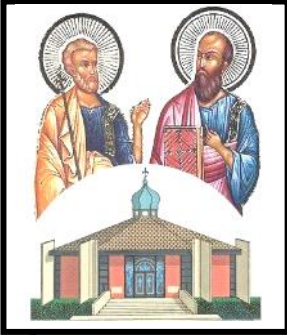


The Word of Sts. Peter & Paul



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Archbishop Daniel of the UOC of the USA and Bishop Ilarion of the UOC of Canada – Exarchs of the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople to Ukraine - Met with the President of Ukraine

Following the announcement of the Holy Synod of the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople, appointing Archbishop Daniel, the ruling hierarch of the Western Eparchy of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA to the formal responsibility of an Exarch of the Ecumenical throne to Ukraine, the archbishop traveled to the capitol of Ukraine – Kyiv in order to begin the fulfillment of his temporary assignment along with His Grace Bishop Ilarion of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada.

President of Ukraine, Honorable Petro Poroshenko held a meeting with the Exarchs of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in Ukraine - Archbishop Daniel of the Western Eparchy of the UOC in the United States of America and Bishop Ilarion of Edmonton and the Western Eparchy of the UOC in Canada on September 17, 2018. The Head of State emphasized that the beginning of the mission of the Exarchs of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in Ukraine, Archbishop Daniel and Bishop Ilarion, is an extremely important event for all Orthodox people in Ukraine. "It is also extremely important that I can speak to you in Ukrainian. This is a huge pleasure and understanding that Ukraine has a big part in your heart," the President added.

"I am very grateful to His All-Holiness, Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew for the courage and wisdom shown with your appointment," the President said. "We know that Ukrainians have prayed for hundreds of years to have the Ukrainian Autocephalous Orthodox Church. The views of Ukrainians were aimed at the Mother Church, Constantinople. It is wonderful that the Lord heard our prayers," Petro Poroshenko said.

The President stressed a long way had been passed over the last three years: "And in the framework of this way, we can say now that we have come to the finish line. This is an extremely enjoyable news".

The Head of State recalled the celebration of the 1030th anniversary of the Baptism of Kyivan Rus'-Ukraine when hundreds of thousands of Ukrainians took part in the Cross Procession. "And before that, there were hundreds of thousands of Ukrainian believers who prayed together for the Lord to give us the Autocephalous Orthodox Church," he said.

"If you look at the faces of people who then walked in the procession, they were all filled with joy, peace and grace, waiting for the Autocephalous Orthodox Church to come to Ukraine and become a symbol of the unification of the country, peace, goodness, which would finally contribute to the unification of the Orthodox faith and the Ukrainian state," the President noted.



"It is extremely important that we have one more state-building foundation - the Autocephalous Orthodox Church," Petro Poroshenko emphasized and thanked the Exarchs of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in Ukraine for their great personal contribution to the provision of autocephaly to the Ukrainian Orthodox Church.

Will be continued in the next bulletin.



Liturgical Schedule



Today	<p>18th Sunday after Pentecost. Tone one. Sunday after the Universal Elevation of the Precious and Life-Creating Cross of the Lord Martyrs Sophia and her three daughters: Faith (Vera), Hope (Nadia), and Love (Lubov), at Rome (137). Martyr Theodota at Nicaea (230) and Agathoklea. 156 Martyrs of Palestine, St. Joachim, patriarch of Alexandria (1567).</p>
	<p>2 Corinthians 9:6-11 Matthew 18:23-35 (Gospel) Galatians 2:16-20 Sunday after the Universal Elevation Mark 8:34-9:1 Sunday after the Universal Elevation Reader of the Hours - Jeremy Oryhon Reader of the Eng. Epist.– Jeremy Oryhon Reader of the Ukr. Epist.– Olga Piskoun</p>
<p>Saturday, October 6 No Vespers</p>	
<p>Sunday October 7</p>	<p>19th Sunday after Pentecost. Tone 2. Holy Protomartyr and Equal-to-the-Apostles Thecla of Iconium (1st c.). Venerable Coprius of Palestine (530). Righteous Euphrosyne, daughter of St. Paphnutius of Egypt.</p>
	<p>2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9 Luke 5:1-11 Reader of the Hours - open Reader of the Eng. Epist.– Peter Gordon Reader of the Ukr. Epist.– Halyna Kashpar</p>

