

ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH  
ECUMENICAL PATRIARCHATE OF CONSTANTINOPLE AND NEW ROME



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Confessions: Vespers on the first Saturday of the month, Sundays before Liturgies, or by appointment.

Make a list of living and deceased and bring it to the Altar. We'll pray for them during a Liturgy.

For pastoral visits at home or hospital or special prayer requests ask Fr. Oleg.

Please, don't throw away the bulletin. Bring it back to the church. Thank you.

You are welcome to contribute articles or pictures to the bulletin. Let's make bulletins together! - Follow us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/avmuocoftheusa>

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**Христос Посеред Нас! Є І Буде!**

**Christ Is Among Us! Is And Shall Be!**

Let's pray for peace in Ukraine

Молімось за мир в Україні

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**Sun. 30 June FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. FEAST OF ALL SAINTS. TONE 8.**  
**Queen DINARA of Georgia (10th C.) Venerable PETER of Ordinsk (1290) GELASIOUS**  
**Bishop of Transylvania (16th C.) Martyr MICHAEL of Athens.**  
**Hebrews 11:33-12:2 Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30**

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**Welcome all for the Coffee Hour – Запрошуємо на каву.**

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**MENEION & SCRIPTURES.**

**Mon. 01 July** Holy and Unmercenaries Cosmas and Damian, martyrs at Rome.

**Rom. 2:28–3:18 Mt. 6:31–34–7:9-11**

**Tue. 02 July** The Placing of the Robe of the Most Holy Theotokos Blachernae (5th c.).

**Rom. 4:4-12 Mt. 7:15-21**

**06:30 PM MOLEBEN FOR UKRAINE (HOLY PROTECTION, ALLENTOWN).**

**Wed. 03 July** St. Anatolius, patriarch of Constantinople (438).

**Rom. 4:13-25 Mt. 7:21-23**

**Thu. 04 July** Ven. Martha, mother of St. Symeon Stylites the Younger (551).

**Rom. 5:10-16 Mt. 8:23-27**

**Fri. 05 July** Martyr Anna at Rome (304). Martyr Cyrilla of Cyrene in Libya, a widow.

**Rom. 5:17–6:2 Mt. 9:14-17**

**Sat. 06 July** Ven. Sisoës the Great of Egypt (429). Martyrs Marinus and Martha

**Rom. 3:19-26 Mt. 7:1-8**

**05:00 PM GREAT VESPERS. EXAMINATION OF CONSCIENCE AND CONFESSIONS.**

**Sun. 07 July 09:00 AM DIVINE LITURGY.**

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**Tropar Resurrection, Tone 8:** You descended from on High, Merciful One/ You accepted the three-day burial to deliver us from our passions/ Lord, Our Life and Resurrection; Glory to You.

**Glory...Tro. All Saints, T.4:** As with fine cloth and royal purple/Your Church has been adorned with the blood of the martyrs shed throughout the world/ Christ God, She cries out to You/Send Your Goodness to Your People/ grant peace to Your world and great mercy to our souls.

**Now and ever... Kondak to All Saints, Tone 8:** Lord and Creator the universe offers You the God-bearing Martyrs as the First Fruits of all Creation/ By their prayers and through the intercession of the Birth-Giver of God/ establish Your Church in peace.

**Prokimen of the Resurrection, Tone 8:** Pray and make your vows before the Lord our God.

**Verse:** In Judah, God is known; His Name is great in Israel.

**Prokimen to All Saints, Tone 4:** God is wonderful in His saints, the God of Israel.

**Epistle of St. Paul to the Hebrews: 11:32-12:2**

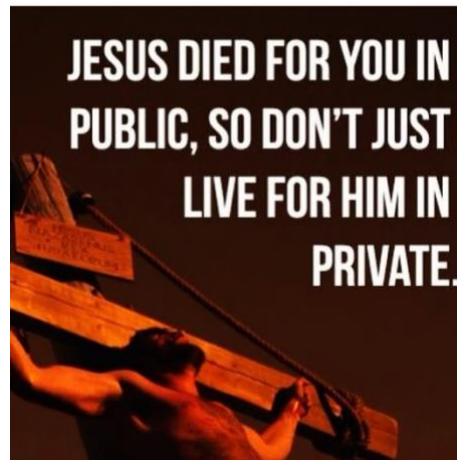
**Alleluia Verses, Tone 4.** The righteous cried and the Lord heard them and He delivered them out of all their afflictions.

Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord will deliver them out of them all.

**Gospel: Matthew 10: 32-33, 37-38, 19: 27-30**

**Communion Hymn:** Praise the Lord from the heavens. Praise Him in the Highest. Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous, praise befits the upright.

**Alleluia (3X)**



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**Pilgrimage** to the miraculous icon of Cardiotisa July 10. Transport provided. Sign up downstairs.

- **Art exhibit/sale for Ukraine support.** From May 25 to June 30 at Holy Protection, Allentown. Details on the hall whiteboard.

- **Support our National Junior UOL t-shirt sale. Details in the hall board.**

- **Summer church youth camp of UOC in Emlenton, PA. Our parish covers the expenses. Transportation will be provided. June 30-July 13 Teenage Conference. We hope you have a great summer!**

- Heavenly Host Program at **St. John Chrysostom Academy** provide youth a foundation of **Orthodox Christian knowledge** and experience. Free of charge. Details on the board downstairs.

