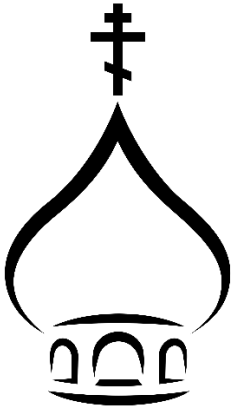


Divine Liturgy
Sunday, June 19, 2022
1st Sunday after Pentecost
All Saints



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Note to our Guests and Friends Visiting St. Nicholas:

We offer a most sincere and heart-felt welcome to St. Nicholas Church! Please be advised that according to the ancient traditions of the Orthodox Church, the Sacrament of Holy Communion is to be administered only to Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves to receive the Holy Sacrament.

(Please note - Information to be included in next Sunday's bulletin must be submitted by noon on Thursday. Thank you! ~ Jennifer N. Bzik)

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Schedule for the Week of June 19, 2022

1st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 8. Holy Apostle Jude, the brother of the Lord (ca. 80). All Saints. Ven. Barlaam of Shenkursk (1462). Martyr Zosimas the soldier at Antioch in Pisidia (2nd c.). Ven. Paisius the Great (5th c.). St. John the Solitary of Jerusalem (6th c.). Ven. Paisius of Chilandari (Bulgarian–18th c.). Repose of St. Job, Patriarch of Moscow and all Rus (1607).

Fr. Nikolai's Office Hours

Tuesday, June 21st - Fr. Nikolai's day off
Wednesday, June 22nd - 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Friday, June 24th - 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Coffee Hour Today

Coffee hour today is hosted the Parish Council in honor of Fathers' Day

Weekly & Upcoming Calendar

****Live Stream will also be available for all services.****

Thursday, June 23	Nativity of John the Baptist 6:00 pm - Vespers with Litia
Friday, June 24	Nativity of John the Baptist 8:50 am - Reading of the Hours 9:00 am - Divine Liturgy
Saturday, June 25	5:00 pm - Great Vespers
Sunday, June 26	Sunday of All Saints of America/Rus' 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, June 28	Ss. Peter and Paul 6:00 pm - Vespers with Litia
Wednesday, June 29	Ss. Peter and Paul 8:50 am - Reading of the Hours 9:00 am - Divine Liturgy
Saturday, July 2	5:00 pm - Great Vespers
Sunday, July 3	All Saints of Britain and Ireland 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy
Saturday, July 9	5:00 pm - Great Vespers
Sunday, July 10	4 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy
Saturday, July 16	5:00 pm - Great Vespers
Sunday, July 17	Fathers of the First Six Ecumenical Councils 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy
Saturday, July 23	5:00 pm - Great Vespers
Sunday, July 24	6 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy 11:45 am - Blessing of Vehicles, In Honor of St. Elijah
Saturday, July 30	5:00 pm - Great Vespers
Sunday, July 31	7 th Sunday After Pentecost 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy

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Tone 8 Troparion *(Resurrection)*

Thou didst descend from on high, O Merciful One! Thou didst accept the three day burial to free us from our sufferings! O Lord, our Life and Resurrection, glory to Thee!

Tone 4 Troparion *(All Saints)*

As with fine porphyry and royal purple, Thy Church has been adorned with Thy martyrs' blood shed throughout all the world. She cries to Thee, O Christ God: "Send down Thy bounties on Thy people, grant peace to Thy habitation and great mercy to our souls!"

Tone 8 Kontakion *(All Saints)*

The universe offers Thee the God-bearing Martyrs as the first fruits of creation, O Lord and Creator. By their prayers keep Thy Church, Thy habitation, in abiding peace through the Theotokos, O most Merciful One!

Tone 8 Prokeimenon *(Resurrection)*

Pray and make your vows before the Lord, our God! *(Ps. 75:10a)*

In Judah God is known; His Name is great in Israel. (Ps. 75:1)

Tone 4 Prokeimenon *(All Saints)*

God is wonderful in His saints, the God of Israel. *(Ps. 67:35a)*

Epistle

Read by Reader Matthew Lezinsky

(Hebrews 11:33-12:2) who through faith subdued kingdoms, worked righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens. Women received their dead raised to life again. Others were tortured, not accepting deliverance, that they might obtain a better resurrection. Still others had trial of mockings and scourgings, yes, and of chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, were tempted, were slain with the sword. They wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins, being destitute, afflicted, tormented - of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, having obtained a good testimony through faith, did not receive the promise, God having provided something better for us, that they should not be made perfect apart from us. Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Tone 4

