# **Divine Liturgy**

Sunday, August 20, 2023 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Afterfeast of the Dormition Prophet Samuel





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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)

Please turn off or silence your electronic devices before entering the church. Thank you.

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# Schedule for the Week of August 20, 2023

#### 11th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST - Tone 2. Afterfeast of the Dormition.

Prophet Samuel (11th c. B.C.). Hieromartyr Philip, Bishop of Heraclea and with him the Martyrs Severus, Memnon, and 37 Soldiers in Thrace (304). Martyrs Heliodorus and Dosa of Persia (380). Holy New Martyr Theocharis (Neapolis).

# Fr. Nikolai's Office Hours

Monday, August 21<sup>st</sup> - Fr. Nikolai's day off Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> - 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm Friday, August 25<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

# **Coffee Hour Today**

Coffee Hour today is hosted by The Heitzenrater Family

# **Weekly & Upcoming Calendar**

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

Sunday, August 20	<b>11th Sunday after Pentecost</b> 9:10 am - Reading of the Hours 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy	
Saturday, August 26	5:00 pm - Great Vespers	
Sunday, August 27	12th Sunday after Pentecost	
	9:10 am - Reading of the Hours	
	9:30 am - Divine Liturgy	
Tuesday, August 29	Beheading of St. John	
	8:50 am - Reading of the Hours	
	9:00 am - Divine Liturgy	
Saturday, September 2	4:30 pm - General Panikhida	
	5:00 pm - Great Vespers	
Sunday, September 3	12th Cundow often Bontococt	
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	9:30 pm - Divine Liturgy	
Thursday, September 7	9:00 am - Akathist to the Mother of God,	
-	Nurturer of Children	
	6:00 pm - Great Vespers w/ Litia	
Friday, September 8	Nativity of the Mother of God	
	9:00 am - Divine Liturgy	
Saturday, September 9	5:00 pm - Great Vespers	
Sunday, September 10	14th Sunday after Pentecost	
	9:10 am - Reading of the Hours	
	9:30 am - Divine Liturgy	
Monday, September 11	7:00 pm - Parish Council Meeting	
Wednesday, September 13	6:00 pm - Great Vespers for Exaltation	
Thursday, September 14	Exaltation of the Cross	
	9:00 am - Divine Liturgy	
	6:00 pm - Essentials of the Orthodox Faith #1	
Saturday, September 16	1:00 pm - Texas BBQ	
	6:00 pm - Great Vespers ( <b>Please note</b>	
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**Tone 2 Troparion** (Resurrection)

When Thou didst descend to death, O Life immortal, Thou didst slay hell with the splendor of Thy Godhead. And when from the depths Thou didst raise the dead, all the powers of heaven cried out: "O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to Thee!"

Tone 1 Troparion (Feast)

In giving birth thou didst preserve thy virginity. In falling asleep thou didst not forsake the world, O Theotokos. Thou wast translated to life, O Mother of Life, and by thy prayers thou dost deliver our souls from death.

**Tone 2** Troparion (Prophet Samuel)

We celebrate the memory of Thy prophet Samuel, O Lord; through him we beseech Thee: "Save our souls!"

Tone 2 Kontakion (Resurrection)

Hell became afraid, O almighty Savior, seeing the miracle of Thy Resurrection from the tomb! The dead arose! Creation, with Adam, beheld this and rejoiced with Thee, and the world, my Savior, praises Thee forever.

**Tone 8 Kontakion** (Prophet Samuel)

Thou wast a precious gift given to God before thy conception. Thou didst serve Him like an angel from thine infancy, O blessed one. Thou wast granted the charism to announce beforehand future things. Therefore, we cry to thee: "Rejoice, Samuel, Prophet of God and great high priest."

### **Tone 2 Kontakion** (Feast)

Neither the tomb, nor death, could hold the Theotokos, who is constant in prayer and our firm hope in her intercessions. For being the Mother of Life, she was translated to life by the One Who dwelt in her virginal womb.

#### **Tone 2 Prokeimenon** (Resurrection)

The Lord is my strength and my song; He has become my salvation. (Ps. 117:14)

The Lord has chastened me sorely, but He has not given me over to death. (Ps. 117:18)

### **Tone 3 Prokeimenon** (Song of the Theotokos)

My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior. (Lk. 1:46-47)

## **Epistle**

Read by David Metz

(1 Corinthians 9:2-12) If I am not an apostle to others, yet doubtless I am to you. For you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord. My defense to those who examine me is this: Do we have no right to eat and drink? Do we have no right to take along a believing wife, as do also the other apostles, the brothers of the Lord, and Cephas? Or is it only Barnabas and I who have no right to refrain from working? Who ever goes to war at his own expense? Who plants a vineyard and does not eat of its fruit? Or who tends a flock and does not drink of the milk of the flock? Do I say these things as a mere man? Or does not the law say the same also? For it is written in the law of Moses, "You shall not muzzle an ox while it treads out the grain." Is it oxen God is concerned about? Or does He say it altogether for our sakes? For our sakes, no doubt, this is written, that he who plows should plow in hope, and he who threshes in hope should be partaker of his hope. If we have sown spiritual things for you, is it a great thing if we reap your material things? If others are partakers of this right over you, are we not

even more? Nevertheless we have not used this right, but endure all things lest we hinder the gospel of Christ.

