

# St. Demetrius Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral



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**EPISTLE:** Acts 11:19-26, 29-30

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**GOSPEL:** John 4:5-42

*Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!*

**MAY 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2017 – “SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN”**

**HAPPY MOTHER’S DAY!**

**TODAY’S SERVICES:**

**SUN. 8:30 AM** Greeter – Stan Nartowicz  
Memorial Prayer for Barbara Hedesh by the Sr. UOL  
**9:00 AM** Divine Liturgy – Sunday of the Samaritan Woman, Holy Apostle James, St. John the Theologian, St. Donatus, Hieromartyr Basil, and Martyr Maximus – Prayers for all Mothers of our St. Demetrius Family  
**10:30 AM** Memorial Prayer for Maria Warianka (5<sup>th</sup> Anniv.) by Ann Kazio & Raczynsky Fam.

**SERVICES FOR THE WEEK:**

**SUN. 8:30 AM** Memorial Prayer for Julie Cholowsky (40<sup>th</sup> Day) by the Family  
**9:00 AM** Divine Liturgy – The Blind Man – Holy Apostle & Evan. John The Theologian, Ven. Arsenius and Pimen

**NEXT WEEK:**

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Greeter – Linda McClester  
Subdeacon Richard Jendras, James D Cairns, Qorey D. Carter  
**READERS:** Subdeacon Richard Jendras, Stephanie Chubenko

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES:** to Thomas Lokos, Gregory Chubenko, and to all those celebrating their special intentions, we pray for them all “Mnohaya Lita”, “God Grant You All – many blessed years!”

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Joseph Lesky, Pani MaryAnn, Ava Cerkevich, and Patty Tucker. Michelle Goldberg, Stella Meka, Mary & Frank Wrublewski, Alan Toth, Raymond Wizna, Nancy Grabie, Stephanie Senedak, Catherine & Catherine Bylinski, Louise Hrycuna, Anna Muzyka, Kathleen Ward, Olivia Zazworsky, Margaret York, Ann Marie Rowland, John, Pat, Olga, Nadia, Chet, Alex, Stan, children Tessa, Ava, Liana, Robert, and Tommy. We remember Fr. Bazyl, Fr. Nestor, Fr. John, all the sick, the suffering, and for the men and women serving in our armed forces, we pray the Lord’s Protection upon them all.

**ALL SAINTS CAMP:** Booster Club chances are available for Calendar Year 2017. A \$25 donation buys you a chance to win every day in 2017. Please see Nadja Mrak for information and tickets. All Saints Camp continually thanks you for your support!

**PARISH FAMILY EMERGENCIES:** Please call Fr. Taras directly on his cell phone (732-744-6547), or Deacon James cell phone (732-619-3259). Emergencies only!

**BUILDING FUND THANK YOU:** to Kathleen and Stacy Ward, and to Barbara and Chet Bohanek, Jr., for their donations in memory of Julie Cholowsky. Also, we’d like to thank Walter and Miriam C.K. Pachniuk for their generous gift to aid our church and her beauty. God Bless you all for your generosity and caring.

**SR. UOL CLOTHING DRIVE:** They will be collecting items for the Spring Clothing Drive. The heavier the better. Please bring tied bags to the Center during Coffee Hour. You can leave items in the hallway between the kitchen and the basement door, however, please do not block the doors or stairways. Kindly refrain from bringing bags to the rectory or the church. Any questions, please call Joanne Mazan, at 908-499-7835.

**TODAY: JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR IN THE CENTER**

**SR. UOL MEETING:** Monday, June 5th, 5:30 pm. It will be a pot luck dinner meeting at the Center Patio. Bring your favorite covered dish!

**EVENT CALENDAR:** We want everyone to know our activities for the year, and encourage their participation. Please make suggestions for new events to the Parish Board, and our related organizations. Kindly give Fr. Taras and Fr. Deacon James all events for the year; we will produce a calendar of activities for the entire year for distribution.

**EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT:** Our own J.D. Cairns is taking on the tiling of the church entry way and is looking for assistance both financial and help in completing the project. Can you help get him going with this very worthwhile project? Please talk to JD about the project.

**SEMINARIAN ORPHANAGE PROJECT:** those of you who feel compelled to help, please note that some of our seminarians will be traveling to Ukraine to work at the orphanages by doing maintenance and/or working with the Orphans. You may make donations here at St. Demetrius by earmarking your gift for the seminarians or you can send your donations directly to the seminary. Either way, your concern and financial help is greatly appreciated.

**WHY JOIN?** I constantly remind our parishioners ... YOU ... that you are invited to be a part of the *Ukrainian Orthodox League, the Men’s Club, Sisterhood, PTA, the Choir, Church Board* or any other part of our congregation asking for your help and participation. Why is it so difficult to become a part of these worthwhile and productive parts of our Church? Our organizations need you! The CHURCH needs you. I am often reminded that people want to be asked to take part in events or needs of the church. Unfortunately I can’t invite each of you at every instance to participate, that’s why it is so important that we have organizations in our church that take on these necessary tasks. Won’t you please be a part of them and put a little effort in helping the church as you help yourself. If you wonder how to join, please ask Fr. Taras.

**CARTERET POLICE DEPARTMENT:** Invite you to a Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Watch program on May 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the Community Center/Library. TOPIC: *The Heroin Epidemic*. Discussion and refreshments after the meeting. For additional Information please call 732-541-4127 – ask for Susan Skoczypiec.