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Epistle: Phil.4:4-9;

Gospel: Jn.12:1-18;

April 13th; Sunday of the Lord's Entry into Jerusalem

Glory to Jesus Christ!

TODAY'S SERVICES:

Holy Sacrament of the Confession is available on Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

April 13th Palm Sunday Divine Liturgy at 9:30 a.m. FOLLOWING BY BLESSINGS OF THE PALM

BRANCHES FOR THE FEAST DAY.

Coffee hour after Divine Liturgy at St. Demetrius Center

Please join us for a special celebration

SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

Beloved brothers and sisters in the Lord. Please follow the appendix with schedule/time/service for the Holy Week and Pascha.

Altar Servers: Subdeacon Daniel Mazan, Qorey Carter, Ryan Fealy, Daniel Mazan, Bryce Buitrago, Brandon Banko.

Readers: Subdeacon Thomas Bodnar, Subdeacon Daniel Mazan, Qorey Carter, Ryan Fealy.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR: Helena Werner; Nicholas Chichik; Robert&Olga Cousins; Joyce Wizna; Diane (Decibus) Morgan; Richard Hrycuna; John Zelenak; Veronika Deli; Nancy Grabie; Raymond Wizna; and children of God: Jacob & Jonathan; Sofia. Remembering all the sick, the suffering, those in hospitals and nursing homes, and all the men and women in the US Military, who serve our country and all of us. Please keep them in your prayers daily, asking God's protection upon them all.

Happy Birthday! – Our Parish Congregation sincerely expresses greetings to our Brothers and Sisters of **St. Demetrius Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral** who celebrate Birthdays on this following week of **APRIL: Nicholas Prociuk; Dennis Sartain; Nelia Protsak.** May the Lord God Almighty send upon you His Blessings for many blessed years!

If you would like to have a birthday or special event announced in the bulletin for upcoming week for a family member or friend not on our Church roster, please consider making a donation to the building fund in their honor.

HELENA AND HENRY POGODA



Special Intentions: If you have a need for prayers for any intention, please send them to me (call, email or text a message – contact info in this Bulletin). I will include these in my personal prayers and as the Liturgy is celebrated. Contact me about this via phone or email.



In the Icon of the Feast of Palm Sunday, Christ is the central figure, depicted seated upon the colt of a donkey as He enters Jerusalem, a fulfillment of the prophecy found in Zechariah 9:9. Christ is blessing with His right hand, and in His left hand is a scroll, symbolizing that He is the fulfillment of the Old Testament prophecies concerning the Messiah, the Anointed One who has come to redeem us from our sins and break the power of death. The colt, one of the animals that were considered unclean according to the Law, is symbolic of the inclusion of all peoples of all nations in the new covenant that will come through the death and Resurrection of Christ (Isaiah 62:10-11). It is also a sign that our Lord has revealed a heavenly and spiritual kingdom that offers true and enduring peace.

On the right, the disciples accompany Jesus in His Triumphal Entry. Depicted on the left are the Jews who greet Him crying “Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!” The word “Hosanna” means “Save, I pray” or “Save now.”

The children are the small people who are greeting Christ with palm branches and laying these and their garments on the ground before Christ as tokens of honor for one who is acknowledged as a King. The city of Jerusalem is shown as the walled buildings, and the temple is depicted as the building with the dome.



LET US HELP TOGETHER

Altar server Qorey Carter is doing a service project titled “Pennies for Peace”. He is collecting your unwanted pennies and loose pocket change with all monies collected going to **Kind Deeds to be used to help our wounded Ukrainian soldiers.** *The jar is in the back of the church.*

Roll cake pick up, on Palm Sunday, at St. Demetrius Center – *(not in the Church's Basement)*

ALL EMERGENCIES: PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CALL Fr. Ihor for any and all emergencies – for hospital, nursing home, or home visitations. Please call his Cell number 732-209-5994, if necessary, please leave a voice message, Father will return your call as soon as possible.

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This year the Eastern Orthodox churches around the world observe Easter a few weeks later than the western churches. So the observance of the Resurrection of Christ/PASCHA will be on Sunday, **APRIL – 20TH**.

DATE/TIMES/SERVICES

April 14th **MON. PRE-SANCTIFIED LITURGY AT 6:00 P.M.** *(Dedicated to the children of the parish)*

April 15th **TUE. PRE-SANCTIFIED LITURGY AT 6:00 P.M.** *(Dedicated to the all senior citizens)*

April 16th **GREAT WEDNESDAY
HOLY UNCTION SERVICE AT 6:00 P.M.**
(Anointing for Healing)

April 17th **GREAT THURSDAY
12 PASSION GOSPELS
(6:00 P.M.)**

April – 18th **GOOD FRIDAY – CRUCIFIXION
PROCESSION WITH SHROUD
(6:00 P.M.)**

April 19th **HOLY SATURDAY
DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. BASIL THE GREAT
(10:00A.M.)**

Blessing of Baskets 12:00 p.m. (Church's Hall)

April 20th **SUNDAY - HOLY PASCHA**

6:45AM- *(Elevation & Entry of the Shroud)*

7:00AM- *Procession and Matins Service*

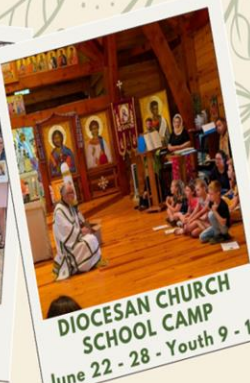
**8:30AM -RESURRECTIONAL DIVINE LITURGY
BLESSING of PASCHAL FOODS after Divine Liturgy**



Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA Camping Programs 2025 Season



ST. NICHOLAS PROGRAM
JUNE 18 - 21 - All Ages



DIOCESAN CHURCH SCHOOL CAMP
June 22 - 28 - Youth 9 - 13



TEENAGE CONFERENCE
June 29 - July 12
Teens 13-18



MOMMY/DADDY & ME
July 20 - 24
Children 4-8 & Parents

FAMILY FEST/ LABOR DAY WEEKEND - WORK WEEKENDS (AS ANNOUNCED)

**Mark your calendars and start planning
for a summer filled with
FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, AND FUN!**

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Цього 2025-го року усі Православні Християни Східного обряду святкують Воскресіння Господнє **20-го Квітня**. Щиро запрошуємо вас дорогі брати і сестри на Богослужіння, деталі котрих ви знайдете у цьому розкладі.

Розклад Богослужінь:

Квітень 14-го **Пон. Літургія Раніше-освячених Дарів 6:00 P.M.**

Квітень 15-го **Вів. Літургія Раніше-освячених Дарів 6:00 P.M.**

Квітень 16-го **Середа**
Таїнство Маслосвяття/Соборування
(6:00 P.M.)

Квітень 17-го **Страсний Четвер**

Читання 12-ти страсних Євангелій
(6:00 P.M.)

Квітень 18-го **Велика П'ятниця**
Вечірня з виносом Плащаниці
(6:00 P.M.)

Квітень 19-го **Велика Субота**
Літургія Св. Василя Великого
(10:00A.M.)

*Освячення Пасхальних кошиків у
Церковному залі о 12:00 p.m. (після
Літургії)*

Квітень 20-го **Світле Воскресіння**
Господа і Спаса нашого Ісуса Христа

6:45AM- *Надгробне*

7:00AM- *Воскресна Утрення*

8:30AM- *Пасхальна Служба Божжа*

Освячення Пасхальних кошиків відбудеться одразу після літургії

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