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

The righteous cried and the Lord heard them, and delivered them out of all their troubles. (Ps. 33:17)

Many are the afflictions of the righteous; the Lord will deliver them out of them all. (Ps. 33:19)

Gospel

(Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30) Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven. He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. Then Peter answered and said to Him, "See, we have left all and followed You. Therefore what shall we have?" So Jesus said to them, "Assuredly I say to you, that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man sits on the throne of His glory, you who have followed Me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My name's sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first.

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! *(Ps. 148:1)*

Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous; praise befits the just! *(Ps. 32:1)*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Candle Offerings for Sunday, June 19, 2022

Votives in Altar

For Health of Ann Marie Bretz on her Birthday, Offered by Stephanie Pasquel

Crosses

Happy Birthday Ann Marie Bretz, Offered by Barry

Vigils on the Tetrapod (2)

In Honor Of Bill Keysock, Offered by The Keysock Family

Vigils on Icon Table (2)

In Memory Of Gheorghe Cotirgasanu, Offered by The Hodson Family

Vigils - Icon of the Virgin Mary (2)

Happy Anniversary Eric & Lindsey Slivka, Offered by Mike & Fran Slivka

Votives - Icon of the Virgin Mary

Happy Father's Day Gordon Roberts

Offered by Children - Matthew, Jessica, Alex, Megan, Nicholas, Tosha

Vigils - Icon of St. John the Baptist (2)

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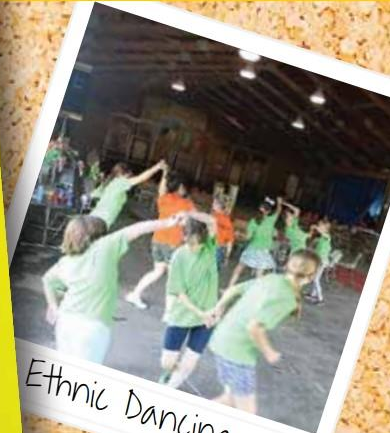
Offered by Granddaughters - Emily, Evelyn, Hannah, Liliana and Bean



What are you doing
this summer?

July 3 - 9, 2022

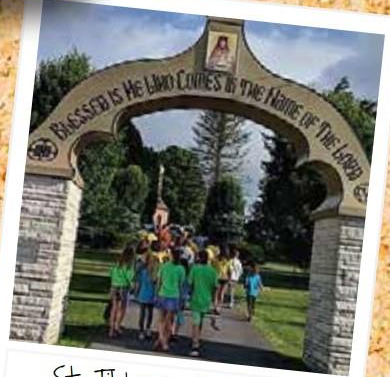
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Ethnic Dancing



Talking with Metropolitan Tikhon



St. Tikhon's Archway



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The Most Rev. Mark, Archbishop of Philadelphia

May 24, 2022

St. Tikhon's Summer Camp 2022
July 3-9, 2022

A Youth Ministry Program of the Diocese of Philadelphia and Eastern Pennsylvania

Dear Rev Frs. and faithful,

Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is Risen! At our Diocesan Council Meeting of May 10th, 2022 the Diocesan Council discussed our commitment to strengthening and supporting youth ministry. The summer camp program is one way in which we can assist our faithful in Orthodox Christian Education and lifelong relationships amongst our youth.

The Diocesan Council in the interest of helping our camp program get restarted voted unanimously to waive all fees for the youth of the Diocese of Philadelphia and Eastern Pennsylvania who are in good standing with a parish of our Diocese. <https://www.stikhonscamp.org/copy-of-camper-registration>. We realized that paying camp fees can be difficult, particularly for parents with more than one child. We also believe that camp attendance is historically lower when there is an All American Council, so we thought providing tuition might encourage more children to attend camp. Camp Registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis, so we encourage diocesan families to apply prior to June 7th, 2022.

We want to keep our youth in the Church and deeply appreciate the volunteers of our Diocese and those of other Dioceses in providing this wonderful opportunity. We ask the parents of our Diocesan youth ages 7-17 to use the following link to register for camp, <https://www.stikhonscamp.org/copy-of-camper-registration>. In order for the fees to be waived we will require a letter from one of our active Diocesan parish priests stating your family is in good standing and regular communicants. *The letter should be sent with the application containing the names of your children.* For Diocesan families who already paid the fees, we can refund your money upon request or issue a letter accepting it as a donation.

