

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS



Icon of Saints Simeon and Anna -- February 3rd

Divine Liturgy Guide

Sunday, February 3, 2019

Sunday of Zacchaeus

SAT FEBRUARY 2: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy Encouter of Our Lord with Simeon
+Joseph & Ann Tutka by Carol Tutka

SUN FEBRUARY 3: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Gods blessings for His People

MON. FEBRUARY 4: Isidore Venerable READ Mark 12:13-17

TUE. FEBRUARY 5: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Leo & Stephina Michalak by Legacy offering

WED. FEBRUARY 6: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's healing & Blessing for Banick Family
by Friends

THU. FEBRUARY 7: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy +Mary & Harry Krenitsky by Legacy offering

FRI. FEBRUARY 8: 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy God's healing & blessing for Hryhorshuk Family

SAT FEBRUARY 9: 4:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy God's healing & blessing for Michael Stec

SUN FEBRUARY 3: 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy Gods blessings for His People
Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee

Collection Basket



Jan 26 & 27 \$1352

We thank last week counters:

Paul Ewasko & Pat Waznak

Next in Line:

Helen Pietryka & Dorothy Kowalchick

Happy Birthday!

Birthdays February 2 - 8

Gianna Volpe - Feb. 3

Sean Brennan - Feb. 7

John Tutka - Feb. 7

SAVE THE DATES PARISH TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR 2018-2019

- JAN 26 - PYROHY
- FEB 24 - PRELENTEN DINNER
- MARCH 4 - BEGINS GREAT FAST (LENT)
- MARCH 9 - PYROHY
- APRIL 6 - PYROHY
- MAY 5 – EASTER DINNER
- MAY 18 - FIRST PENANCE
- MAY 19
 - FIRST SOLEMN COMMUNION
 - LAST DAY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
 - LAST SOCIAL

Announcements

1. PRELENTEN PORK AND SAUERKRAUT DINNER

Father Myron Myronyuk and his parish family of Scranton's St. Vladimir Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church cordially invite you to join us for our annual Pre-Lenten pork and sauerkraut/kapusta dinner on Sunday, February 24, 2019, beginning at 12:15pm at St. Vladimir Parish Center, Menu: slow roasted pork loin, gravy, Ukrainian kapusta (sweet and sour cabbage), mashed potatoes, vegetable, bread and rolls, dessert, coffee, tea, beverages. Adults \$13.00; Students \$8.00 (age 6-12); Age 5 and under free. Musical entertainment will be provided by the delightful Ihor and Regina Duo. Advance reservations for both sit-down and take-out are required and can be made with Maria Black at 570 503-1514 before Tuesday, February 19th. Take-outs available at 11:30a.m. but no later than 12 noon. Door prizes will be awarded along with a 50/50 drawing.

2. INSURANCE COLLECTION DONATIONS TOTAL OVER \$200!

Last month's Collection toward our Insurance Costs totaled \$265. Thank you to everyone who donated as this helps defray our Insurance Expense. The next Insurance Collection is scheduled for February 17th.

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3. TAKING DOWN OF CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS
Help will be needed this Sunday, February 3rd after Divine Liturgy to take down and store our Christmas Decorations. Thank you to those who can stay and help.
4. BLESSING OF CANDLES THIS WEEKEND
The Presentation of Our Lord Solemn Holy Day is this Saturday, February 2nd. Divine Liturgy will be held at the usual time of 4:00pm. The traditional Blessing of Candles will take place following both Saturday & Sunday Divine Liturgies. If you would like a Blessed Candle for your home, you may pick one up in the front of the church at the conclusion of Liturgy. A donation will be appreciated.
5. UPCOMING LUC MEETING
The North Anthracite Council of the League of Ukrainian Catholics will meet on Thursday, February 28, 2019 at 5:00pm at Grotto Pizza, 36 Gateway Shopping Center, Edwardsville. Discussion will focus on the National Board structure, the upcoming Lenten Retreat, May bus trip to New York City and 2019 meeting schedule.
6. SPECIAL THANKS TO POTATO PEELERS
St. Vladimir's would like to thank our Potato Peeling team which was shorthanded last week but still managed to peel 300 lbs. of Potatoes and 30 lbs. of Onions for our Pyrohy Sale. Thank you to Stella, Paul, Helen, John, Irish Mike and Candle Mike for staying longer to get the job done. The next meeting of the Potato Peeling team is scheduled for March 8th. Come join our team.
7. UKRAINIAN HERITAGE DAY AT THE 76ERS
For the First time ever at an NBA Game, the Voloshky Dance Ensemble will perform at the Philadelphia 76ers game on Saturday, February 23rd as part of Ukrainian Heritage Day at the 76ers. The primary aim of the Dance group is to educate the Ukrainian community and the General Public about the art of Ukrainian Dancing and the Culture of the Ukrainian people. The 76ers will be playing Portland that afternoon beginning at 1:00pm.
8. DIVINE LITURGY REQUESTS BEING ACCEPTED
Divine Liturgy requests are now being accepted for 2019. Liturgies are available Mondays through Saturdays. Please fill out a request form (pink sheet) located in the back of the Church and drop it into the collection basket or give it to Fr. Myron

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9. WEEKLY VIGIL CANDLES AVAILABLE FOR SPONSORSHIP

Honor a loved one by sponsoring a Vigil Candle which will be lit for them for an entire week. These 7-day candles are available with your special intention starting at only \$5. Contact Helen Pagnotti to reserve yours today.

10. UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC NATIONAL SHRINE COOKBOOK

The Ukrainian Catholic National Shrine of the Holy Family in Washington, D.C. proudly presents "Our Favorite Recipes" a cookbook of the most delectable dishes you'll find anywhere; perfect for hosting any occasion. Order now for Just \$18 (includes shipping & handling). To order, kindly send an email to ucnsholyfamily@gmail.com for instructions on how to submit payment and receive yours today. Smachnoho!

11. UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH PILGRIMAGE TO UKRAINE

A 12-day Pilgrimage to Ukraine, "Footsteps of the Underground Church" will take place this summer from June 30th-July 12th. This Pilgrimage will be hosted by Rev. Andriy Dudkevych and Rev. Ivan Demkiv. For more information contact St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church at 973-471-9727 or stnicholasucc@gmail.com.

12. ST. MARY'S SCRANTON - VALENTINE DINNER

St. Mary's Scranton - Valentine Dinner: February 14, 6PM Seating. \$20. St. Mary's Center, 320 Mifflin Ave. Italian Cuisine. Menu: Insalata Italiana Fresca (Fresh Salad of Mixed greens, Roma tomatoes with Italian garden dressing); Minestra Di Cerimonia Nuziale Italiana (Homemade Italian Wedding Soup); Pollo Cacciatore (Chicken Cacciatore over Fettucine); Riso Italiano Verdure (Italian Rice with Vegetables); Torta alla Fragola (Special Valentine Strawberry Shortcake). Coffee, Tea, Water and Soda included. Cash bar available Reserve by end of day February 11. 570-343-5151.

13. SUNDAY SOCIAL SPONSORS NEEDED

As we go forward into 2019, we are in need of sponsors for our Sunday Social. What a wonderful way to honor a loved one or celebrate a special occasion! By providing the means to feed your fellow parishioners, friends, and guests. A Platinum Sponsorship is \$100, although any donations are greatly appreciated. See Mark to reserve your date today and help us keep this worthy program going.



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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 Wasyloniak

Linwood Nursing Home

Dolores Zapotochny

Mountain View

Sylvester Cybroski

Nadia Biloskirka

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

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Mary Warholak

Dorothy Kowalchick

Irene Slagan

Michael McConnell

Olga Trusz

Michael Stec

Kristen Pietryka

VIGIL CANDLE SPONSORS: week beginning Feb 2, 2019

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| 1 | Hanging Eternal Lamp
\$10 | By: Harry, Doris, Greg and Matthew Romancho
For: I.M.O. +Wasyli, +Catherine and +William Romancho |
| 2 | 2 Altar Vigil Candles
\$10 | By: Olenka and John Knott
For: Birthday Blessings for Helen Chandoha |
| 3 | Proskomedija Candles
\$10 | By: Fr. Myron and Faithful of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Remembrance of the Holocaust |
| 4 | 2 Tetrapod Candles
\$10 | By: Pat, Frank and Kristen Waznak
For: I.M.O. +Lovie Kenjerski |
| 5 | Jesus Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Sophie Soniak
For: Anniversary Blessings for Michael and Claudia Soniak |
| 6 | Mary Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Nadia Biloskirka
For: I.M.O. +Nicholas Biloskirka |
| 7 | St. Nicholas
\$5 | By: Marlene Laskowski
For: I.M.O. +Joseph E. Laskowski, Sr. |
| 8 | St. Vladimir Vigil at Iconostas
\$5 | By: Sharmayne Tucker
For: Health & God's Blessings for Walter Tucker, Jr. |
| 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: Servants of God
For: Commemoration – Presentation of the Lord |
| 12 | Altar 7 branch Saturday
\$5 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Health and God's Blessings for Margaret Brewinskii |
| 13 | Altar 7 branch Sunday
\$5 | By: Parish Family of St. Vladimir's Church
For: Health and God's Blessings for Olga Nolan |
| 14 | Blessed Mother (side altar)
\$5 | By: Paul and Helen Ewasko
For: I.M.O. +Jean Bosco |
| 15 | Jesus (side altar)
\$5 | By: Regina Kozel
For: Health and God's Blessings for Ihor Shablovsky |

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.

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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.

Playing Dress-Up?

On Halloween we have the opportunity to enjoy and chuckle at children dressed up so innocently in their costumes. Without any hesitation most of them go eagerly from door to door. As adults, most of us would be too self-conscious; we don't like to think that people might be laughing at us.

Zacchaeus played dress-up his whole life, trying to be somebody he wasn't and not admitting what he really was - a small-in-stature, overdressed cheat. He chose to ignore the laughter he heard behind his back.

Yet it is to Zacchaeus' house that Jesus chooses to go. Jesus, surrounded by a crowd, looks up and sees Zacchaeus sitting ridiculously in

a sycamore tree. But Jesus doesn't laugh. Instead He invites himself to dinner.

And what happens there? Zacchaeus becomes a changed person. He finds his real self. He takes off his costume. He admits to being a cheat. He makes reparation by giving half to the poor and returning fourfold to those he has extorted. For that the gift of salvation becomes his.

We should ask ourselves what costumes we need to take off, how we can respond to Jesus' wanting to come into our lives and hearts. We need to start now, for Saint Paul says that the day of the Lord is at hand.