized Fedynsky as an avid amateur photographer and gave him access to the school darkroom. Fedynsky's career as an international radio and TV journalist with the Ukrainian Service at the Voice of America and interpreter for the U.S. State Department gave him a unique vantage point to document Ukrainians in America. His random and candid approach resulted in a mosaic of an American immigrant community that non-Ukrainians might recognize. The collection has been donated to the Ukrainian Museum-Archives of Cleveland, the co-sponsor of the Fedynsky exhibit.

VISIT THE EXHIBIT

Monday through Saturday

9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Sunday

1:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Main Library

15425 Detroit Avenue

Lakewood, Ohio 44107-3829

(216) 226-8275

lakewoodpubliclibrary.org

PETER FEDYNSKY PHOTOS

THE TRIPTYCH consists of three photo panels that summarize the first 16 years of his photography. The top left image in the first panel shows the christening on an infant at the outset of life. The bottom right photo in the third panel shows the grave of Rev. Gregory Kanda, the Ukrainian Catholic priest who christened Fedynsky in 1951. The compilation was inspired by Genesis 3:19 — "In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return." In between is the stuff of life, from the serious to the silly, that anyone in any community can recognize.

A TOUCHSCREEN DISPLAY at the Lakewood Public Library features Fedynsky photographs, which document 38 years of life in the Ukrainian-American community. The image pay tribute not only to Ukrainians, their culture and friends, but also to the United States, which welcomed them to pursue freedoms often denied in their ancestral homeland. 5,300+ pictures depict people playing, praying, protesting and just being themselves. Visitors can select any of 2,137 names on a touchscreen and see pictures associated with that individual. Pictures are also grouped by categories such as siblings, clergy, musicians, flags, embroideries, activism, and gags.



Triptych, Middle Panel



Holodomor Commemoration
Washington DC, 1983

UKRAINIAN CHURCHES across the United States tell a story that is both Ukrainian and American. Hundreds of Catholic, Evangelical, Orthodox, and other parishes testify to the large number of Ukrainians in America, over one-million according to the 2020 census. The photographer visited more than 90 churches to document not so much their architecture but their context in America — the signage, flags, construction material or location in a commercial, industrial, residential or rural neighborhood. Several Ukrainian churches stand next to shrines of other ethnicities or denominations, each telling the same American story of freedom to speak, to assemble and to pray.

THE FAITH, AESTHETICS, HEROES AND TRAGEDIES of Ukrainians have been represented in bronze and stone for many centuries in Ukraine and abroad. Peter Fedynsky's Kodalith transparencies draw attention to the subjects and scope of such art, from the 9th century pagan Zbruch Idol to contemporary statues by immigrant sculptors in the United States. They include a bust of poet Taras Shevchenko by world-renowned sculptor Alexander Archipenko. The original plaster cast of Shevchenko is on display at the Ukrainian Museum-Archives in Tremont. That cast was used pour a bronze bust for Cleveland's Cultural Gardens.

Dignity of Life Threatened in Ohio

A Catholic perspective on the proposed constitutional amendment to expand and enshrine abortion in our state.

WHAT IS HAPPENING?

A proposed amendment to Ohio's Constitution claims to recognize reproductive freedoms, but it furthers a culture of death and removes current safeguards for women. As Catholics, we find the proposed amendment dangerous, unjust, and contrary to our belief in the sacredness of all life.

WHAT CAN I DO NOW?

Groups are currently collecting citizen signatures to add the amendment to the November 2023 ballot. More informational resources are coming, but in the meantime:

- Decline to sign any petition to put this amendment on the November ballot
- Pray, Learn, and Volunteer by visiting the "Protect Them Both" resource center at www.ohiocathconf.org/protect



PROTECT
THEM BOTH



OUR CONCERNS

1 PUTS WOMEN AT RISK

2 ENDANGERS
PREBORN CHILDREN

3 ENABLES THOSE WHO
PRESSURE WOMEN

See Back for Details →

Prayer for Ohio

Ever-living God, you give life and desire a future for all your children. Take hold of our nation, state, and community and awaken in every heart awe for the gift of life. Send your Spirit to strengthen us with wisdom and fortitude as we defend mothers and children in Ohio from laws that disregard their health and safety.