- **For Food Bank:** baby foods, canned potatoes, and meats, tuna, pasta, sauces, mac. & cheese.

- **Virtual Bible Study Day** - every Wednesday via Zoom: Nº1 Pan-Orthodox at 12 PM. Meeting ID: 576 301 6482. Passcode: 238492. Nº2 with Fr. Demetrios at 7 PM. Ask Fr. Oleg for the link.

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

**03 July...John & Jessie Hnatow**

**06 July...James & Karen Osmun**

**BIRTHDAYS:**

**01 July...Joel Hnatow**

**02 July...Vira Harnaho**

**04 July...Gregory Pypiuk**

**МНОГАЯ ЛІТА! MANY YEARS!**

***NECROLOGY: Ukrainian civilians and soldiers, killed in the Russian invasion.***

Valentyn

30 June...John Stupcyrski

02 July...Tekla Pontician '63, Anna Kereb '81, Milton Kochenash '00

03 July...Semen Vitushinsky '65, Albert Tripolone '87

04 July...Alexander Fedko '90

06 July...Sophia Greene '09

***ВІЧНА ПАМ'ЯТЬ! MEMORY ETERNAL!***

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**PRAYER FOR THE HEALTH & SALVATION OF THE AFFLICTED:** Ukrainian soldiers and civilians, wounded during the Russian aggression, His Eminences Metropolitan Antony and Archbishop Daniel, Barbara Grason, Helen Crayosky, Rosemarie Pypiuk, Tom Petro Jr., priest Demetrius Nicoloudakis, priest Vasyl Dovgan, Karen Kankula, Russel Kerick, Jon Hewko, Matthew Vitushinsky, Nadine Savitz, William Savitz, Nicholas Alexander, William Leszczuk, Mary Berger, Michael Szymonifka, Jessica Meashock, James Osmun, Maria Joseph, Zachary Y. Siyufy, Raisa Melnychuk, Vasyl Beizyn, Lubov Shevchuk, Volodymyr Hranat, Ihor Broda, Debi Hutnick, Eric Hewko, Phil O'Brien, child Charlie, Juliana, Shirl Merolli, Kirk Swauger, Stephanie Donnelly, Danny Berro, child Alexandria, Elizabeth Pastushenko, Aaliyah Osmun, Brendan Phillips, Adam Hewko, Andrew Thaxton, Susan Ferretti, Judy Albright, Daniel Kochenash, Christopher Mack, Joann Hoodmaker, Norman Betrous, Robert Zarayko, Lisa Kulhanek, Esther Wilt, Michele and Ron Moser

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**ORTHODOXY IN THE WORLD**

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Father James Bernstein, reposed in the Lord on June 17th. A convert from Judaism & author of *Surprised by Christ*, he was a priest of St. Paul's Orthodox Church in Brier, Washington for 30 years

Patriarch Theophilos III of Jerusalem celebrated the Divine Liturgy in several languages at the Church of St. George in Turan, Galilee near Nazareth on the Sunday of the Holy Fathers




The Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew I attended the International Peace Summit for Ukraine held in Switzerland



The 100th anniversary of the repose of St. Jonah (Atamansky) of Odesa was celebrated at the Cathedral of the Dormition where his relics lie

The Macedonian Orthodox Church glorified 3 new saints including the siblings: Righteous Spase & Spasa at St. Sofia’s Cathedral in Ohrid



 **UNWLA, branch 91, Bethlehem-Allentown, PA**  
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 Annual summer picnic.

**Last Saturday there was a picnic of the Ukrainian National Women League of America. Sandra Park was the host of the event. Welcome new members to the Women's League**



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By the death of martyrs religion has been defended, faith increased, the Church strengthened; the dead have conquered, the persecutors have been overcome. And so we celebrate the death of those of whose lives we are ignorant. So, too, David rejoiced in prophecy at the departure of his own soul, saying: "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." He esteemed death better than life. The death itself of the martyrs is the prize of their life. And again, by the death of those at variance hatred is put an end to. St. Ambrose of Milan, On Belief in the Resurrection

The Lives of the Saints are holy testimonies of the miraculous power of our Lord Jesus Christ. In reality they are the testimonies of the Acts of the Apostles, only continued throughout the ages. The saints are nothing other than holy witnesses, like the Holy Apostles, who were the first witnesses - of what?, of the God-man Jesus Christ: of Him crucified, resurrected, ascended into heaven and eternally alive;... Fr. (St.) Justin Popovich, Orthodox Faith and Life in Christ



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Additions in Ukrainian

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**Недільне Євангеліє: від Матфея.** 32 Отже, кожного, хто визнає Мене перед людьми, того визнаю і Я перед Отцем Моїм Небесним. 33 А хто зречеться Мене перед людьми, зречуся того і Я перед Отцем Моїм Небесним. 37 Хто любить батька чи матір більше, ніж Мене, недостойний Мене; і хто любить сина чи дочку більше, ніж Мене, недостойний Мене; 38 і хто не бере хрест свій і не йде слідом за Мною, той недостойний Мене. 27 І хто хоче між вами бути першим, нехай буде вам рабом. 28

Так само Син Людський не для того прийшов, щоб Йому служили, а щоб послужити і віддати душу Свою на спасіння багатьох.  
29 І коли виходили вони з Єрихона, за Ним ішло багато народу.