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**For Health & God’s blessings for all our parishioners**

За здоров’я та Боже благословення для парафіян

**+Antonina Revilyak, 9 d.**

Дочки і внуки

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OFTEN FOR THE WEEKEND OF JULY 13-14, 2019
Basket: $1605.00; Feast: $5.00; Candles: $139.00; Kitchen: $350.00; Bingo: $1200.00; Other: $126.23.

May our Lord God bless you for your generosity to our Cathedral and remember that God will reward you.

Please remember your Cathedral in your Testament! Пам`ятайте, будь-ласка, про вашу Катедру в своєму заповіті!!!
** WE WELCOME ALL TO COME TRY OUR PYROHY AND OTHER DELICIOUS FOODS IN THE PARISH HALL
Thank you goes to Mary Fedorin and Maria Salapata for the donation you have made!

Proper Church Attire: Church is a sacred place with its traditions. When we come to worship we should respect those traditions.

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Entering the Church. Arrive on Time - The time to arrive at church is before the service starts. If you arrive after the Divine Liturgy has begun, try to enter the church quietly and at the appropriate moment. We must not be walking in or around the church when the Gospel is being read, when a procession is taking place, or at any time that the priest is facing the congregation.

Fast before the Liturgy. It is a Church law that one fasts for at least 1 hour before receiving Holy Communion. Water and medicine can be consumed, of course. The purpose is to help us prepare to receive Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Please be quiet while in church. Once you enter the church – it is not the time or place to visit with those around you. If you must talk - do so as quietly and briefly as possible. Remember that your conversation might be disturbing someone who is in prayer, which is much more important. Sssshhhhh.

Leave quietly. We encourage you to visit with others, but once you are outside of the church you won’t disturb others who want to stay and pray. So, please leave quietly and then visit afterward.

Cell phones should never be used in Divine Liturgy for calls or texting. The exceptions are emergencies (big ones, not everyday ones) and if you do use one, please walk out of church to do so. Also, if you are using the phone for readings or prayers, this is appropriate, but try to be discreet.

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SEEKING A CATHEDRAL HALL MANAGER: We are looking for a person to manage our Cathedral Banquet Hall. Interested and qualified persons are asked to contact the Rectory office at 215-922-2845.

CATHEDRAL ROOF REPAIR: There have been a few roof leaks in our Cathedral for the past several years. Total cost for this work was $65,000.00 (roof repair by patching and sealing of the Cathedral dome and around stained glass windows). We ask our Parishioners and all the people of good will to support this project and contribute to the specially established fund, which will serve to cover the costs for this repair. Please make your generous donations to the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral. So far we have received these donations: $25,000.00 - Kowal Family, Donna & Joseph Dobrovolskyj; $1000.00 - Michael Casmer, Maria Wikarczuk, Sonja Wysockanski; $500.00 - anonymous, John Schyplchak; Michael & Eva Sosnowyj, Roxolana Horbowyj, James & Barbara Magura, Walter & Mary Fedorin, Marc Zaharchuk, Nicholas & Maria Denkowycz; $400.00 - anonymous; $300.00 - Theodosia & Christina Hewko, Barbara Bershak, Maria & Donald Taney; $275.00 - John & Paula Finley (in memory of Bishop Walter Paska); $250.00 - Kenneth Hitchins, Rita Malinowski, Alexander & Alyson Fedkiw, Oleg & Alla Boychenko, Ronald Maxymuk, Sr.; $200.00 - Arkadij & Julia Fedkiw, Wasyl Makar, Douglas Nefferdorf, anonymous, Walter & Anna Chajka, Maria Jackiw; $170.00 - Stephanie Pogas (Temple University student); $150.00 - Michael Woznyj; $130.00 - Zdorow Family; $125.00 - Karen Appicciafuoco & Anne Evans; $100.00 - Olga Simeonides, Teresa Siwak, Patrycia & Lydia Myr, Anna Siwak, Anna Smolij, John & Donna Sharak, Irene Harlow, Roma Kohut, Maryann Bramlage, Oksana Tatunach & Jossip Oursta; $50.00 - anonymous, Anna Krawchuk, Anton Tyszko, WJM; $40.00 - Anelia Szaruga. Total as of this weekend is: $18,890.00. Only $46,110.00 left. May our Lord Jesus Christ reward you a hundredfold for your generosity and bless you and your Families. THANK YOU!

