

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Rev. Vasyl Vladyka

Sunday, February 17, 2013 • Sunday of Orthodoxy • Tone 5

Apostle: Hebrews 11:24-26, 11:32-12:2 • Gospel: John 1 Verses 43-51

Mass Schedule

Saturday	02/16	5:00 PM	†	Eleanor Pakenham	By M/M S. Torbyn
Sunday	02/17	9:00 AM		For All Our Parishioners	
Monday	02/18	9:00 AM			
Tuesday	02/19	9:00 AM	†	Michael Ilczyszyn	By D. and D. Shatynski
Wednesday	02/20	6:30 PM		Stations of the Cross	
Thursday	02/21	9:00 AM			
Friday	02/22	9:00 AM	†	Sorokousty-Remembrance of the Dead	
Saturday	02/23	5:00 PM	†	Stephen Tkaczyk	By John and Irene Kozak
Sunday	02/24	9:00 AM		For All Our Parishioners	

Please remember in your prayers all those who are homebound, in care facilities or impeded by illness. May our Lord restore them to complete health.



The Great Fast begins Monday, February 11, 2013. During the Great Fast we remember our deceased family members and relatives with the Lenten Service of **Sorokousty**. Please begin to prepare the list of names of those people whom you wish to be remembered. The first **Sorokousty** service will be on Friday, Feb. 15th.

During the Great Fast we will pray the **Stations of the Cross** every Wednesday evening at 6:30PM.

Starting next weekend, Saturday, Feb. 16th at 4:00PM and Sunday, Feb. 17th at 8:00 AM and every weekend throughout the Great Fast, you may have the opportunity to have the Sacrament of Confession.

Fr. Vasyl will be visiting our homebound on Saturday, February 23rd between the hours of 9:00AM and 12:00PM. If you would like Father to visit for confession / communion please call the rectory on (732) 366-2156.

“Church Alive” is the exciting call to women of all parishes to participate in the Women’s Day of Prayer planned for Saturday, March 9, 2013 at the Cathedral Hall, corner of Franklin and Brown Streets, Philadelphia, PA from 9AM - 4PM. Advance registration is encouraged. Cost is \$25 for pre-registration and \$30 at the door. Women under 18 years of age free.

On Saturday, March 16th Rev. Joe Szupa will be here to listen to Confessions.

During the Great Fast the **Knights of Columbus**, Father Carey Council #1280 in Carteret will be hosting their traditional **LENTEN FISH FRY** each Friday night from 4:30PM to 7:30PM at the Knights Hall, 164 High St. Fish, Shrimp or Ravioli Dinners are available and include salad, clam chowder, French fries or rice, cole slaw, cake and coffee/tea. Cost is \$12.00 for adults and \$7.00 for children under 12. The cost is \$1.00 extra for take-out.



How do we receive Confession? There are 5 things we need to do to receive absolution of our sins.

1. **We must think of our sins**: This involves an examination of ourselves. It takes time and effort. We want to see ourselves, not as we appear to others, but as we truly are, and as God sees us.
2. **We must be sorry for our sins**: This is contrition. It means to wish we had not done these sins.
3. **We must confess the sins**: that is, tell them during the sacrament. And we are to confess them all.
4. **We are to arouse a purpose of amendment**: This involves a desire and promise not to sin again.
5. **We do a penance the priest imposes on us during the Sacrament**: This is not to make right the wrong. This can never be done by us. But penance serves to aid us in falling into sins again, and reflects our deep gratitude for God's love.

The doors for forgiveness are always open. We need to come home to Christ and let Him embrace us with His outstretched arms.