Mary and Joseph trusted in you and welcomed Jesus into our broken world. Father, we ask their intercession to protect the preborn and their mothers, and to guide all parents in raising their children. May they help us build a civilization of love by upholding the sacredness of life, preserving parental rights, and accompanying pregnant women in need. We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady, Mother of the Family,
pray for us!

St. Joseph, Protector of the Unborn,
pray for us!



CATHOLIC
CONFERENCE OF OHIO

The official voice of the Catholic Church in Ohio on public policy,
advocating for the dignity of life at all stages, immigrants,
Ohioans in need, and Catholic education.

www.ohiocathconf.org

Source: Catholic Conference of Ohio (www.ohiocathconf.org/protect)

Our very Best Wishes and Blessings to our dear Parishioners celebrating their life milestones this week.

Holy Trinity Church

Jun 5: Linda Motosko Jun 8: Matthew Yourstowsky Jun 10: Russ Antonczak Jun 10: Wayne Saupp

St. Anne Church

Jun 7: Elizabeth Sitnick Jun 11: John and Arnie Fromel (63)

Na Mnohaya ee Blahaya Leeta!

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma Children and Youth Protection Announcement

Please, be advised that any instance of sexual abuse of a child or youth by a cleric (other than a bishop), lay employee or lay volunteer within the boundaries of our parish should be immediately reported to the local police department, child protection services of the county, the pastor of the parish and the Chancery of St. Josaphat Eparchy. A sexual abuse report form is available at both churches and/or the parish office in English and Ukrainian. The bishop can be reached at the Chancery at 440-888-1522 or by writing to: **Most Rev. Bishop Bohdan J. Danylo**, Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma, P.O. Box 347180, Parma OH 44134. You may also file a report with **Ms. Marika Zaliszczuk**, Victim Assistance Coordinator of St. Josaphat Eparchy (412-215-5372).

To report abuse by a bishop, please use the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting service (CBAR):

<https://reportbishopabuse.org/faqs/> or call 1-800-276-1562.

For more information on St. Josaphat Eparchy's safe environment policy and procedures as well as other pertinent info, please go to: <http://stjosaphateparchy.com/safe-environment/>.

Revised on Jan. 11, 2022.

UTS Scholarship Opportunity

Dear Reverend Clergy, UTS Members, and Friends of the Scholarship Program:

Please advise Ukrainian youth of graduating high-school age or older that the 2023 Ukrainian Technological Society Scholarship Application Form and directions are now available at www.utspgh.org. The scholarships are available to students of Ukrainian heritage domiciled in the tri-state PA, OH, WV area around Pittsburgh, PA. This year, in a trial, the Society is opening up the scholarship awards to Ukrainian youth seeking or continuing a post high-school education (i.e., college, trade school, nursing, business school, law school, medical school, etc.). The deadline for submitting completed applications and official course transcripts is July 6, 2023.

This year, the Society will make its 51st presentation of scholarship awards. In the prior 50 presentations, 563 scholarships totaling \$273,200 to 325 different students have been awarded. *The Society is the sponsoring organization, but it is really the Ukrainian Community that is providing these scholarships to our young people.*

Please consider joining others in the Ukrainian Community in donating to the 2023 campaign. **We especially appeal to former scholarship awardees and their families to donate, in order to carry forward the UTS Scholarship Program into the future.** The Society has IRC 501(c)(3) status and your donation is federal income tax deductible as a charitable contribution as the law allows. Please make your check payable to the Ukrainian Technological Society Scholarship Fund (or UTS Scholarship Fund) and mail it to the Society in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope before July 10, 2023. However, donations are gladly accepted throughout the year. You may also donate by PAYPAL by using the Support Button on the Society's website, www.utspgh.org.

The presentation of the 2023 scholarship awards is scheduled for Sunday, August 6, 2023, beginning at 3:00 PM at Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Orthodox Church hall in Carnegie, PA. Please check the website www.pittsburghukrainians.com for the final announcement, or contact me.

