



**ST. PETER & ST. PAUL
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Leaders of the Apostles and teachers of the world, pray to the Master of all to grant peace to the world and great mercy to our souls.

**Very Rev. Peter Shyshka, Pastor
Cell Phone 646-256-6360
-The Weekly Messenger-
October 6, 2024**

Web Site: www.stspucc.org

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Epistle: Galatians 1:11-19 GOSPEL: Luke 7:11-16

DIVINE LITURGY SCHEDULE

WEEKDAYS: By request until further notice.

SUNDAY: 8:30 AM (Ukr.) & 10:00 AM (Eng.)

Confessions are heard before each Divine Liturgy: Sunday 8:00AM to 8:30AM and 9:30AM to 10:00AM

Religious Education:

Sunday Morning from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM.
Call Audrey Sokol 203-924-1184 for more information.

Preservation – Please use the form in church vestibule, mail it to the church or bring it to the Church Hall Office or Fr. Peter Shyshka.

Address/Name Change/New Phone Number:
Please come to the Church Hall Office to update this info.

Returned checks are subject to a **\$35.00 fee per check.**

Bulletin Notices – Notices for the bulletin must be **in writing** by Wednesday @6PM to be included in that week's bulletin.

Parish Council meets every **3rd Sunday of the month after the 10am Liturgy in the Church Hall.**

Rectory Office Hours - By Appointment until further notice.

****Please Note ****

Liturgy Offerings, Sorokousty, Mother's Day, Father's Day
Checks must be made out to the Fr. Peter Shyshka **not the Church!** Thank You...

Baptism: Arrangements for baptism are to be made in person at the Parish Office. Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

Marriage: Arrangements for marriage are to be made at least **6 months prior** to the Wedding date. Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

Sick Calls – To arrange for Sacraments for the elderly and sick at home, please call the Rectory or Fr. Peter Shyshka.
Please advise the Rectory of any hospitalization.

Estate planning – Remember Sts. Peter & Paul Church in your Will.

Stewardship - "As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace" (1 Peter 4:10). All Catholics, should give generous support—time, money, prayers, and personal service according to their circumstances—to parish and diocesan programs and to the universal Church

Special Share in the Eucharist * – Bread & Wine

offered for a week, month, or year. Donations: one week - \$20.00
Donors/intentions will be listed.

Please come to the Church Hall Office or see **Fr. Peter Shyshka**

Eternal Light * – offered to light for a week \$10.00.

Please come to the Church Hall Office or see **Fr. Peter Shyshka**

Virgin Mary Lamp and Sacred Heart Lamp* also available for offering.
Offered to light for a week is 10.00 each. Please come to the Church Hall Office or see **Fr. Peter Shyshka**

All start on Monday to Sunday!

***Offering must be made when dates are reserved on a first come first served basis!!!!**





A Welcome to St. Peter and St. Paul Parish to all who are worshipping with us today. If you are over twenty-one years of age and have not yet registered, have moved or will be moving, or have a new telephone number, please fill out the form below. Each household must be registered at St. Peter and St. Paul and every adult receives a set of stewardship envelopes. Registration also entails an annual dues to the parish. If a parishioner is not registered, it is difficult for church authorities to issue him or her a sponsor certificate, reference, or any other certification.

Name _____ Phone# _____ Email _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

From Vespers: Let us sing the praises of the Savior, *Who was incarnate of the Virgin,* for He was crucified for our sake,* and on the third day He arose from the dead,* granting us his great mercy.

LITURGIES AND OFFERINGS FOR THE WEEK:

10/05	Saturday	10:00 AM	For +Reverend Joseph, +Stephan and +Helen Nesevitch Foundation Liturgy
10/06	Sunday	8:30 AM	Health and Blessings for all Parishioners
		10:00 AM	For Kelly Nicole Castaldi and + Stephan Kapishka req. by Peter and Barbars Pysarchyk
10/07	Monday	10:00am	+ Anna Garbera Malinak Req. by Ann Malinak
10/08	Tuesday	10:00am	
10/09	Wednesday	No Liturgy	
10/10	Thursday	No Liturgy	
10/11	Friday	No Liturgy	
10/12	Saturday	10:00 AM	+ Leonila Gebuza req.by Steve and Olga Dytko
10/13	Sunday	8:30 AM	Health & Blessings for All Parishioners
		10:00 AM	For the Health of John Malinak req. by Ann Malinak

BREAD & WINE		<i>In Loving Memory of +Anna Garbera Malinak by Son John & Daughter Ann</i>
ETERNAL LIGHT		<i>In Loving Memory of +Leo & +Marilyn Michel by Karen Wilson</i>
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY LAMP		<i>In Loving Memory of +Marilyn Michel by Karen Wilson</i>
SACRED HEART of JESUS LAMP		<i>Good Health & God's Blessings for Roman Gebuza by Michael & Jolanta Kowal & Family</i>

BREAD & WINE OFFERING RESERVED DATES	ETERNAL LIGHT LAMP OFFERING RESERVED DATES	BLESSED VIRGIN MARY LAMP OFFERING RESERVED DATES	SACRED HEART OF JESUS LAMP OFFERING RESERVED DATES
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PRAYER FOR OUR NATION Lord, we pray for peace and unity in our nation today. Keep us in peace, O Christ our God, under the protection of your Holy Cross; save us from our enemies, visible and invisible, that we may glorify You with thanksgiving, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. We pray that You would inspire this nation to be a nation under God. Give us your hope. Give us your peace. Amen. The Light of God ~ surround us. The Love of God ~ enfold us.

