

90th Anniversary Celebration

We will celebrate 90 years as a parish on October 9, 2016.

The festivities will begin with Fr. Andriy celebrating Divine Liturgy with clergy from our deanery. Following the Divine Liturgy we will proceed to Kosta's Banquet Room. Fr. Andriy has selected the following menu for our feast: Slow Cooked Roast Beef, Oven Baked Chicken, Parsley Redskin Potatoes, California Blend Vegetables, Salad and Cheese Cake for dessert.

The parishioners of old built everything that we have. Let us celebrate our past and their hard work. We have to continue what they started and move to build our future. Bishop Bohdan has much hope for our parish to grow. Let's help make his dream come to fruition.

RSVP by September 30. Make checks payable to Protection of the BVM. Meals are \$20.00 each child prices available upon request.

Weekly Liturgy Schedule			
Weekend		Week Day	
Saturday	4:00PM Northern Cambria	Monday	8:30AM Northern Cambria
Sunday	9:00AM Northern Cambria	Tuesday	6:30PM Revloc
	11:00AM Revloc	Wednesday	6:00PM Northern Cambria
	5:00PM Northern Cambria	Thursday	8:30AM Northern Cambria
Liturgy schedule may change due to Holy Days throughout the year.			



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Our Weekly Bulletin

Week of September 18 to 25, 2016



Welcome to our Parish

11:00AM Sunday
6:30PM Tuesday
6:00PM Vigil for Holy Days

Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week		
Sunday, Sept. 18	Sunday After Exaltation 18th Sunday after Pentecost	For the Faithful
Sept. 19	No Liturgy	
Sept. 20	Liturgy	6:30PM
Sept. 21	No Liturgy	
Sept. 22	No Liturgy	
Sept. 23	No Liturgy	
Sept. 24	No Liturgy	
Sunday, Sept. 25	19th Sunday after Pentecost	✠ Mary Lucas — Bellock Family

Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

The Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross originated in Jerusalem in 355 to commemorate the dedication of the Basilica of the Resurrection. In 395, St. John Chrysostom wrote of the three crosses which were discovered beneath Golgotha by Empress Helena. Many other writers speak of miracles which occurred through contact with the true cross. It was through one of these miracles that the true cross was recognized by St. Helena and St. Macarius, Bishop of Jerusalem.

The Holy Cross was kept in the Basilica of the Resurrection in Jerusalem until 614, when the Persians conquered the city and burned the church. In 628, Emperor Heraclius III defeated the Persians and returned the Holy Cross to Jerusalem. A portion of the cross was taken to Rome in the seventh century.

Potato Fest Information

Next Saturday will be the Ebensburg Potato Fest. This is our biggest fund raiser for the year. Last year we raised \$3,757.00. This year we are hoping to raise \$6,000.00 or more. This can only be accomplished with your help. All parishioners are asked to supply baked goods to sell at the Potato Fest. Please have them package for sale in \$1.00 packages. Larger items can be priced higher by the baker. We have people who search out our bakery, pyrohy, and pagach. This year we will be adding Jeremiah's Chili. Our delicious foods made by all of you are a hit at the Potato Fest.

Anyone wishing to help set-up and tear down be at the site for 6:30 AM & 5:00PM

Anyone wishing to help set up the display of food be at the tent for 7:00AM

Anyone wishing to help sell the bakery be at the tent for 9:00AM

Prayer List

Parishioners:	Friends of the Parish:
Steve Datsko	Martha Charron
Michael Lutak	Ken Urgolites
Helen Yendzik	Lisa Callihan

Parish News

Catechism Classes - Catechism classes will begin on October 5th at 6:30PM.

Weekday Liturgy - Weekday Liturgy will be on Tuesdays at 6:30PM

Weekly Exercise - Tai Chi exercise will Thursdays at 6:30 to 7:30PM.

This is a low impact form of exercise to help build strength and balance.

All are welcome to participate. It is great for senior citizens. Currently there are 10 people from the area community that attend.

Parish Feast Day Dinner - There will be a cover dish dinner for our parish feast day dinner on October 2nd. All are welcome to join us for lunch.

Weekly Collection - The collection for September 11, 2016 - \$470.00.

Thank you for your generous support of the church.

Prayer List - To add or remove a name from the prayer list, place your request in the collection basket.

Visitations - If you have a relative who is home bound and would like to have Fr. Andriy visit them, please see Fr. Andriy.

Upcoming Events

September 24 - Potato Fest

October 1 - Parish Feast Day

October 9 - 90th Anniversary Celebration

December 4 - 46th Visit of St. Nicholas

January 1 - Parish Christmas Dinner

Joke of the Day

Jesus, Moses, and an old man go golfing. The first one to tee off is Moses. He smashes the ball and it is heading right for the water hazard before the green. Moses raises his club, the water parts, and the ball makes it to the green. Jesus gets up to swing, cranks it out, and it is headed for the water hazard. Jesus closes his eyes and prays. The ball skips across the water and lands on the green two feet from the hole. The old man's turn comes and he drives the ball. The ball looks like it is going to drop directly into the water. A fish jumps from the water hazard swallowing the ball, as an eagle drops from the sky, grabbing the fish. As the eagle flies over the green, a bolt of lightning strikes the eagle, making it drop the fish. As the fish hits the green, it spits out the ball and the ball falls into the hole, making a hole in one. Jesus looks at Moses and says, "I really think I'm leaving Dad at home next time!"