Sincerely,

Nickolas C. Kotow
Chairman, Scholarship Committee
412-835-8714

The official registration and financial information of Ukrainian Technological Society may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll-free, within Pennsylvania, 1-800-732-0999. Registration does not imply endorsement.

Kevin Murphy Benefit Golf Open

Sunday, August 13th, 2023
8:00 AM Shotgun Start
4-person scramble

Sponsored by
President Charity Foundation

Olde Dutch Mill Golf Course
2745 Grandview Rd.
Lake Milton, OH 44429
330-654-4100

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma

"YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD."

Matthew 5:14 (NRSVCE)

2023

EPARCHIAL YOUTH DAYS

You Are Not Here by Accident:

"YOU ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD"

Friday, June 23 [5 pm] to Saturday, June 24 [8 pm]

Registration Fee: \$30/person [Sat. stay only]
\$50/person [Fri. & Sat. stay]

Cheeseman Farm
Breakneck Campground
1757 Cheeseman Road
Portersville, PA 16051
724-368-3405

RSVP by Monday, June 19th

Contact: Joseph Levy 724-910-1619
jlevy8777@gmail.com

NOTE ON SUNDAYS AND HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Under ordinary circumstances, the faithful in St. Josaphat Eparchy have obligation to attend a Catholic Church service on the following days, participating in a Divine Liturgy or Vespers the night before or a Roman Mass if need be (including vigil services in all three instances) unless absent due to a legitimate reason (if a person, for example, sings in the choir of a non-Catholic church on Sunday and/or holy day of obligation, this is not considered a legitimate reason not to attend a Catholic Church service on that day, hence, the person still has to fulfill his or her Sunday/holy day obligation on that day):

- all Sundays of the entire year;
- Theophany of Our Lord (January 6th);
- Annunciation of the Most Holy Theotokos (March 25th);
- Ascension of Our Lord (40th day (Thursday) after Easter);
- Holy Apostles Peter & Paul (June 29th);
- Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos (August 15th);
- Nativity of Our Lord (December 25th).

Please also keep in mind that if a person does not attend church on these days, he or she commits a mortal sin, provided all three conditions for a mortal sin are present: grave matter (Ten Commandments), which it is, full knowledge, and deliberate consent, and, hence, is forbidden to receive Holy Communion until the person goes to confession, which is applicable to any mortal sin. On all other feast days, the faithful are encouraged to attend the church.

Important

In cases of an imminent death of a family member, please do not wait until the last minute for the pastor to administer last rites to the dying. Please call immediately. Thank you!

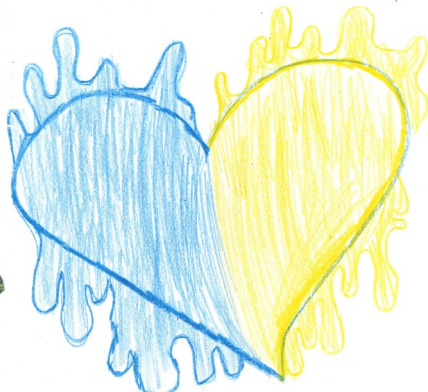
NOTE ON HOLY SACRAMENTS OF THE EUCHARIST & RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Generally, Catholics (and some non-Catholics under certain conditions) receive Holy Communion worthily if they do not have even one mortal sin on his/her soul (one sins mortally when all of the following three conditions are present: grave matter (10 Commandments), full knowledge, and deliberate consent), and, usually, these are people who go to confession more or less frequently; one is permitted to receive Holy Communion with the venial sins on his/her soul. Otherwise, if one receives Holy Communion unworthily, namely with mortal sin (s) on his/her soul and is aware of it, committing it with deliberate consent, one commits another mortal sin. Although, certainly, it is possible to live one's life without committing even one mortal sin for a long time and, hence, have no need for confession for a long time, such people could be considered exceptions. Also, in accordance with the Church Commandments (also known as the Church Precepts), a minimal requirement is for a person to go to confession at least once a year as well as to receive Holy Communion at least during the Easter season: to go to confession provided one committed at least one mortal sin and to receive Holy Communion provided one did not commit even one mortal sin.

Revised on April 4, 2023.