Seraphim Group



GROUP OUTING Tuesday, October 9, 2018
11:30 am

We will meet at:

Chef Klaus Bier Stube (German Restaurant)
20827 S. LaGrange Road
(Frankfort Town Center-East side of street)

Please rsvp to Father or Debbie by Sunday, Oct. 7th

Thank You/Danke, Debbie Pierog Deb12153@aol.com

Words of Gratitude

Thank you very much for

Beautification of Church Grounds with fall flowers

In honor of Amelie Mae Ziegler's 2nd Birthday by Loraine Ehlert

Bible & Faith Study Group



Bible
STUDY
Join us!

Next Bible Study group meeting is Wednesday
October 17th at 6:30 pm. *If you are interested
in joining the study, please see
Fr. Vasył*

Prayer Corner for the Month of September



We ask all of you to remember in your prayers the following individuals, who are in need of God's healing and grace: Maria Savoy, Nicole, Victoria, Barbara, Tom Macauliffe, John, Margaret, Eleanor, Ethel Smith, Michael P, Anthony, Catherine Hladky, Andrew Hladky, Wally and Ann Podlecki, Valentina Schacht, Susan Hendrixson, Rayan, Dean Manson, Pavlo & Polina, Barbara Patronik, Elias, Roxana, Anthony Bendy, Katie Bruce, Patti Faye, Toni Marie Klavin, Michael Kimak, Chloe Mckinney, Yuriy Zmysly, Paul Jr & Dorothy Seliga, Wolodymer Kashpar, Priest Vasył Dovhan, Priest David Clooney, Priest Petro, Frankie, Zachary, Orest, Oksana, Alexander, Paul.

If there is anyone who is in need of prayers, and you want to add them to the prayer corner, please notify Fr. Vasył.

If you would like me to visit with the Sacraments of the Holy Confession and Eucharist, please call the rectory to set up an appointment. I will gladly visit everyone.

Fr. Vasył

Announcements

Parish Council

Monthly Parish Council meeting is every third Sunday of the month after the Coffee Hour. Next meeting is October 21, 2018. *Representatives from parish organizations must be present. Guests are welcome.*

Sisterhood of St. Anne



Thank you very much to all of our volunteers for continues support.

May God reward you hundredfold!
We will be working in the kitchen this week.

Pierogi session:

TODAY - make cheese balls and plum

Monday October 1 - 8:00am make Plum & cheese pierogies

Tuesday October 2 - 8:00am make SK & Pot balls

6:00pm Make stuffed cabbage

Wednesday October 3 8:00am make SK & Pot Pierogies

Thursday October 4 - sale at Noon

Sunday School Teacher's corner

Dear Parents,
The Sunday School has started its New Year. Please register your child/children and bring them to church regularly. This will insure a steady work of the school as well as proper delivery of religious education.



Besides completing the program for the First Confession it is vital for children to receive and maintain basic knowledge of the fundamentals of the Orthodox Church along with Church etiquette and Christians virtues, so they can grow into responsible adults. Unfortunately, home and Church are the only places nowadays where children can be taught Christian values. Don't miss the chance.

Seven Day Vigil Candles

For the health of my ill parents in Ukraine Pavlo & Polina by Halyna Kashpar



For the health of Roxana by Leela Cepynsky

For the health and God's blessings of family members by Alvine & Mike Gbur

For quick recovery and healing of Leela Cepynsky by PM Olenka



For the health of Maria Jordanov by PM Olenka

Seminars in the neighborhood

“The Call to Revive the Female Diaconate: Thirty Years After Rhodes”

Saturday, November 3, 2018 from 1 to 5 pm at
Saints Peter & Paul Greek Orthodox Church
1401 Wagner Rd, Glenview, IL 60025

SPEAKER: Teva Regule, Ph.D.

