

FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST
SUNDAY OF ST. MARY OF EGYPT



Icon of Raising Lazarus from the Dead

Divine Liturgy Guide

Sunday, March 18, 2018

Fifth Sunday of Great Fast

SAT. MARCH 17: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy + Anna Tutka by Carl Cotteric

SUN MARCH 18: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Fifth Sunday of Great Fast

MON. MARCH 19: 9:30 a.m. Akafist to the Passion of Christ and Panahyda

TUE. MARCH 20: Venerable Fathers of St. Sabbas Monestary READ Proverbs 21:3-21

WED. MARCH 21: 6:30 p.m. Presanctified Liturgy

THU. MARCH 22: Basil of Ancyra Priest Martyr READ Proverbs 21:15-24:5

FRI. MARCH 23: 9:00 a.m. Typika and Panahyda

SAT. MARCH 24: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy +Paraskevia Tutka by Peter and Katie Tutka

SUN MARCH 25: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Palm Sunday Annunciation of the Theotokos

Collection Basket



March 3 & 4 \$2091

March 10 & 11 \$2058

We thank last week counters:

Dave Pedley and Linda Gerrity

Next in Line

Mike Trusz & Olenka Chandoha-Knott

Happy Birthday!

MARCH 17-23

Stanley Krupinski - Mar. 17

David Pedley - Mar. 20

Ashley Tucker - Mar. 23

With joy we keep the holy Fast.
And gather on the Lord's own Day.
That through his word and Sacrament,
We may give thanks to Christ, the Way.

Now is the time acceptable!
Today the day, the day our Savior calls!
Let us cast off the weight of sin.
And rise again from evil's falls.

No soul so sick you cannot save,
No life so foul You cannot cleanse;
As with Saint Mary, turn us round,
And give us grace to work amends.

Announcements

1. HOLY WEEK AND BRIGHT WEEK SCHEDULE

- Saturday, March 24- 4:00 PM Divine Liturgy
- Palm Sunday, March 25- 10:30 AM Divine Liturgy
- Holy Monday, March 26- 6:00 PM Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.
- Holy Wednesday, March 28 -6:00 PM Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
- Holy Thursday, March 29- 6:00 PM Passion Matins- Twelve Gospels.
- Good Friday, March 30 -12 noon Service
- Holy Saturday, March 31- 7:00 PM Service of Our Lord's Resurrection
- Pascha Sunday, April 1- 10:30 Resurrection of Our Lord Pascha Divine Liturgy
- Bright Monday, April 2 -10:00 AM Divine Liturgy
- Bright Tuesday, April 3 -10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

2. DEEPEST CONDOLENCES

Deepest condolences from our parish family go out to Steven (Donna & Emma) Pace and family on the sudden death of his brother, Jeffrey. May his memory be eternal!

Announcements

3. NEW TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 2018

- APRIL 1 - EASTER
- APRIL 15 – EASTER DINNER
- MAY 6 - BARVINOK UKRAINIAN DANCERS
- MAY 13 – FIRST SOLEMN COMMUNION
- MAY 19 – BUS TRIP TO NYC
- AUGUST 12 - BUS TRIP TO DORMITION PILGRIMAGE, SLOATSBURG, NY

4. UKRAINIAN FOLK DANCE

- **WHAT:** St Vladimir Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church is pleased to announce the formation of its own Ukrainian Folk Dance Group.
- **WHO:** All children age 5 and above are welcome to join.

The dance group will be under the direction of Dr. Walter Dobushak, who was the musical director for Roma Prima-Bohachevsky at Soyuzivka and later on at the Holy Trinity Catholic Church Ukrainian dance group in Kerhonkson New York. Valerie and Nadiya Dobushak will be instructing and choreographing dance routines at practice

5. WYOMING VALLEY STATIONS OF THE CROSS SCHEDULE

- Sundays during Lent: 4:00pm
 - Mar. 18 Edwardsville, St. Vladimir's, Fr. Wolensky
- Confessions 3:30pm. Rosary 3:45pm.
- Reception and Fellowship to Follow. Everyone is Invited.

6. REMINDER

- Parish Website - <http://stvladimirscranton.org/>
- Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/StVladimirUkrainianGreekCatholicChurch>

7. BUS TRIP

Heads Up - Only 10 of the 55 seats on the chartered Martz bus are available for the May 19 trip to the 911 Memorial Museum and St. George Ukrainian Street Festival in New York City. Don't be disappointed by waiting, contact Dave Pietryka at 570 954-8517 to make your reservation.

Announcements

8. COLLECTION FOR WINTER HEATING FOR UKRAINIAN ORPHANS NOW OVER \$700!

St. Vladimir's Lenten collection drive for Ukrainian Orphans Heating Costs has topped the \$700 mark thus far. Heating Costs in Ukraine have skyrocketed this season. Please help by depositing your donation into the special canister located on the Tetrapod in the front of the church. You can also mail your contribution to the Rectory. Sister and the Orphans would greatly appreciate your help. Thank You to Our Parishioners and friends.

9. BARVINOK" UKRAINIAN DANCE ENSEMBLE

Scranton's St. Vladimir Ukrainian Greek Catholic parish is sponsoring a performance by the Ukrainian Folkdance group "Barvinok" [Periwinkle in Ukrainian] on Sunday, May 6, 2018 at 4:00pm at its parish center 428 North Seventh Avenue. The highly acclaimed dance group which hails from the Metropolitan New Jersey/New York City area has appeared in numerous venues on the East Coast and in Ukraine where they took first place in an international folk dance competition. Under the direction of Mr. Gregory Momot, the troupe performs traditional dances from various regions of Ukraine while attired in colorful embroidered costumes. Mr. Momot was trained at the Kyiv Cultural University and danced with the world reknowned Virsky Ukrainian National Dance Company. His energetic and intricate choreography along with beautiful regional costumes bring alive the electrifying spirit of Ukrainian dance. Tickets are \$10.00 in advance - \$12.00 at the door and can be purchased by contacting Kristen Waznak at 570 241-1223.