COME AND WORSHIP WITH US DURING YOUR VACATION AT THE JERSEY SHORE!: For all who are vacationing during the Summer months in Wildwood Crest, NJ, the Ukrainian Catholic Summer Mission in Wildwood Crest invites you to come and worship with us! We celebrate the Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom in Ukrainian (homily in English and Ukrainian) every Sunday evening at 6:30 pm from Sunday, July 7th, through Sunday, September 1st, 2019, located at: Crest Community Church, 5901 Pacific Avenue, Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260. Crest Community Church is located on the corner of Pacific Avenue and Crocus Road. For more information, please contact Father Roman Sverdan at 856-482-0938 or Marusha Cyhan at 609-522-2811. We look forward to having you and your family spiritually refresh yourselves with us during your vacation at the Jersey Shore in Wildwood Crest!

PRIHODYTE I MOLITŚĆ Z NAMI PÓD VÁŠICH VAKAČIÍ NA UZBERŽEJ IJU DŽERŽI!: Ukrajinska katolička líčina misi v Vaylud Krest zaprúža všich, kto budie na líčin vakačiach v Vaylud Krest, Н. Дж., та околові, приходити молиться разом з нами! My budeme vodívat' Bожественну Літургію св. Івана Золотоустого українською мовою (проповідь українською та англійською) кожну неділю в 6:30 вечора, починаючи з неділі 7 липня, до неділі 1-го вересня 2019р., за адресою:Crest Community Church, 5901 Pacific Ave, Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260. Церква знаходиться на перехресті вулиці Pacific Ave. та Crocus Road. Щодо додаткової інформації просимо з'єднатися з о. Романом Сверданом за № тел.: (856)482-0938, або з Марусею Циган за № тел.: (609)522-2811. Ми сподіваємося на зустріч з вами і вашою родиною під час сімейного, духовного відпочинку разом з нами в вашіх вакаціях на узбережжі Нью Джерзі в Вайлуд Креств!

ПРОСИМО МОЛИТСЯ З ХВОРІХ: Просимо подати імена своїх рідних або знайомих, котрі перебувають у стані хвороби та потребують нашої молитвової допомоги щодо швидкого одужання. Також пам'ятайте у своїх молитвах за тих, хто не може вийти з дому або перебуває у старечому домі чи шпиталі. Молімось за здоров'я та одужання (імена надруковані нижче).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Please submit the names of your relatives or friends who do not feel well so that we may include them in the bulletin. We will pray for them that God restore their health. Also, remember in your prayers all those who are homebound, in care facilities or impeded by illness. Pray for the well being and health of: Maria Jackiw, Peggy Konzerowski, Michael Lubianetsky, Maria Plekan, Jack Righter, Maria Sawicky, Marika Borowycka, Bohdan Makar, Dana & Vitalij Karlo Dzindziura, Paul Gerber, Jr, Daria Zaharchuk, Julia Jakubowsky.

CONFESSIONS: If you would like to receive the grace of forgiveness in the Mystery of Confession, a priest is available to hear confessions every half hour before the Divine Liturgy, i.e. at 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays and at 8:30 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. on Sundays. Most of the times we have visiting priests during the Divine Liturgies. Avail yourself of God’s gifts of mercy and spiritual renewal. If you are admitted to the hospital or are at home and would like a priest to visit you, please call the Cathedral office at 215-922-2845, or in case of an emergency call (908) 217-7202.

СПОВІЩІ: Отримати дар Святої Тайни Сповіді можна до початку Божествених Літургій: з 4:00 год. вечора щосуботи та з 8:30 ранку і з 10:15 цю дійсні. Також дуже часто є кілька священиків, котрі є присутні у сповідальниці під час Святих Літургій. Отже, якщо ви потрапили до шпиталю, або вдома і бажаєте, щоби хто зі своїми свяченниками відвідав вас, просимо зателефонувати до Катедрального офісу за номером 215-922-2845, або у випадку нагальної потреби телефонуйте за номером (908) 217-7202.