#### Tone 2

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

May the Lord hear thee in the day of trouble! May the name of the God of Jacob protect thee! (Ps. 19:1)

Save the King, O Lord, and hear us on the day we call! (Ps. 19:9)

#### Tone 8

Arise, O Lord, into Thy rest, Thou and the Ark of Thy sanctification! (Ps. 131:8)

## Gospel

(Matthew 18:23-35) Therefore the kingdom of heaven is like a certain king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. And when he had begun to settle accounts, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents. But as he was not able to pay, his master commanded that he be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and that payment be made. The servant therefore fell down before him, saying, 'Master, have patience with me, and I will pay you all.' Then the master of that servant was moved with compassion, released him, and forgave him the debt. But that servant went out and found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii; and he laid hands on him and took him by the throat, saying, 'Pay me what you owe!' So his fellow servant fell down at his feet and begged him, saying, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you all.' And he would not, but went and threw him into prison till he should pay the debt. So when his fellow servants saw what had been done, they were very grieved, and came and told their master all that had been done. Then his master, after he had called him, said to him, 'You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you begged me. Should you not also have had compassion on your fellow servant, just as I had pity on you?' And his master was angry, and delivered him to the torturers until he should pay all that was due to him. So My heavenly Father also will do to you if each of you, from his heart, does not forgive his brother his trespasses."

(Instead of "It is truly meet...," we sing:)

The Angels, as they looked upon the Dormition of the Virgin, were struck with wonder, seeing how the Virgin went up from earth to heaven.

The limits of nature are overcome in thee, O Pure Virgin: for birthgiving remains virginal, and life is united to death; a virgin after childbearing and alive after death, thou dost ever save thine inheritance, O Theotokos.

### **Communion Hymn**

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! (*Ps. 148:1*) I will receive the cup of salvation and call on the Name of the Lord. (*Ps. 115:4*) Alleluia, Alleluia!

# Candle Offerings Sunday, August 20, 2023

#### **Crosses**

For Health Of Pat & Wash, Offered by Son Bill, Niece Cindy

Vigils - Icon of the Virgin Mary (2)

Happy Birthday Natalie Slivka, Offered by Fran & Mike Slivka

Vigil of St. Michael (1)

In Honor Of Fr. Michael Kon, Offered by Mat. Susan Kon

# Calling All Bakers for the Texas BBQ on 9/16/23 Fire up the ovens!

It's time for your SCRUMPTIOUS desserts that St. Nicholas is famous for. If you are a returning baker to new task, we welcome your YUMMY desserts. Please keep these things in mind:

- We have very limited refrigerator space, so please consider items that do not require refrigeration.
- Please DO NOT slice your cakes, pies, brownies, etc. The baked goods team will pre-slice items for consistence in serving piece and pricing.
- Feel free to provide a label e.g. German Chocolate Cake, Snickerdoodle Cookies, etc. There is no need to list ingredients, however it is useful to note: "nut free", "egg free", "dairy free" or "sugar free".
- Please provide baked goods on sturdy plates. DO NOT use cardboard because it is often too big and not sturdy.
- Securely label your name on your containers/dishes that you want returned. They will be cleaned and placed on racks in the kitchen where you can pick them up. And, whilst we are very careful with your dishes, DO NOT use precious containers that cannot be replaced if accidentally broken.

Thank you to all the great bakers who contribute to the success of the sale! Your efforts are truly appreciated! If you have any questions, please contact Joann Brusko.

# **Help Wanted!**

Roll baking - Help will be needed packing rolls at 5:00 pm on the following days:

Thursday, August 31, 2023

Thursday, September 21, 2023

Thursday, September 28, 2023

Please contact Maxine Marsh if you can help.