Notes of Support from the Seventh and Eighth Grade Students of Saint John School in Ashtabula, OH

UKRAINE



Dear Ukraine I hope this war can stop soon. I'm praying for you guys and for your country. ✨



PRAY



Change a Life.

BECOME A SPONSOR

SPONSORS PROVIDE

- signatures on an I-134
- housing and transportation
- access to food, basic needs, and benefits
- supports the transition to independence
- assist with school enrollment, healthcare, etc.
- help to identify employment opportunities
- community and hospitality

REASONS TO SPONSOR

- save lives
- one-on-one personal matching with the aid of an experienced NA4U Sponsor Coordinator
- no legal liability for signing the I-134
- expedited access to work authorizations and state benefits like healthcare and food assistance
- NA4U's partnership with SP4U (Safe Passage for Ukraine) to provide free flights for women and children

"Last week, my daughter and I flew to America. We found our sponsor thanks to your group, and we are sincerely grateful to everyone that supported us on this difficult path."
-Elena T.

MISSION STATEMENT

North America for Ukraine (NA4U) is bridging the gap for resettlement support in the United States and Canada. NA4U is working to provide assistance with the immigration process, sponsor and host matching, and resources. Our goal is to support Ukrainians and sponsors through the entire process of resettlement.

Facebook: North America for Ukraine
Instagram: @northamericaforukraine
Email: info@NA4Ukraine.org
Website: na4ukraine.org

UNITING FOR UKRAINE WELCOME CIRCLES

UKRAINIANS NEED YOUR HELP!

USCCB's Department of Migration and Refugee Services is launching a new initiative to support Ukrainians -- **Welcome Circles**.

Across the country, we hope to see Catholic parishes, other houses of worship, and local organizations meet the needs of displaced Ukrainians through collective action.

Welcome Circles are groups of 5 or more adults who agree to financially support Ukrainians through the U4U program and to help them navigate their new community in the US.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT:

- <https://www.uscis.gov/ukraine>
- <https://ukraine.welcome.us>
- <https://www.sponsorcircles.org/program>



The Society of St. John Chrysostom
Youngstown-Warren Chapter Presents



Our Coptic Orthodox Brethren Plant Deep Roots in the Mahoning Valley

Exploring the History
and Expansion of the
Coptic Orthodox
Christians Among Us



June 8th, 2023 at 6:30pm

St Mary & St John the Beloved
Coptic Orthodox Monastery

8640 Squires Ln NE,
Warren, OH 44484

Speaker:

Very Rev. Fr. Mauritius
Anba Bishoy



PLEASE HELP

UKRAINE!

БУДЬ-ЛАСКА, ДОПОМОЖІТЬ

УКРАЇНІ!

*****PLEASE HELP US SPREAD THE WORD*****

*****PLEASE SHARE THIS INFO WITH OTHER PEOPLE*****

*****THANK YOU VERY MUCH*****

Here are a couple of ways of how you could help the People of Ukraine. First of all, through daily PRAYER. Secondly, you can HELP FINANCIALLY THROUGH DONATIONS by USING ONE OR BOTH OF THE OPTIONS below.

OPTION 1

You can make your donations to the Humanitarian Aid Fund for Ukraine online via the website of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma at <http://stjosaphateparchy.com/support-ukraine/> (once on the webpage, please scroll down and click the Donate button (PayPal)).

If you would like to donate by check, please send your donations to the following address (please write out your checks to St. Josaphat Eparchy indicating clearly on the check that the donation is for the Humanitarian Aid Fund):

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat in Parma
Humanitarian Aid Fund
5720 State Rd.
P.O. Box 347180
Parma, Ohio 44134

OPTION 2

You can also send your donations to help Ukraine's Armed Forces through the National Bank of Ukraine, which would be greatly appreciated. This can be done online or through an international wire transfer via a local U.S. bank. All the info at the following official link:

<https://bank.gov.ua/en/news/all/natsionalniy-bank-vidkriv-spetsrahunok-dlya-zboru-koshtiv-na-potrebi-armiyi>

Here are the bank requisites base on the aforementioned link of the National Bank of Ukraine for making an international wire transfer via a local U.S. bank (in this case, a person would need to got o his/her bank and do it personally there on location):