“The Female Diaconate in the Orthodox Church? The State of the Question”

PANELISTS: Randa Karadsheh Anderson, Ph.D., Carrie Frederick Frost, Ph.D., Deacon Perry Hamalis, Ph.D.

Questions/Suggestions—Answers



There was a question received through Question/suggestion box:

Why do we commemorate president of Ukraine during Liturgy, but not the president of the USA? No consistency.

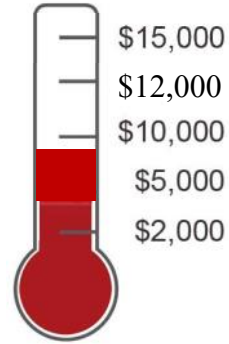
Answer: The Divine Liturgy Service book, which is followed by clergy, has petitions during liturgy for the governments of both countries US and homeland Ukraine. No specific president is mentioned. However, because of the latest developments in Ukraine regarding the work began by the president of Ukraine and Verhovna Rada (Senate) to unite Church in Ukraine and receive Tomas of autocephaly. Council of Bishops ordered to pray for the president of Ukraine and Verhovna Rada as well as the work began by them.

Fr. Vasyl

Church Temple Main Chandelier



We are working on replacing Main Chandelier at the Church Temple. Current one is too small for our temple as well as in very poor condition. We have collected so far \$7,745.00 towards this project.



Every little bit helps.

The new chandelier will look like the one on the picture above. It will have 5 levels of white lights as well as icons of twelve apostles around with red lights.

Vida Blyskis—\$125.00

Katie Bruce in loving memory of parents — \$100.00

Thomas Gbur—\$100.00

Fr. Vasyl & PM Olenka for the health of our parents— \$200.00

Thank you for your generous support.

Memorial Panahyda



Today: In loving memory of:
 Grandmother, Anna Cygan-Hladky (09/01/1970)
 Uncle, Constantine Magioris (09/07/1980)
 Daddy, Andrew Hladky (09/13/1996)
 Bohdan Krutiak (09/24/2017) Requested by Sandra Hladky

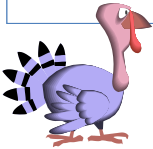
Coffee Hour Schedule



Today — Alla and Mary Jo Grzymiski
October 7 -- Carol Redmerski and Laura Drewno
October 14 -- Andrea Manson & Janet Milton
October 21 -- Sklaryk Family
October 28 -- -- PANCAKE FLIP – Sr. UOL
November 4 -- Pat Ciapinski and Karoline Ciapinski-O'Neill
November 11 -- ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER
November 18 -- Mary Lamantia & family
November 25 -- Larson Family

If you would like to volunteer for the Coffee Hour or need to change your scheduled date, please see Olga Piskoun call 708-361-5165 or email opiskoun@yahoo.com

Parish Family Thanksgiving Dinner



Join Our Parish Family for
Annual Thanksgiving Dinner

on Sunday, November 11, 2018

Adult \$15.00. Students \$8.00. Kids under 10 – Free.

Please make your reservations 708-361-5165

Church Humor

The Hand of God

Little Philip was walking home in the rain with his mother following Sunday worship. It finally stopped raining as they rounded the corner, where to their surprise and delight appeared a vivid double rainbow in the sky.

“Doesn’t it look like an artist painted this rainbow?” his mother exclaimed. “I bet God painted this just for you!”

“Yes,” replied Philip, “God did it, and he did it left handed.”

Confused, his mother asked him, “What makes you say God did this with his left hand?”

“Well,” said Philip, “we learned in Sunday School that Jesus sits on God’s right hand.”