The Power of God ~ protect us. The Presence of God ~ watch over us.

The Mind of God ~ Guide us. The Law of God ~ direct us.

Wherever we are God ~ be our strength.



PRAY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE AND THE WORLD: MOST HOLY THEOTOKOS, THROUGH THE PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL, SPREAD YOUR OMOPHOR ~ WE IMPLORER YOUR PROTECTION OVER UKRAINE AND BEG THAT

YOU INTERCEDE WITH OUR LORD TO GRANT PEACE.

PRAYER FOR THE DELIVERANCE OF UKRAINE IN TIME OF INVASION: O Lord God of powers, and God of our salvation, O God, who alone work wonders: look down with mercy and compassion on Your humble servants, and out of love for mankind hearken and have mercy on us and on the land of Ukraine. For, behold, enemies have once more gathered together, in order to cause division and enmity. But You who know all things, understand that they have risen up righteously, and that it will be impossible to oppose their multitudes unless You show us Your help. Therefore, we who are sinful and unworthy pray unto You in repentance and with tears: Help us, O God, our Savior, and deliver the land of Ukraine for the sake of the glory of Your Name, that the enemy may not to say: *"Their God has forsaken them, and there is none to deliver and save them."* But let every nation understand that You are our God, and we Your people are always protected under Your dominion.

2025 Church Envelopes: The **2025** Church envelopes have been ordered.

Due to surplus cemetery reserves, the Parish Council approved the replacement of the “Cemetery Maintenance” envelope with “Church Capital Improvements.”

Please see Michael Wysowski, Jr. if you have any questions, ...

Cantoring Seminar: Father Peter is planning on having a seminar on Basic Cantoring and Lectoring for any parishioners that would like to serve as Backup Cantors or Lectors in the event our Regular Cantor and his Assistant are absent from a Liturgy.

Date and time for the seminar will be announced in The Weekly Messenger.

Please see Father Peter if you are interested...

Religious Education: Reminder for our Students and their Parents...

Next Class: Sunday, October 6, 2024 at 9:00 A.M. in the Church Hall.

Liturgy at 10:00 A.M. immediately following the Class.



Church Hall Office: The Church Hall Office is open on Sunday Morning from 9:30 AM to 12:00 Noon.

Dues payments, Bread & Wine/Lamp offerings, Bishop’s Appeal offerings, new parishioner registrations, monetary exchanges, and any other business matters can be done at this time.

PARISH COUNCIL
Monthly Meeting
October 20th
2024



Monthly Meeting of St. Peter & St. Paul Board of Directors
Sunday, October 20th, 2024
After the 10:00 AM Liturgy in the Church Hall

All Board members are requested to attend!!!!

Pastries and Coffee provided by Linda Fusco

Church Basement Clean-Out:

The Church Basement Clean-Out has been scheduled for Saturday, October 19, 2024 beginning at approximately 11:00 A.M.

All parishioners are welcome to help out with this project. Hope to see you there...



Please Consult your Tax Advisor:

A middle-aged couple was at their CPA's office having their income tax return prepared.

The conversation soon turned to when to start collecting Social Security benefits.

"Michael, Wilma and I worked hard all of our life. We're getting older and we're thinking about retiring. We've been wondering, when is the best time to start collecting our retirement benefits so we can get the most money we can from Social Security. Can you figure that out for us?"

"That's easy Fred. If you take early retirement benefits at age 62 instead of normal retirement benefits at age 65, it's generally about 10 to 12 years before it evens out, but I can tell you the best time to start collecting your Social Security benefits if you can tell me when you and Wilma are going to die."

"Do you have your investment account Form 1099 statements with you?"

Fred & Wilma started to laugh. "Michael, we have no idea when we are going to die. No one does."




Then Michael started to laugh. "That's what a priest once said during a funeral eulogy. We're all walking in the same direction, only we don't know the day or the hour when the Good Lord is going to call us Home. Age and health don't matter, and no one is exempt."

"And an elderly fellow parishioner once told me Michael, it's not easy, but I try to live each day of my life to the fullest, as if it's the last day of my life here on Earth."

"Well guys, you owe the IRS \$5,000., the State \$1,000., my fee is \$350., and see if you can find out when you're going to die and I'll do that calculation for you."

Fred & Wilma paid their income taxes, paid their tax preparation fee, applied for their Social Security benefits, and are spending as much time as they can with their family and friends...



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