# Christmas Bazaar Baking & Pierogi Making Schedule for August through October 2023

Monday, August 28 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, August 29 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, August 30 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM & kiffle baking 11:00 AM-3:00 PM; packing kiffles at 5:00 PM

Thursday, August 31 - baking rolls 9:00 AM-3:00 PM; packing rolls at 5:00 PM

Saturday, September 9 - kiffle prep 8:30 AM-Noon

Monday, September 11 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, September 12 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, September 13 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM & kiffle baking 11:00 AM-3:00 PM; packing kiffles at 5:00 PM

Monday, September 18 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, September 19 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, September 20 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM

Thursday, September 21 - baking rolls 9:00AM-3:00 PM; packing rolls at 5:00 PM

Saturday, September 23 - kiffle prep 8:30 AM-Noon

Monday, September 25 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, September 26 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, September 27 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM & kiffle baking 11:00 AM-3:00PM; packing kiffles at 5:00 PM

Thursday, September 28 - baking rolls 9:00 AM-3:00PM; packing rolls at 5:00 PM

Monday, October 2 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, October 3 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, October 4 - pierogi making 6:30 - 11:00 AM

Thursday, October 5 - baking rolls 9:00 AM-3:00 PM; packing at 5:00 PM

Saturday, October 7 - kiffle prep 8:30-Noon

Monday, October 9 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, October 10 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, October 11 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM & kiffle baking 11:00 AM-3:00PM; packing kiffles at 5:00 PM

Saturday, October 14 - kiffle prep 8:30-Noon

Monday, October 16 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, October 17 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, October 18 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM & kiffle baking 11:00 AM-3:00 PM; packing kiffles at 5:00 PM

Friday, October 20 - kiffle prep 8:30-Noon

Monday, October 23 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Tuesday, October 24 - pierogi prep 6:30 AM

Wednesday, October 25 - pierogi making 6:30-11:00 AM & kiffle baking 11:00 AM-3:00 PM; packing kiffles at 5:00 PM

# A Note of Thanks

Dear Parishioners & Friends,

I am truly overwhelmed by your generosity! A donation of \$1,5000 (includining a matching check of \$500) from the 40<sup>th</sup> Day repast for Subdn Michael (Frank) Guydan has been sent to the Orthodox Christian Prison Ministry in his memory! Thank you from the bottom of my heart for your kindness!

Most Sincerely, Michele Guydan

# **2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Treasurer's Report Summary**

April 2023	Income:	\$36,692.33
	Expenses:	\$25,929.25
	Net Revenue:	\$10,763.08
May 2023	Income:	\$56,817.35
	Expenses	\$31,101.54
	Net Revenue:	\$25,715.81
June 2023	Income:	\$34,163.10
	Expenses:	\$32,544.35
	Net Revenue:	\$1,618.75

# **Housekeeping Notes**

Many thanks to all of the parishioners who volunteer to host a coffee hour and allow us all to break our fast in fellowship with our St. Nicholas family. As we all know, cleaning up the hall at the end of coffee hour can be quite a task. In order to make things easier for our hosts, we will be setting up a station with cleaning supplies so that individuals can each tidy up their own table and area. There will be several brooms with long handle dust pans, as well as buckets of soapy water for wiping down the tables. Let's all do our part so that our lovely coffee hour hosts can focus on cleaning up the kitchen and food serving areas.

Also, if you have been in the kitchen, you may have noticed that the area under the counter where paper products are kept now has labels to let you know which items belong it which spots. Keeping these items in their designated area allows us to see at a glance what things may need to be restocked. If you are using these products or helping to clean up, please make sure to put things back in their proper places. Also, please do not get out and open more packages of things until they are really needed. Keeping the packages sealed helps to keep things clean for the next time. And putting things away neatly makes it easier for the next person to find what they need.

Thank you all for helping to make St. Nicholas the beautiful and welcoming place that it is!

# **Donations Received In Memory**

In Memory Of Subdeacon Michael Guydan: Offered by Catherine Miller

# **Pierogi Making Schedule**

#### NO Pierogi Making:

Monday, August 21, Tuesday, August 22, Wednesday, August 23 Please plan on coming to make our superb Halupki!

#### **BACK TO MAKING**

Monday, August 28, Tuesday, August 29, Wednesday, August 30

#### NO Pierogi Making:

Monday, September 4, Tuesday, September 5, Wednesday, September 6

# **Lost & Found**

Please note that the following items have been in the lost and found or on the coat rack outside the Chernay Fellowship Hall for an extended period of time. As these items appear to be abandoned, if they remain unclaimed they will be donated/disposed of on September 1, 2023.

- Insulated travel coffee mug
- Sunglasses with red frame
- Small black change purse
- Dark gray "newsboy" style hat
- Child's teal jacket
- Child's purple jacket
- Adult's tan sweater
- Tan umbrella
- Several winter gloves
- Small bag containing men's size 32x30 black pants, size M blue shirt

# **Coffee Hour Hosts Needed**

There are several open coffee hour days in the upcoming 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 signup book at the candle desk if you are not familiar with what to do. Contact Jennifer Bzik if you need help or have questions. Thank you!

