



**SAINT NICHOLAS
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MYSTERY OF HOLY CONFESSION: Before & after Saturday evening Vespers. Other Sacraments by appointment.

GOING TO THE HOSPITAL? Please notify Father when you are admitted if you want him to visit. Kindly notify Father also when you are discharged.

SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES

For the week of November 6:

Sun., November 6: (After Liturgy) **Panachida** in memory of +*Jay Koprak*. Requested by Mary Jane Koprak.

Mon., November 7: (6:30 PM) **Moleben** to Saint Nectarios. Requested by Virginia Polinsky

Thurs., November 10: (6:30 PM) **Moleben** to the Most Holy Theotokos.

Sat., November 12: (6:00 PM) **Great Vespers** for the *21'st Sunday after Pentecost*. Propers for Tone 4 and the Holy Apostle Stachys of the Seventy.

**Sunday, November 13:
The 21'st Sunday after Pentecost**

8:15 AM: **Matins**.

10:00 AM: **Divine Liturgy** for the *21'st Sunday after Pentecost*. Regular Sunday Antiphons and the Beatitudes. Propers for Tone 4 on pp. 90-92. "**Zastupnice**" from the hand-out sheets.

 THE ETERNAL LAMP burns with prayers and best wishes for a **Happy 93'rd Birthday** on November 8 to **Judy Moore**. Requested by *Family*.

THE LEFT SIDE ALTAR LAMPS (Prothesis) burn with prayers for **Laney & Anna Ross**. Requested by *Laney & Cindi Ross*.

THE RIGHT SIDE ALTAR LAMPS (Diakonikon) burn with prayers and best wishes for a **Happy Birthday** to **Chas Snider**. Requested by *Gram Koval*.

THE TETRAPOD LAMPS burn with prayers for **Special Intentions**. Requested by *Theresa Reese*.

TODAY'S SUNDAY BULLETIN is sponsored with prayers and best wishes for a **Happy & Blessed Birthday** to **Chas Snider**. Requested by *Chuck, Joyce and Brandon*.

THIRD ANNOUNCEMENT. The Yearly Congregational Meeting of Saint Nicholas Orthodox Church will be held **NEXT Sunday, November 13, 2016** following the Divine Liturgy. All parishioners who are in **good standing** from both a **spiritual AND financial perspective** should plan to attend. **Chicken** will be provided for the Coffee Hour. Please bring **side dishes**.

NEW PARISH DIRECTORIES for 2016-2017 are now available in the back of church. Special thanks to **John & Marilyn Brady** for preparing these directories for us. **Many Years and May God Bless!**

SPECIAL THANKS to **Theresa Reese** for decorating the icons of Our Lord and the Holy Theotokos on the iconostas for Thanksgiving. *Many Years & God Bless!*

YOUTH CHOIR PRACTICE will be held *this Monday, November 7*, after the Moleben to Saint Nectarios. (Approximately **7:15 PM**) It's not too late to be a part of this Youth Choir. Just come to the practices! We would like all of our young people to be part of this special choir to honor the Holy Theotokos as her miraculous myrrh-streaming icon comes to visit our parish on December 9!

NEW PARISH WEBSITE! If you haven't visited our parish website lately, you're in for a real treat! We now have a new hosting service for our website, which has been offered free of charge to our Diocesan parishes by the Greek Archdiocese. Our new website has many more features and direct links to Facebook and Diocesan sources. Check it out! The address is the same as before: **www.stnicholasbarton.org**

ALL MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH are invited to join us for a day of service at the **WHEELING SOUP KITCHEN** on Saturday, November 19 from **8:30 AM til 1-1:30 PM**. Volunteers must be at least 9 yrs. old. All children must be accompanied by a supervising adult for the duration of our visit. Please **sign-up** if you will be attending.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE. It's time to collect for our annual food drive! Please bring your *non-perishable food item donations* to the vestibule of the church anytime up to Thanksgiving Day. A *monetary collection* will be taken-up at the Thanksgiving Service and at the Divine Liturgy on the Sunday after Thanksgiving. Proceeds will benefit a local food bank. Let's do our best to assist the least of our brethren who need our help!

IOCC SUNDAY. The **International Orthodox Christian Charities** is the humanitarian aid agency of Orthodox Christians. IOCC responds to the call of Our Lord Jesus Christ to minister to those who are suffering and are in need throughout the world, sharing with them God's gifts of food, shelter, economic self-sufficiency and hope. To assist this ministry, we will take-up a special collection here at our church on Sunday, November 20. **Please use the special envelopes provided in your envelope box for this collection to help those in need throughout the world.**

THANKSGIVING SERVICE. We will have a special Moleben of Thanksgiving here at our church on Wednesday evening, November 23 at **6:30 PM**. This will be the *ONLY* service for Thanksgiving. **Please Note:** You may eat meat on the Friday after Thanksgiving, by special dispensation from the Diocese.

THE WEEPING "KARDIOTISSA" ICON of the Holy Theotokos from Taylor, PA will visit our Church on Friday, December 9. Spread the word, and invite your family, neighbors and friends! A Moleben to the Theotokos will be served at **6:30 PM**. Father Mark Leasure will speak to us about the miraculous myrrh-streaming icon, and the effects it has had on so many people. Then everyone will have the opportunity to be anointed with the holy myrrh. The icon will remain in our church overnight, and depart on Saturday. You are invited to spend Friday night in the church, if you wish. Please Note: **NO media or photography** in the church during the visit of the icon!

PITTSBURGH/TRI-STATE SAINT NICHOLAS BENEFIT DINNER. Fr. Robert Prepelka, Dean of the Pittsburgh Deanery, has again invited our Tri-State Deanery parishes to participate in the annual **Saint Nicholas Dinner**, held each year in the Pittsburgh area. Proceeds from this annual Dinner benefit our Christ the Saviour Seminary in Johnstown. The Dinner will be held at **Banquets Unlimited** in Wilmerding, PA on Sunday, December 4 at **3:00 PM**. Cost per meal, which will be buffet style, is **\$30.00**. We are also being asked to donate raffle items and to take-up a special collection in our churches beforehand. If you want to go, or wish to donate, please let Fr. Michael know.

A.C.R.Y. CHRISTMAS RAFFLE QUILT TICKETS are now on sale. Tickets are **\$1.00 each**; or **6 for \$5.00**. Drawing will be held at our annual **Saint Nicholas Dinner** on Sunday, December 18. Please see Kim Hurley to purchase your tickets.

CHURCH ATTENDANCE

Saturday Vespers (10/29) — 5
Sunday Divine Liturgy (10/30) — 81
Moleben to the Theotokos (11/3) — 15

UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2016

Please mark your calendars now!

Sunday, November 13 — Annual Congregational Meeting.
Friday, December 9 to Saturday, December 10 — Visit of the Myrrh-Streaming Kardiotissa Icon from Taylor, PA at **6:30 PM**.
Sunday, December 18 — Annual Saint Nicholas Dinner and Youth Program.