Hopefully, our parishes will sponsor the youth of the Diocese and faithful will see the benefit of our camp program and make donations to provide for every youth of our Diocese to attend without the embarrassment of asking for financial assistance. We also appreciate our volunteers and encourage more of our faithful to assist with the program.

Your unworthy father in Christ,

+ Mark

+ MARK (Maymon), Archbishop of Philadelphia and the Diocese of Eastern Pennsylvania
CC: Diocesan Clergy



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"Thou hast made us for Thyself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it finds its rest in Thee." Augustine

Directory Photo Reminder

If you haven't had your photo taken and would like to do so please contact Lori Lezinsky to make an appointment for a later date. Alternatively, if you would like to submit a recent photo to be used in the directory you may email it to Jennifer at assistant4stnicholas@outlook.com. Thank you!

Pierogi Making Schedule

YES, PIEROGIS Monday, June 20, Tuesday, June 21, and Wednesday, June 22
NO, PIEROGIS Monday, June 27, Tuesday, June 28 and Wednesday, June 29
NO, PIEROGIS Monday, July 4, Tuesday, July 5, and Wednesday, July 6 (Happy 4th of July)

This schedule is subject to change.

Coffee Hour Hosts Needed

There are several open coffee hour days in the upcoming summer months. Please consider signing up if you haven't hosted in the past! There are copies of the guidelines for hosting coffee hour available in the sign up book at the candle desk if you are not familiar with what to do. Contact Lori Lezinsky if you need help or have questions. Thank you!

Heavenly Father...

Physician of our souls and bodies, Who has sent Your only-begotten Son to heal every sickness and infirmity, visit and heal us, Your Servants, from all physical and spiritual ailments, through the grace of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant to us patience in this sickness, strength of body, and recovery of health. Lord, You have taught us through Your Word to pray for each other that we may be healed. For You are the source of healing, and to You we give glory; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Prayers for the Health of the Servants of God:

Metropolitan Herman

Igumen David Lewis

Archpriests: Thomas Edwards, John Perich, James Mason, Claude Vinyard, Dimitri Oselinsky, David Shewczyk, Ian Shipley, Dennis Swenki, James Weremedic, John Onofrey

Priests: Nikolai Breckenridge, John Nightingale

Deacons: Geoffrey LoBalbo

Subdeacons: Michael (Frank) Guydan

Matushki: Liudmyla Breckenridge, Marie Mason, Johanna Bohush, Evelyn Edwards, Paraskeva Vansuch, Myra Kovalak, Gloria Martin, Maryann Oselinsky, Priscilla Shipley, Katia Vansuch, Lisa Weremedic, Stephanie Onofrey

Servants: Bethany Bruder, Mary Brzuchalski, Michael Bzik, Helen Cotirgasanu, David G. Cudlic, Roberta Cusick, Val Danchenko, Betty Fedora, Christopher Felix, Olga Frimenko, Patricia G. Fu, Walter Grigoruk, Rachel Hardesty, Nicholas Hazzard, Jonathan Hontz, Sherry Hromiak, Michael H. Isbansky, Sarah Jubinski, Alexandra Keysock, Mary K. Koretski, Stephanie Koretski, David Lezinsky, Judy Lezinsky, Victoria Lustig, Olga Maksimova, Lanelle Mikolaitis, Catherine Miller, Nicolae & Doina Marian, Kylie Pinho, Ryan Pinkowicz, Kiera Pheiffer, Laurel Riley, Gordon Roberts, Victoria Ross, Mary Ruzila, Nancy A. Sabol, Connor Samuels, Robert Schainfeld, Catherine Shea, Francine Slivka, Michael Slivka, Julia Smith, Julia G. Smolenski, Dorothy Stafiniak, Mary Strohecker, Ola Tatusko, Irene Witanek, Robert, Alaina

Handmaidens of God: Lisa Metz, Molly Polacco, Tosha Roberts, and their unborn children, Lara Bessman, Stephanie Sica, Valerie Stepanoff and their newborn children.

Please remember them and all our homebound and nursing home parishioners in your daily intercessory prayers.