

Prayer List

Parishioners: Millie & Steve Deskevich, Connie Butkus, Kathy Ott, Sarah Kelt, Gary Maurer, Jeremiah Hunt, Margaret Reighard, Mary Catherine Hoover.

Friends of the Parish: Jennifer Maurer, Breanna Borlie, Tom and Kris, Joe Gomes, Richard Shonk, Ryder McDermitt, Steve Helsel, Patricia Dragani, Eugene, Sonya Kohan, Kevin Rogers, Darla Tishok, the Williams family, Patty Hunt, Kevin Blem, Pat Bodenski.

To add or remove a name, place your request in the collection basket.

Our Weekly Bulletin

100th Anniversary Celebration

Mark your calendars

October 4, 2026


Bishop Bohdan has confirmed the date that he will be with us to celebrate the 100 years of the founding of our parish.

721 days or 103 weeks

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory forever!
Christ is among us! He is and always will be!



Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week

Sunday, Oct 13	21st Sunday after Pentecost Sunday of the 7th Ecumenical Council	✠ Charles Lutak from Goldie Parnell
Oct 14	No Liturgy	
Oct 15	No Liturgy	
Oct 16	No Liturgy	
Oct 17	No Liturgy	
Oct 18	No Liturgy	
Oct 19	No Liturgy	
Sunday, Oct 20	22nd Sunday after Pentecost	✠ John and Anna Berezansky

Elements of the Liturgy

Stichera

In the Byzantine Rite, psalms are sometimes sung with short hymns called stichera, which provide an explicitly Christian "counterpoint" to the psalm verses. Stichera are usually sung in alternation with psalm verses, and can point out the deeper meanings in the psalms, or adapt them to the particular service or feast being celebrated.

Readings

Along with the Psalms, we listen to the other books of Scripture in our services. The books of Sacred Scripture are read for instruction and edification; as Saint Jerome said, "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ." The Church prescribes specific readings for each celebration of the Divine Liturgy, as well as at other services throughout the year. But just as the psalms are accompanied by stichera, the Scripture readings are accompanied by short hymns which introduce the Scripture readings for a particular service or feast, and prepare us to listen attentively. These introductions consist of the Prokeimenon which introduces readings from the Old Testament and the apostolic writings of the New Testament, and the Alleluia which introduces the reading of the Holy Gospel. The prokeimenon and its verses, and the verses sung after the Alleluia, are almost always taken from the Book of Psalms. In monasteries, a small number of other sorts of readings, such as the lives of the saints, may also be read in connection with the liturgy.

Know Your Church . . .



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

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If you are looking for a closer relationship with Jesus Christ and are looking for a home, you are welcome to be part of our kid friendly family in Christ. You have found your way home.

**20th Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday of the 7th Ecumenical Council**

Galatians 2:16-20

Luke 8:5-15

Troparion (Tone 4)

When the disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the glorious news of the resurrection and cast off the ancestral condemnation, they proudly told the apostles: "Death has been plundered! Christ our God is risen, granting to the world great mercy."

Troparion of the Fathers (Tone 8)

Christ our God, You are glorified above all, You established our fathers as beacons on the earth and through them guided all of us to the true faith. Glory to You, most compassionate Lord.

Kondakion of the Fathers (Tone 6)

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and for ever and ever. Amen.

The Son who ineffably shone from the Father was born two-fold of nature from a woman. Beholding Him, we do not reject the image of His form; but depicting it, we revere it faithfully. Therefore the Church, holding the true faith, kisses the icon of Christ's becoming man.

Prokeimen (Tone 4)

Blessed are You, Lord God of our Fathers,
and praised and glorified is Your Name forever.

Verse: For You are righteous in everything that You have done to us.

Blessed are You, Lord God of our Fathers,
and praised and glorified is Your Name forever.

Alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

The God of gods, the Lord, spoke and summoned the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting..

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Gather to Him His devout ones, who with sacrifice make covenant with Him.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Communion Verse

Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest.

Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the righteous. Alleluia (3)

Weekly Collection - October 6, 2024 - \$820.00.

Thank you for your generosity.

Sunday - \$775.00 Holy Day - \$5.00 Candles - \$5.00

Misc - \$5.00 Dues - \$30.00

PARISH NEWS

Saturdays with Jesus - Saturdays with Jesus will resume on November 11, 2024

Adults 10 to 12 Children 1:30– 3:00

2024 Classes will be on 11/9, & 12/14. 2025 schedule is in the vestibule.

Saturdays with Jesus is a catechism program for adults and children.

Come and check out the class, The classes are based on questions the people have about the Church and faith.

2025 Envelopes - Anyone wishing to have envelopes who currently do not have, please see Fr. Deacon Chris to be added to the list for 2025.

Happy 3rd Anniversary to Tom and Julia

May God grant them good health, long life and many happy years!

Многая і благая літа!

Up Coming Events:

Great Vespers - Great Vespers will be prayed for the Feast of the St. Michael - November 7 at 6:00PM in Northern Cambria

Saturdays with Jesus - October 12 - Adults 10 to 12 Kids 1:30 to 3

St. Nicholas Visit - Sunday, December 1 (Covered Dish)

Joke of the Day

A man, his wife, and his mother-in-law went on vacation to the Holy Land. While they were there, the mother-in-law passed away. The undertaker told them, "You can have her shipped home for \$5,000, or you can bury her here in the Holy Land for \$150.00." The man thought about it and told him he would just have her shipped home. The undertaker asked, "Why would you spend \$5,000 to ship your mother-in-law home, when it would be wonderful to have her buried here and spend only \$150.00?" The man replied, "A man died here 2,000 years ago, was buried here, and three days later he rose from the dead. I just can't take that chance."