# Welcome Back Children!

Sunday School Begins:

September 10 with a Moleben prayer immediately following Divine Liturgy September 17 Sunday classes begin just before dismissal

Please see Karen Gowarty if you wish your child/grandchild to be enrolled in our Sunday School program if he/she has not been enrolled before this year. Children must turn 4 by October 1<sup>st</sup> to begin Sunday School.

Parents - Please also note that we have created an emergency contact form for our students. Please stop by the candle desk and fill out a form for each child enrolled in the Sunday School program. Thank you!

# **Church School Background Checks**

In accordance with Diocesan policies and OCA statutes, all adults over the age of 18 who have regular contact with the Church School students must pass a background check.

This includes all parents who join their children in Church School regularly and all Church School teachers.

To get background check started, see Carmen Hodson.

# HALUPKI 2022 - AUGUST 20th -23th (and maybe 24th)

Dear Parish Family,

We are getting ready for the tremendous task of making around 4,000 halupki. This is a big job, with many steps, requiring a lot of help. Please see the schedule and tasks below. Any and all help will be appreciated. Lunches will be provided each day. Please contact Val Roberts (610-264-7518) if you can help.

## Sunday, August 20th after coffee hour:

Steam and devein cabbage, cook and mix 8-10 batches of rice/onions/seasoning, pick up meat for Monday, chop and cook cabbage for halushki, make sauce, rip foil for wrapping halupki and cabbage for halushki, count out trays for packs of 4 halupki, clean up and dishes

### Monday, August 21st:

7:00: mix meat and make balls, steam cabbage, core rest of cabbage

8:00: roll halupki, cook and mix 6-8 batches of rice/onions/seasoning, make sauce

After rolling: devein cabbage, chop and cook cabbage for halushki, clean up and dishes

Late afternoon/evening: Repack trays into 4 packs with sauce, steam more cabbage and Wrap/freeze remaining large trays of halupki

## **Tuesday, August 22nd:**

7:00: mix meat and make balls, steam cabbage if needed

8:00: roll halupki, cook and mix 4-6 batches of rice/onions/seasoning, make sauce

After rolling: devein if needed, chop and cook cabbage for halushki if needed, clean up and dishes

Late afternoon/evening: Repack trays into 4 packs with sauce, steam more cabbage and Wrap/freeze remaining large trays of halupki

## Wednesday, August 23rd:

7:00: mix meat and make balls

8:00: roll halupki, make sauce

After rolling: Clean up and dishes

After halupki are all cooked: Wipe down roasters, break down halupki room,

scrub floors - kitchen, hall by roasters and rolling tables, halupki room

**Late afternoon/evening:** Repack trays into 4 packs with sauce, steam more cabbage and Wrap/freeze remaining large trays of halupki

#### **Thursday, August 24th:**

If not done Wednesday - Scrub floors - kitchen, hall by roasters and rolling tables, halupki room

# Order Your Kowalonek's Kielbasy Sampler Platter For Your September Tailgate!!



Orders and money due by Sunday, September 3
Pick up Saturday, September 16 at our church BBQ
1:00 – 5:00

Just in time for your next football tailgate!

Checks payable to Valerie Roberts 610-264-7518 219 Pennsylvania Ave., Catasauqua, PA 18032



#### **DINNER INCLUDES:**

Choice of Smoked Beef Brisket or Pulled Pork Sandwich, Texas Beans, Halushki, Coffee or Tea, and Homemade Dessert; Macaroni & Cheese for additional price.



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# **ESSENTIALS OF THE ORTHODOX FAITH**

FALL SESSIONS - 1 THROUGH 8

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 6:00 PM - SESSION #1 CREATION AND THE FALL

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 6:00 PM - SESSION #2 THE KINGDOM OF GOD AND THE WORLD

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 6:00 PM - SESSION #3 GOD, JESUS, AND THE CHRISTIAN LIFE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5 6:00 PM - SESSION #4 WORSHIP

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12 6:00 PM - SESSION #5 THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS IN THE ORTHODOX CHURCH

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26 6:00 PM - SESSION #6 THE HOLY TRINITY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2 6:00 PM - SESSION #7 THE SCRIPTURES IN THE ORTHODOX CHURCH

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9 6:00 PM - SESSION #8 MEETING CHRIST, UNDERSTANDING, AND BEING TRANSFORMED

COMING THURSDAYS, STARTING SEPTEMBER 14TH - AT 6:00 PM

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If you are interested in purchasing a shopping pass for \$5.00, please contact Jennifer Bzik. Passes will also be available for sale at the candle desk, during weekly Pierogi sales, and at the Texas Barbecue on September 16<sup>th</sup>. This is a great opportunity to get an early start on your holiday shopping. All proceeds go directly to St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church. Thank you for your support!

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:**

### **Archbishop Melchisedek Pleska**

**Igumen: Patric Carpenter, 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

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