

## Christ is Born!

## Glorify Him!



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During this wonderful and most holy day of the Birth of our Lord Jesus, We want to wish you peace and love.

We celebrate Christmas every year, even though the event happened over two thousand years ago. The reason for it is to remind us what happened so long ago had an impact on humanity for all times. God became like us to show how precious we really are and tell us how we can get to God, by believing in Jesus.

We hope that you let this Jesus be born in your heart today, so you could experience His love and grace in your life and see how your life could be so much better than a life without Him.

Amen.

Fr. Andriy  
Fr. Tony

Fr. Deacon Anthony  
Fr. Deacon Chris

### Flower Donations for Christmas 2023

Steve and Millie Deskevich  
Margaret Reighard

The Ott Family in memory of Mr. & Mrs. John Olexo and Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Ott  
The Powell Family in memory of Bernard Kordish, Richard and Tim Powell



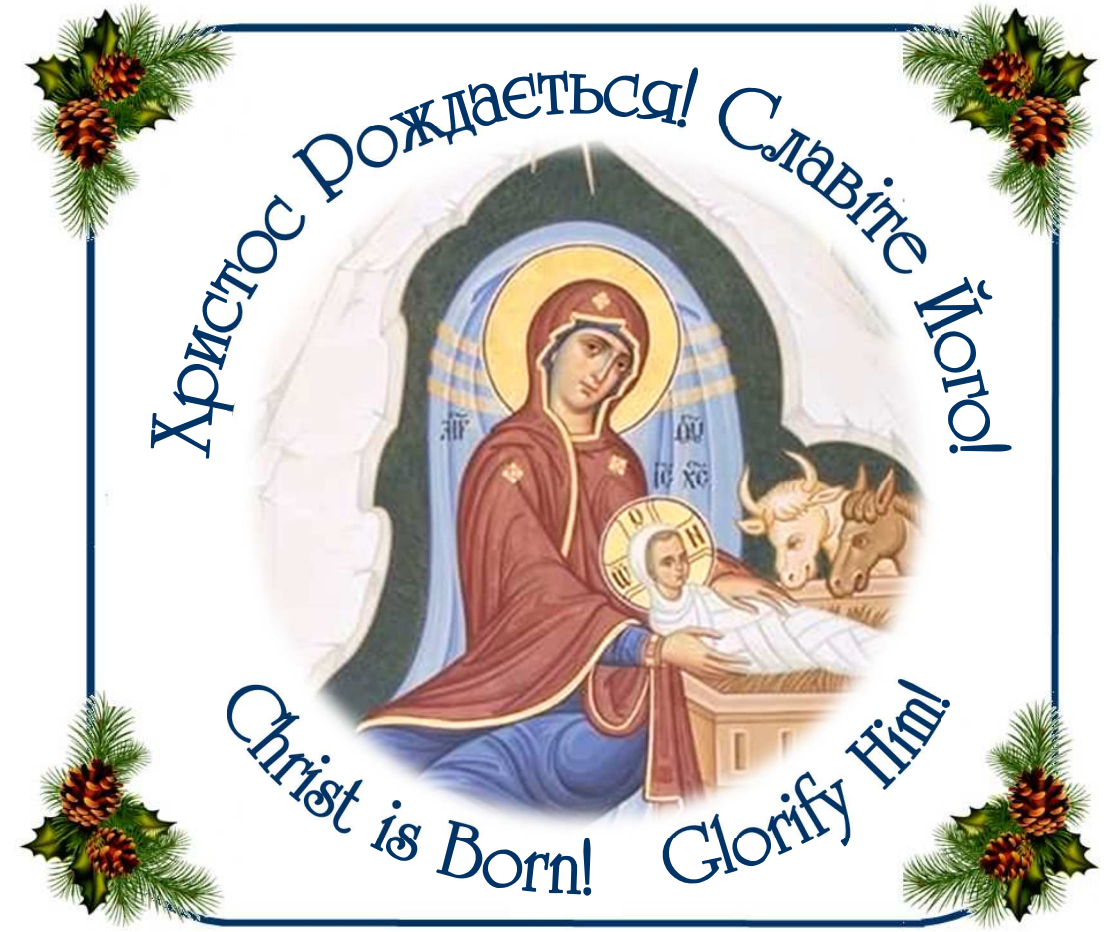
Rev. Fr Andriy Kelt, Pastor  
Very Rev. Fr. Anthony Balistreri  
Fr. Deacon Christopher Bellock  
Fr. Deacon Anthony Dragani, PhD.  
814.948.9193

Anyone wishing to be a member of the parish, contact Fr. Andriy

Immaculate Conception -  
St. Mary's  
Ukrainian Catholic Church  
3711 Campbell Avenue  
Northern Cambria, PA 15714

Holy Protection of the Mother of God  
Ukrainian Catholic Church  
560 Cambria Avenue  
PO Box 194  
Revloc, PA 15948-0194

Immaculate Conception -  
St. Mary's  
Ukrainian Catholic Church  
2024 20th Street  
Altoona, PA 16601



Your Nativity, O Christ our God,  
made the light of knowledge dawn on the world:  
Through it, those who worshipped the stars  
were taught by a star to worship You,  
the Sun of Righteousness, and to know You,  
the Dawn from on high. Glory to You, O Lord.



# Welcome to our Parish

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Хиртос Рождаеться! Славите Його!

Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week		
<b>Sunday, Dec 24</b>	Sunday of the Holy Fathers	
<b>Dec 25</b>	Birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ	10:00AM
<b>Dec 26</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>Dec 27</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>Dec 28</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>Dec 29</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>Dec 30</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>Sunday, Dec 31</b>	Circumcision of our Lord Feast St. Basil the Great	✠ Charles Lutak from Stephen Lutak

***NO Fasting until January 14, 2023***

## Up-coming Events:

January 7 - 11:00AM Blessing of Water  
Annual Christmas Dinner following Liturgy - please bring a dessert.  
Sign-up in the vestibule.  
January 14 - Blessing of houses

## PARISH NEWS

**Weekly Collection** - December 17, 2023 - \$249.00. Thank you for your generosity.

**Relief for Ukraine** - Amount collected to date \$6,483.00.

**Saturdays with Jesus** - Catechism classes will be January 13th

Adults 10:00-12:00 and Children 2:00-3:30.

**Blessing of Water** - Water will be blessed on Sunday, January 7 following the Divine Liturgy

**Blessing Homes** - Father Andriy will bless homes in the Ebensburg/Cambria and Jackson Twp Areas on January 14 following the Sunday Liturgy.

Please see Father Andriy if you would like to schedule a different day or if you live in another area and would like him to come and bless your house.

## Prayer List

**Parishioners:** Millie & Steve Deskevich, Connie Butkus, Kathy Ott, Sarah Kelt, Gary Maurer, the Lutak family, Jeremiah Hunt, Margaret Reighard.

**Friends of the Parish:** Jennifer Maurer, Breanna Borlie, Tom and Kris, Richard Shonk, Ryder McDermitt, Steve Helsel, Patricia Dragani, Eugene, Kevin Rogers, Darla Tishok, the Williams family, Patty Hunt, Kevin Blem, Linda Kusmierski. *To add or remove a name, place your request in the collection basket.*

## Joke of the Day



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"Putting Baby Jesus in swaddling clothes was the first Christmas present wrapping."



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"Joy to the world, the Lord has gum ..."

## Pray for Peace in Ukraine