BENEFICIARY: National Bank of Ukraine

BENEFICIARY ACCOUNT NUMBER: 4330992708

BENEFICIARY BIC: NBUA UA UX

BENEFICIARY ADDRESS: 9 Instytutska St., Kyiv, 01601, Ukraine

INTERMEDIARY BANK NAME: JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, New York

INTERMEDIARY BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER: 80490258

INTERMEDIARY BANK BIC: CHASUS33

ABA: 0210 0002 1

INTERMEDIARY BANK ADDRESS: 383 Madison Ave, New York, NY 10017, USA

PURPOSE OF PAYMENT: for crediting account 47330992708

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF UKRAINE! MAY OUR GOOD LORD REWARD YOU AND MAY HE BLESS UKRAINE, THE UNITED STATES, AND THE REST OF THE WORLD!

For more information, please feel free to contact the parish office of Holy Trinity Ukrainian Catholic Church (Youngstown, Ohio) and St. Anne Ukrainian Catholic Church (Austintown, Ohio) at 330-744-5820/yngholytrinity@att.net

Prayer Corner

+ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we adore You, we praise You, we worship You, and we love You! We thank You for Your gift of life to us! We thank You for the overabundance of blessings that You bestow on us every day! We thank You for the gift of salvation that we received from You! We humbly ask You to help us to love You wholeheartedly and to love our neighbors as we love ourselves. We ask You to continue to bless us and to help us to be Your authentic adopted children. We ask You to have mercy on us, to cleanse us of our sins, and to fill our hearts with Your life-giving grace. In Your immense kindness, please heed these petitions that we present to You:

- for the end of the war in Ukraine, for all died during it, for the loved ones they left behind as well as for the enlightenment and conversion of the hearts and minds of Ukraine's aggressors, so that a sincere and truthful dialogue may lead to an authentic and lasting peace and reconciliation, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of all abortions in the world, for all the aborted and miscarried babies, for the healing of those who committed or assisted with abortions, for the conversion of all who are planning to commit abortions as well as for all the unborn babies in the world and their parents, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of the child slavery, child abuse, domestic abuse, gender ideology, prostitution, and human trafficking in the world, for all the victims both living and deceased as well as for the conversion of all who perpetrate these grave and heinous sins, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the vocations to the diaconate, sacred priesthood, and religious life, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion to the true faith of all people in the world, who did not embrace the light of the Triune God yet, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion of all sinners in the world, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the consolation of all persecuted Christians in the world, especially the ones in Asia, Middle East, and Africa and for the conversion of hearts and minds of those, who persecute them, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the end of all wars, conflicts, and violence in the world, especially for the establishment of the authentic and lasting peace, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all the refugees, the migrants, the poor, the hungry, the orphans, the half-orphans, and the homeless throughout the world – especially those who are children – we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all prisoners in the world, especially the ones on death row, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the liberation of all people in the world who are addicted to drugs, alcohol, smoking, and pornography, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the conversion of all people in the world, who have difficulty telling the truth and acting truthfully, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all people in the world, who are hopeless as well as those, who contemplate suicide, that their hearts may be filled with hope, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all widows and widowers in the world, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the healing of all sick people in the world, especially for the ones infected with the coronavirus, for the protection against it, for all people who are on the front lines in the fight against it, for all people who are working in public places, for the repose of the souls of all, who died from the virus as well as for the loved ones they left behind, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all unemployed people in the world and their families that they may find work soon, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for all faithful of the Catholic Church, especially all members of St. Josaphat Eparchy, as well as for all our families, relatives, friends, and acquaintances, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!
- for the deliverance of all souls from the Purgatory, we pray to You, O Lord! Lord, have mercy!

Most Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we humbly ask You to grant all of these petitions in accordance with Your most holy will through the intercession of the Most Holy Theotokos and all the Angels and Saints and may You be praised forever and ever! Amen.

+ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Originally composed by Fr. Lubomir Zhybak in 2020 and revised on June 1, 2023.

Image: icon of the Most Holy Trinity, written by Mr. Dennis Bell in 2010, at Holy Trinity Ukrainian Catholic Church in Youngstown, OH (2014) [photo of the icon taken and edited by Luba Horsky].