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Shrist is Rorn! Glorify Him!

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Nativity of Christ 2019

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# Morry Shristmas and Happy New Year!

To friends and visitors who worship with us today,

A sincere welcome is extended and we cordially

Invite you to attend all the services of this church.

To all who worship here, this is the House of God.

Leave it not without a prayer for yourself, your

Congregation and for those who minister.

Sunday, January 13, 2019

READINGS



Gal. 1:11-19; Heb. 7:26-8:2

Mathew 2:13-23: John 10:9-16





# Sunday after Nativity and before Theophany 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost



Schedule of Altar Boys for Sunday, January 20th:

**English Divine Liturgy: Group #1** – Jake Widmor, Tyler Widmor.

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Schedule of Ushers for Sunday, January 20th:

**English Divine Liturgy: Group #4** – Mrs. Donna Tuck, Ms. Mary Pavlyshyn.

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## <u>Calendar of Events for the week of January 13th:</u>

Sunday (Today) - Jr. UOL Coffee Hour Following Both Liturgies

- 2:00 p.m., Caroling in Ukrainian Village (See Separate Flier)

Monday - 9:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy, Feast of the Naming of Jesus Christ,

Feast of St. Basil the Great, Julian Calendar New Year

4:30 p.m., Art classes

Tuesday - 7:00 p.m., Monthly Board of Trustees meeting

Wednesday - 8:30 a.m., Moleben for sick parishioners

- 5:00 p.m., Bandura School, Ukrainian Dance School, Art classes

6:00-8:00 p.m., Library hours

Friday - Eve of Theophany (Strict Fast Day)

- 9:00 a.m., Great Blessing of Water

6:00 p.m., Great Compline (See Separate Announcement)

Saturday - Feast of Theophany

- 9:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy, Blessing of Water & Ice Cross

- 9:00 a.m., Ukrainian School

- 9:00 a.m.- 12:30 p.m., Library hours

No Vespers

Sunday - 8:30 a.m., English Divine Liturgy

- Sr. UOL Breakfast at Fast Eddies (See Separate Announcement)

- 10:15 a.m., Ukrainian Divine Liturgy

- Jr. UOL Coffee Hour Following Both Liturgies

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Patron Saint's Day and to all women named Melania (Melanie) on their Patron Saint's day today. Mnohaya Lita!

#### **Attention Choir Members:**

Our parish choirs are requested to sing at both the Friday evening Compline service at 6:00 p.m. and the Theophany Liturgy on Saturday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m.

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Thanks to our UOL Chapter members and parishioners for preparing and serving the delicious Holy Supper on Christmas Eve, Sunday, January 6<sup>th</sup>. It was beautiful hearing young and old sing carols. A very special thank you goes out to Mrs. Tamara Host, who served as chairperson. Tamara put in several full days at the parish center working to prepare for this event. We thank all volunteers who helped in preparing the dinner. This year was the 35<sup>th</sup> year that the U.O.L. sponsored this Holy Supper.

#### THANK YOU! GOD BLESS YOU!

- ~To Protodeacon Ihor for, as always, serving all services with much love and devotion.
- ~To our choir director Markian Komichak for his love and dedication in preparing the choir for the Christmas Holy Days.
- ~To all choir members and readers for the beautiful and uplifting services served on Sunday and Monday. Truly, we are blessed to have a beautiful choir and young people who so joyfully read on Christmas Eve.
- ~To our dedicated Altar Servers. It is wonderful to know they did not go to school on Monday in order to celebrate our Savior's birth.
- ~To the parents of our Altar Servers and parish children who made the decision to have their children attend Liturgy on Monday.
- ~To college students Jonanthan Greaves and Orest Mahlay who assisted our clergy during the Christmas Liturgy and directed the younger boys. It was truly appreciated.
- ~To our ushers and greeters for keeping order during the services.
- ~To all who made donations to the parish on the occasion of Christmas. This demonstrates your support for the financial stability of our parish.

The beauty of our services, enhanced by the choir, altar servers, and the decorations in the church, is truly uplifting and adds to the glory of the celebration of Christ's Birth. May God bless you all for your love and dedication to His Holy Church and be assured always of our love and appreciation by your clergy.

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Please remember that, because of the joy of the Nativity, there is NO kneeling in church from January 7th until Epiphany, January 19th, following the Liturgy.

Please remember our sick and elderly parishioners in your prayers. Also, the clergy request that they be notified when parishioners are admitted to and/or discharged from the hospital and transferred to a nursing home and if a home visit is desired.

#### **IN REMEMBERANCE**

Every time I visit one of my numerous doctors who are specialists in a particular field of medicine I am asked who is my primary care physician. I always tell them I have none. They then ask "why?." I tell them my doctor died and tell him his name. When I mention this they then always say "he was a wonderful and kind person." When I mentioned this to one nurse she smiled and said "I did not know him but heard many good things about him." I write these words because last Tuesday, January 8th, was 2 years since Dr. Gleb Moysaenko entered into Eternity at the age of 61. I want the family to know that after 2 years, he is still remembered as a great doctor with a kind and compassionate heart at Parma Hospital. His parish clergy also remember him for his love and care for them and their families. May Our loving Lord, the Great Physician of our souls and bodies, grant him eternal rest in His Heavenly Kingdom. Memory Eternal. Vichnaya Pamyat.



