Schedule for the Week

SUNDAY - 02 April - FIFTH SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT - Sunday of the St. Mary of Egypt
Hebrews 9:11-14  Mark 10:32-45

9:30 AM - DIVINE LITURGY

5PM - PASIYA Service

Monday; 03 April  - The Venerable James the Confessor, Bishop of the Studium

Tuesday; 04 April - The Holy Hieromartyr Basil, Presbyter of Ancyra
Isaiah 49:6-10  Genesis 31:3-16  Proverbs 21:3-21

9 AM - LENTEN HOURS

6:30 PM - MOLEBEN TO THE MOTHER OF GOD FOR THE PEACE AND STABILITY OF UKRAINE
St. Mary Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral 1310 Fullerton Avenue Allentown

Wednesday: 05 April - The Holy Martyr Nikon and 199 Disciples in Sicily

9 AM - LENTEN HOURS

4 PM - LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS

Thursday; 06 April - The Venerable Zachariah the Recluse of Egypt

9 AM - LENTEN HOURS

Friday; 07 April - THE ANNUNCIATION TO THE HOLY BIRTH-GIVER OF GOD AND EVER VIRGIN MARY (Major Holy Day)

9 AM - LENTEN HOURS

4 PM - VESPERAL LITURGY FOR THE FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION

Saturday; 08 April - LAZARUS SATURDAY

9 AM - DIVINE LITURGY

SUNDAY - 09 April - PALM/WILLOW SUNDAY - Entrance of Our Lord Jesus Christ into Jerusalem
Philippians 4:4-9  John 12:1-18

9:30 AM - DIVINE LITURGY with Blessing of Palms and Willow Branches

Announcements

•  **ANNUAL PARISH MEETING** - We wish to thank every one who participated in last Sunday’s Annual General Parish Meeting. At his meeting a draft of new By-Laws for our parish were approved. We will
now send this draft to the Consistory of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA in South Bound Brook, NJ for approval. The new parish officers elected last Sunday are: President- Bohdan Zelechiwsky; Vice-President- Walter Milinichik; Treasurer- Vera Muzychka; Financial Secretary - Robin Bodnar; Secretary - Nikolai Fartuch; Auditor- John Onulack; Membership - John Koretski and Yaryna Pukalo. These officers of the parish will take their oath of offices as soon as we receive the blessing from His Eminence Metropolitan Antony.

**AID TO UKRAINE CONTINUES:** As the Russian War on Ukraine continues into a second year, our assistance also continues. We are now partnering with UNITED HELP UKRAINE, an organization that has proven itself over the past year to get the necessary help to Ukraine where it needs to be. In addition to this, we have adopted a military unit, in the Lviv Oblast, to provide them with small items that make their defense of Ukraine easier. Please check the bulletin regularly for updates on the items needed.

**Fasting before Holy Communion** - Please note: anyone planning to receive Holy Communion at any of the Presanctified Liturgies should follow the rule of fasting and have only one full meal during the day, usually in the evening after receiving Holy Communion. In addition, they should also not have anything to eat after 12 Noon.

**PYROHY SALE:** - Pyrohy are available for sale. Potato/cheese and Sauerkraut. $10 a dozen. Please see Barbara Hutzayluk for purchase.

**PASCHA SALE:** Our own Sisterhood of St. Anna will be making Paschas this year as fund-raiser. Please see the attached flyer for information and please support these hard working ladies in their efforts to help our church.

**PUSSY WILLOWS** - The mild winter has caused an early spring. Therefore, things are budding and blossoming very early this year. We ask those of you who have pussy willow bushes to keep an eye on them and cut the branches before they start going to pollen and keep them in a cool place until Willow Sunday - please do not bring them to the church; we simply do not have anywhere to store them. We are very grateful to anyone who can donate branches.

**MONTHLY PRAYER SERVICE FOR THOSE SUFFERING WITH CANCER AND OTHER ILLNESS** - The next special monthly prayer service for those suffering with cancer and other illness, to the Mother of God “Queen of All” will take place this Monday; 17 April. If you would like to remember anyone in prayer, please submit their names on the list available in the Chapel and deposit it in the chapel near the icon of the Mother of God, Queen of All. Donations can also be placed in the same receptacle.

**ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES** - Classes continue every Saturday at 10 AM. Our own choir director, John Koretski leads the class. Anyone interested is welcome.

**Adult Ukrainian Language Classes** - Classes continue every Thursday at 6 PM. Mr. Ihor Mirchuk is the instructor. Anyone interested is welcome.