10. FISH DINNER IN OLYPHANT THIS FRIDAY

Fr. Nestor Iwasiw and Parishioners of Ss. Cyril and Methodius Ukrainian Catholic Church in Olyphant invite everyone to their annual Baked Haddock Fish Dinner this Friday, March 1 23rd, from 5:00pm-7:00pm at the Regai Room in Olyphant. Dinner includes Baked Haddock, Potato, Vegetable, Roll and Dessert. Tickets are \$13.00. Eat In or Take Out. For Reservations call: 570-383-9487.



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PLEASE PRAY FOR

Please include in your prayers those members of our parish who are in hospitals, care homes, rehabilitation facilities & those who are not able to join us actively in our church community.

Mid-Valley Nursing Home

Mary Wasylyniak

Linwood Nursing Home

Dolores Zapotochny

Mountain View

Sylvester Cybroski

Lackawanna Health Care Center

Antonietta Kohut

Home

Kay Futrago

Stanley Krupinski

John Monsul

Stella Patrick

Ceil Harrison

John Knott

Home

Walter Tucker, Jr.

Mary Tucker

Ronald Kozak

Kathleen Izak

Sharon Selwocki

Ann Cosminski

Walter Skula

Doris Romancho

Mary Warholak

Dorothy Kowalchick

Irene Slagan

Michael McConnell

Olga Trusz

VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning March 17 2018

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| 1 | Hanging Eternal Lamp
\$10 | By: Marlene Laskowski
For: Birthday Blessings for Olivia Lyden |
| 2 | 2 Altar Vigil Candles
\$10 | By: Jean Pedley
For: Birthday Blessings for David Pedley |
| 3 | Proskomedia Candles
\$10 | By: Fr. Myron and the Faithful of St. Vladimir's Church
For: +Souls In Purgatory |
| 4 | 2 Tetrapod Candles
\$10 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Health and God's Blessings for Adam Ruane |
| 5 | Jesus Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Regina Kozel
For : Health of Ihor Shablovsky |
| 6 | Mary Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Nadia Biloskirka
For: I.M.O. +Nicholas Biloskirka |
| 7 | St. Nicholas
\$5 | By: Sharmayne Tucker
For: Health & God's Blessings for Walter Tucker, Jr |
| 8 | St. Vladimir Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Marlene Laskowski
For: I.M.O. +Joseph E. Laskowski, Sr. |
| 9 | Jesus Entrance Vigil
\$5 | By: Stella Patrick
For: Health and God's Blessings for Stephen Patrick |
| 10 | Mary Entrance Vigil
\$5 | By: Walter Skula
For: I.M.O. +Dorothy Skula |
| 11 | Mother of God Statue
\$10 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For : Health of Father Mark Fesniak |
| 12 | Altar 7 branch Saturday
\$5 | By: Annette, Helen, Jean and Angela - nieces
For : I.M.O. +Patrick Pagnotti – birthday remembrance |
| 13 | Altar 7 branch Sunday
\$5 | By: Aunt Helen
For : God's Blessings upon Cara and James |
| 14 | Blessed Mother (side altar)
\$5 | By: Sharon Volpe
For : I.M.O. +John Balish |
| 15 | Jesus (side altar)
\$5 | By: Helen, Sister
For : I.M.O. +Zenovy George Izak |

CONFESSION

For anyone that would like to receive the holy sacrament of confession you can let Father Myron know and set up a time either before or after Liturgy from Tuesday through Saturday.

SAINT VLADIMIR

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REVEREND MYRON MYRONYUK, PASTOR Email: myronyukm@yahoo.com

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever! Slava Isusu Christu! Slava Na Viky!

Divine Liturgies: Saturday 4 p.m., Sunday 10:30 a.m.,

Holy Days & Weekdays see bulletin

OUR MISSION PARISH: Saints Peter & Paul, 47 Rittenhouse Street, Simpson,
Pennsylvania

Sick calls / Communion calls / Home visits/ Emergencies: call parish office.

Conventional Wisdom and the Lord's

Listen, friend, it's a dog-eat-dog world out there. You've got to do it to them before they do it to you.

But it cannot be like that with you ...

Always remember the golden rule: those who have the gold, make the rules.

But it cannot be like that with you ...

Remember: Never get mad. Get even.

But it cannot be like that with you ...

Take my advice, kid - Don't make waves. You've got to go along to get along. Keep your eyes open and your mouth shut.

But it cannot be like that with you ...

Charity is fine, but business is business. Always, always, always buy low and sell high.

But it cannot be like that with you ...

The drug users and the city scum - they deserve what happens to them. We work hard for what we've got - nobody is doing us any favors. Let them do the same. It can be done. Hey, look: You got to take care of your own.

But it cannot be like that with you ...

Jesus' admonition is almost a pleading: If you really understand Me and what I am about, if you really want to be My disciple, if you really seek to be worthy of My name, then you must see the world differently and respond to its challenges with a very different set of values. The world may try to justify vengeance rather than forgiveness, to glorify self-preservation over selflessness, to insist on preserving the system and convention for the sake of compassion and justice.

But it cannot be like that with you.