~Fr. John

As every year, the words of our beautiful Ukrainian Christmas Carols can be found in the racks in the pews. They are also in English phonetics. Please sing along with the clergy and choirs.

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**Please Note** that, because of the Joy of the Nativity, there is no kneeling during any Christmas services, until after the Liturgy on Theophany, January 19<sup>th</sup>.

Caroling in Our Ukrainian Village

The Ukrainian Village Committee is inviting the Ukrainian Community to the 7th annual Koliada in Ukrainian Village today – January 13 at St. Josaphat's Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral. Koliada festivities begin at 2 PM with Ukrainian crafts for children and adults; 3PM Sing along with church choirs and choral groups; 5 PM Celebrate Julian New Year with Ukraine and Kutya Contest. Bring your family and friends! Event is free and open to the whole community.

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# Come celebrate the Feast of Theophany – "Baptism of Christ" – on Saturday, January 19, 2019.

The Divine Liturgy and Great Blessing of Water will begin at 9:00 a.m., Since the Holy Day falls on a Saturday, parents are encouraged to bring their children for the blessing of water and the ice cross.

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Special birthday greetings go out this week to: Olena Vyhovska and Christina Logvynyuk. Mnohaya Lita! \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Attention U.O.L. Members & Friends

Our chapter is holding a Christmas Brunch for all members and anyone interested next Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, following the first Liturgy, at Fast Eddies at the Shoppes of Parma. For reservations and more information, contact chapter co-presidents Donna Kominko or Melanie Nakonachny.

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The All Saints Camp Boosters, which are sold annually to help raise funds for camp maintenance, are now on sale. They cost \$25.00 each and make great Christmas gifts. Please see Mrs. Mary Ann Sklaryk for more information about this project and to purchase your boosters. Only a limited number of tickets are available. Don't wait too long and be disappointed.

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**W**e thank the City of Parma for once again honoring those who celebrate Christmas according to the Julian calendar by keeping the City Hall decorations lit until January  $\mathcal{I}^{th}$ . You can call Mayor Tim DeGetter's office at City Hall at 440.885.8001 to express your appreciation.

### **FOR SALE**

~Ukrainian Christmas Carols sung by St. Sophia's Seminary Choir. You may purchase for \$15.00 from Protodeacon Ihor.

~2019 Church Almanac's from our Consistory in South Bound Brook, NJ for \$20.00. Obtain a copy from our clergy.

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If you would like a family member to be greeted in the bulletin on the occasion of a birthday or an anniversary, please phone the rectory no later than the Monday before you wish it to appear.



During the Nativity Season, please greet one another with our traditional Orthodox greeting:

Christ is Born! Glorify Him!

Chrystos Rozdayetsya! Slavite Yoho!



Attend Church every Sunday as a Family and unite with Our Lord in Holy Communion.



Church Office Hours: Monday thru Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Office Phone: (440) 886-3223



# ПОРЯДОК ВІДВІДУВАННЯ ВІРНИХ З СВЯЧЕНОЮ ВОДОЮ SCHEDULE OF HOME BLESSING FOR ЕРІРНЯМУ

## 2019

Printed below is the schedule for visitation of parishioners' homes by the parish clergy with Holy Water. If you are not going to be home on the scheduled date, please phone the rectory. Also if, because of bad weather, there is a necessity to cancel that date, a new date will be announced later and the clergy will continue blessing as scheduled.

Please remember that the blessing of one's home is a religious service. Please rise and turn off the radio and/or television. It is also appropriate to have a lit candle on a table and to participate in the services by your presence in the room.



**Я**кщо Вас не буде в дома на той день коли священик має бути у Вас, то просимо повідомити його.

Просимо не забувати, що освячення домів  $\epsilon$  релігійна відправа. Просимо встати і вилучити радіо або телевізор. Також належиться мати на столі засвічену свічку і приймати участь у службі будучи присутніми в кімнаті.

Saturday, January 19<sup>th</sup> - 1:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Parma – Marioncliff Dr., South to

6300 State Rd. Park; Parma – George Street to Brook Park

(north), between West 54th and Broadview.

Monday, January 21st - 9:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Parma, (south); Parma Heights /

**Broadview Road, Pleasant Valley area Postal Zip 44130 &** 

44129.

Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. North Royalton.

Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> - 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Cleveland / Brooklyn Postal Zips

44109, 44144, 44113, 44111, Middleburg Heights, Berea,

**North Olmsted, Fairview Park.** 

Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Seven Hills, Independence, Postal

Zip 44131.

Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Lakewood / Postal Zip 44107,

Cleveland / Postal Zip 44102. Also, some homes in

**Brecksville and Broadview Heights.** 

Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Brecksville, Broadview Heights.

**Please note:** parishioners living in areas outside those listed in the above schedule, those who were missed during their scheduled times, or those who have not had their homes blessed for a number of years and are no longer on the regular visitation schedule and would like it blessed are asked to contact the clergy for a date and time that is convenient for them to have their home blessed. They are more than willing to accommodate your schedules. Just phone the rectories to schedule a visit.

CHRIST IS BAPTIZED! - XPNCTOC XPECTNECA!