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Today’s Liturgical Propers

*(at the Divine Liturgy)*

**Tone 1 Troparion** *(Resurrection)*

When the stone had been sealed by the Jews,
while the soldiers were guarding Your most pure body,
You rose on the third day, O Savior,
granting life to the world.
The powers of heaven therefore cried to You, O Giver of Life:
“Glory to Your Resurrection, O Christ!
Glory to Your Kingdom! //
Glory to Your dispensation, O Lover of mankind!”

**Tone 8 Troparion** *(St. Mary of Egypt)*

The image of God was truly preserved in you, O Mother,
for you took up the Cross and followed Christ.
By so doing, you taught us to disregard the flesh for it passes away;
but to care instead for the soul, for it is immortal. //
Therefore your spirit, O holy Mother Mary, rejoices with the angels.

**Tone 1 Kontakion** *(Resurrection)*

As God, You rose from the tomb in glory, raising the world with Yourself. Human nature praises You as God, for death has vanished. Adam exults, O Master! Eve rejoices, for she is freed from bondage and cries to You: “You are the Giver of Resurrection to all, O Christ!”

**Tone 3 Kontakion** *(St. Mary of Egypt)*

Having been a sinful woman, you became through repentance a bride of Christ. Having attained angelic life, you defeated demons with the weapon of the Cross. Therefore, O most glorious Mary, you are a bride of the Kingdom.

**Tone 1 Prokeimenon** *(Resurrection)*

Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us /as we have set our hope on You! (Ps. 32:22)

V. Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the just! (Ps. 32:1)

**Tone 4 Prokeimenon** *(St. Mary of Egypt)*

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

**Epistle**

Hebrews 9:11-14

**Tone 1**

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

V. God gives vengeance unto me, and subdues people under me. (Ps. 17:48)

V. He magnifies the salvation of the King and deals mercifully with David, His anointed, and his seed forever. (Ps. 17:51)

**Tone 1**

V. I waited patiently for the Lord; He attended to me and heard my supplication. (Ps. 39:1)

**Gospel**

Mark 10:32-45

*(Instead of “It is truly meet…” we sing the following)*

**Hymn to the Mother of God**

All of creation rejoices in you, O Full of Grace: the assembly of angels and the race of men. O sanctified temple and spiritual paradise; the glory of virgins, from whom God was incarnate and became a Child – our God before the ages. He made your body into a throne,
and your womb He made more spacious than the heavens.
All of creation rejoices in you, O Full of Grace.
Glory to you!

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! *(Ps. 148:1)*
The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance! He shall not fear evil tidings! *(Ps. 111:6)*
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

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ST. ANNA SISTERHOOD
PASKA SALE
Plain or Raisin: $12

See one of the Sisterhood members following Divine Liturgy on March 12, 19, 26 to place your order;

Or Call the Church Office: 610-820-0821

PICK UP YOUR ORDER
April 2, 2022 or on
Orthodox Palm Sunday April 9, 2022.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

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Donations For Ukraine Wishlist—THANK YOU
UPDATED 02-21-23

UNITED HELP UKRAINE delivers to De-Occupied Territories and to Internally Displaced Families.
PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE AHEAD TO ARRANGE DROP-OFF.

1. Emergency supplies
   - Solar lights – any type
   - Flashlights, lanterns – preferably solar or hybrid
   - Batteries – any type
2. **OTC Medication**
   - Hydrocortisone, Preparation H, Athlete foot (and any other useful ointments)
   - Anti-diarrhea and constipation drugs
   - Painkillers and fever reducers
   - Vitamins

3. **Food**
   Non-perishable, at least 6 months before expiration date, no glass jars, sturdy packaging
   - Canned meat, canned milk
   - High protein canned food: beans with meat etc.
   - Peanut butter, nutella
   - Rice, pasta, mashed potato flakes, other grains
   - Energy bars, chocolate bars, nut bars
   - Non-bulky crackers, fig bars, cereals
   - Tea (bagged and loose leaf)
   - Coffee: instant, beans, or grounded (no pods)

4. **Adult Personal Hygiene**
   - Adult diapers
   - Soap bars
   - Pads for women
   - Toothpaste/Mouth Wash/Tooth paste

5. **Household Items**
   - Non-liquid laundry detergents
   - Non-liquid cleaning supplies
   - Disinfecting wipes
   - Mosquito and Ticks Detergents

**KIDS**

6. **Babies**
   - Diapers – sizes 3-5
   - Formula (unexpired)