BAPTISMS: The Sacraments of Baptism and Chrismation are administered upon a request by the parents, or an adult who wishes to be baptized. Please contact Fr. Roman Pitula to make arrangements at least two weeks in advance.

ХРЕЩЕННЯ: Св. Тайни Хрещення та Миропомазання уділяються на прохання батьків або дорослого, який бажає охрестися. Просимо звернутися до о. Романа Пітули принаймні за два тижні наперед.

MARRIAGES: The Sacrament of Marriage requires a time of spiritual preparation. Couples planning to be married are asked to make an appointment with Fr. Roman Pitula to set a date for the wedding and to begin preparations (including Pre-Cana) at least six months before the wedding.

ОДРУЖЕННЯ: Тайна Подружжя вимагає певного духовного приготування. Тому подружжя, які планують одружитися, мають зустрітися з о. Романом Пітулою, щоб визначити дату та почати приготування принаймні за шість місяців перед шлюбом.

ASK THE PASTOR (questions-answers)

QUESTION: Why do you confess your sins to a priest?

ANSWER: Jesus Christ gave His disciples - and by extension, priests - the power not only to "loose" sins (that is, forgive in God's name), but also to "bind" (that is, impose penances): "Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven" (Mt. 18:18 - see also Mt. 16:19). "If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained" (Jn. 20:23). Priest serves as the representative of God and of His mercy. Confession gives new courage, confidence and a fresh start. One learns humility by this practice, receives additional grace in order to avoid sin and attains a certainty of forgiveness that is superior to mere feelings. Confession is also indicated in Matthew (3:5-6), Acts (19:18) and 1 John (1:9).
A few words of God’s Wisdom…

One stormy night many years ago, an elderly man and his wife entered the lobby of a small hotel in Philadelphia, USA. Trying to get out of the rain, the couple approached the front desk hoping to get some shelter for the night.

“Could you possibly give us a room here?” – the husband asked.

The clerk, a friendly man with a winning smile, looked at the couple and explained that there were three conventions in town. “All of our rooms are taken,” the clerk said. “But I can’t send a nice couple like you out into the rain at one o’clock in the morning. Would you perhaps be willing to sleep in my room? It’s not exactly a suite, but it will be good enough to make you folks comfortable for the night.” When the couple declined, the young man pressed on. “Don’t worry about me, I’ll make out just fine,” the clerk told them. So the couple agreed.

As he paid his bill the next morning, the elderly man said to the clerk, “You are the kind of manager who should be the boss of the best hotel. Maybe someday I’ll build one for you.” The clerk looked at them and smiled. The three of them had a good laugh.

As they drove away, the elderly couple agreed that the helpful clerk was indeed exceptional, as finding people who are both friendly and helpful isn’t easy.

Two years passed. The clerk had almost forgotten the incident when he received a letter from the old man. It recalled that stormy night and enclosed a round-trip ticket to New York, asking the young man to pay them a visit.

The old man met him in New York, and led him to the corner of Fifth Avenue and 34th Street. He then pointed to a great new building there, a pale reddish stone, with turrets and watchtowers thrusting up to the sky.

“That,” said the older man, “is the hotel I have just built for you to manage.”

“You must be joking.” – the young man said.

“I can assure you I am not.” – said the older man, a sly smile playing around his mouth.

The hotel’s name was William Waldorf-Astoria, and that magnificent structure was the original Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. The young clerk who became its first manager was George C. Boldt. This young clerk never foresaw the turn of events that would lead him to become the manager of one of the world’s most glamorous hotels.

THE HOTEL CLERK

Author Unknown

The Sunday School teacher was describing that when Lot’s wife looked back at Sodom she turned into a pillar of salt. Then Bobby interrupted, “My mommy looked back once while she was driving,” he announced, “and she turned into a telephone pole.”