## St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015 ● Fourth Sunday After Pentecost ● Tone 3 Apostle: Romans 6 Verses 18-23 ● Gospel: Matthew 8 Verses 5-13

## Mass Schedule

Saturday	06/20	5:00 PM	†	John Oleartchick	By Ellen Schwailik
Sunday	06/21	9:00 AM		For All Our Parishioners	
Monday	06/22	9:00 AM			
Tuesday	06/23	9:00 AM			
Wednesday	06/24	9:00 AM			
Thursday	06/25	9:00 AM			
Friday	06/26	9:00 AM			
Saturday	06/27	5:00 PM	+	Anna Tarnowsky	By Son, Michael Tarnowsky
Sunday	06/28	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.

## **HAPPY FATHER'S DAY**

To our living Fathers, may you be blessed with many Happy Years! Многая Літа! To our deceased Fathers, Eternal Memory! Вічная Память!

Dear Lord,

Thank you for all fathers. Inspire them to raise their children with love and care. Bless all fathers and instill in them the kindness, compassion, patience and strength to always be there for their children.

<u>A special collection</u> will be taken for *Peter's Pence* on June 28<sup>th.</sup> Your generous donation will support the work of the Holy Father.

<u>All are invited</u> to attend a *Ukrainian Cultural Festival* on Saturday, June 27, 2015 from 12:00PM to 9:00PM. Food, vendors, dancing and music. Sponsored by Ukrainian Assumption Church, 684 Alta Vista Place, Perth Amboy, NJ.

<u>Thank you</u> to all who donated clothing to our May Clothing Drive. A donation of \$161.20 was made to our church.

Thank you to Stepan Vladyka for his donation on caulking the front church stairs, removing the dead tree on the side of the church and planting grass seed. This was a savings of \$200.00 to our church. May God grant him many Happy Years! Многая Літа!

<u>Thank you</u> to Andriy Vladyka, Ihor Pavlyk and Stepan Vladyka for donating their time and effort to install piping and baseboard heating that was needed in the sun room of the rectory. This was a savings of \$1,800.00 to our church. May God grant them many Happy Years! Многая Літа!

<u>In the vestibule of the church</u> you will find pamphlets on Blessed Bishop Martyr Mykola Charnetsky, CSsR, his personal testimonies, biography and a prayer to the Blessed Mykola, CSsR.

Two full size mosaics of Venerable Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky and Blessed Josaphata Hordashevska, SSMI will be installed in our Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Philadelphia in Spring 2015. The mosaics will include a reliquary for relics of both Metropolitan Sheptytski and Blessed Josaphata for veneration by all. Our Holy Father, Pope Francis, is to visit Philadelphia in September 2015. He has been invited to include a visit to our Cathedral during his short two day visit. In hopeful anticipation of such a visit, we have commissioned these mosaics for the Holy Father to bless. Please pray for this!

<u>2015 Parish Collection Envelopes</u> and 2015 Calendars are available for pick-up in the church hall. Please check that you are picking up the correct name. If you are new to the parish and would like envelopes, please see Father Vasyl or call the rectory on (732) 366-2156. *Please be sure to check off or clearly write in amount of your donation on the envelope, so that we can maintain accurate records of your donations. Also, please check that you have placed money inside the envelope as we receive a few empty envelopes every week.* 

With the events taking place in Ukraine and Nepal, we offer the following petitions in today's mass to our brothers and sisters:

O good and loving Master, look down with compassion, heal, comfort and protect Your servants who are wounded and suffering in Ukraine, and receive the souls of all those who have lost their lives from the violence, let us pray to

the Lord.

We also pray that the Holy Spirit may open the hearts and minds of all in Ukraine to wisdom, grace and prayer so that sincere dialogue may lead to peace and reconciliation, let us pray to the Lord.

We also pray, O Lord, for those who face incomprehensible anguish, sorrow and loss in the destruction from the earthquake in Nepal; deliver them from every affliction, trouble, distress, wrath and need; that they may be safeguarded by Your holy angels; grant them assistance, peace, health and a long life, we pray Your, hear us and have mercy.

We also pray for those departed as a result of the earthquake in Nepal; for their grieving loved ones; for families who were separated that they may be reunited; reassure them of Your divine presence and heavenly grace, we pray You hear and have mercy.

We also pray for all involved in the relief efforts, O Lord, in this special time of need; strengthen them in body, mind and spirit as they labor and serve our neighbors in need. Grant them and all of us the firm resolve to support their efforts in love and generosity, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.

## A Prayer for Peace in Ukraine

Heavenly Father, Your Son taught us "Blessed are the Peacemakers for they shall be called Children of God." At this hour, we fervently pray that Your Holy Spirit may inspire men and women in Ukraine to become Peacemakers. May they seek reconciliation and dialogue and end the violent confrontation and killing. May they restore tranquility to their nation and restore human rights, democratic principles and religious liberty to their troubled land. God, our Father, we beseech you to comfort the suffering, heal the wounded and accept the souls of the departed into Your Heavenly Kingdom. And may the Most Holy Mother of God, extend her Blessed Mantle of Protection over Ukraine. And may each of us always live our lives as instruments of Your Peace. Amen.