



# WELCOME TO THE GOD-LOVING & GOD-PROTECTED PARISH OF ST. MICHAEL'S!

*A parish of the UOC-USA and the Ecumenical Patriarchate*

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*“Each one shall give what he has decided in his own mind, not Grudgingly or because he is made to - for God loves a cheerful giver.” - II Cor. 9:7*

***November 5, 2023***

## **SERVICE SCHEDULE**

**Sunday, Nov. 5:** 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost / Holy Apostle James the Brother of the Lord

**Tone 5 / Epistle: Gal. 6:11-18; Gospel: Lk. 16:19-31**

**9:00AM Divine Liturgy – Live video broadcast on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/StMichaelUOC/>**

## **WEEKDAY SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**Mon., Nov. 6:** Venerables Aretha, Sisois and Theophil, Hermits of the Kyiv Caves, Near Caves

**Epistle: 1 Thess. 1:1-5; Gospel: Lk. 10:22-24**

**Tues, Nov. 7:** Ven. Martyrius the Deacon and St. Martyrius the Recluse of the Kyiv Caves

**Epistle: 1 Thess. 1:6-10; Gospel: Lk. 11:1-10**

**Wed., Nov. 8: Holy and Glorious Great-martyr Demetrius the Myrrh-gusher of Thessalonica – FAST**

**Epistle: 1 Thess. 2:1-8; Gospel: Lk. 11:9-13**

**Thur., Nov. 9: St. Nestor the Chronicler of the Kyiv Caves / Repose of Ven. Job of Pochaiv / St. Demetrius, metropolitan of Rostov**

**Epistle: 1 Thess. 2:9-14; Gospel: Lk. 11:14-23**

**7:00PM Moleben to the Mother of God, followed by Adult Ed**

**Fri., Nov. 10: Great-martyr Parasceva of Iconium – FAST**

**Epistle: 1 Thess. 2:14-19; Gospel: Lk. 11:23-27**

**Sat., Nov. 11: Ven. Abramius, recluse of the Kyiv Caves**

**Epistle: 2 Cor. 8:1-5; Gospel: Lk. 8:16-21**

**Sunday, Nov. 12: 23rd Sunday after Pentecost / Hieromartyr Zenobius and his sister Zenobia of Aegae, Cilicia**

**Tone 6 / Epistle: Eph. 2:4-10; Gospel: Lk. 8:26-39**

**9:00AM Divine Liturgy – Live video broadcast on our Facebook**

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*Remember: even when you are absent, expenses continue*

## **SCRIPTURE READINGS: SUNDAY, NOV. 5, 2023**

### **Galatians 6:11-18 (Epistle)**

BRETHREN, See with what large letters I have written to you with my own hand! As many as desire to make a good showing in the flesh, these would compel you to be circumcised, only that they may not suffer persecution for the cross of Christ. For not even those who are circumcised keep the law, but they desire to have you circumcised that they may boast in your flesh. But God forbid that I should boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but a new creation. And as many as walk according to this rule, peace and mercy be upon them, and upon the Israel of God. From now on let no one trouble me, for I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus. Brethren, the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit. Amen.

### **Luke 16:19-31 (Gospel)**

Jesus told this parable, “There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man’s table. Moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. So it was that the beggar

died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented. And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' But he said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.'"

## **PARISH NEWS**

**--WE EXTEND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY GREETINGS TO:** Michael & Jennifer Hreczuck (Oct. 30), and Bryan &Carolyn Sullo (Nov. 4), may God grant you, Many Happy Years! Многая літа!

**--YOUR DONATIONS IN ACTION:** "Ron Janick (Archdeacon Vasy) the donation from your church (St. Michael's UOC) helped SO many people and animals! An animal shelter received food for 2 full months! Two military units purchased new tires for their vehicles (that's a super big deal), a woman received a heater, another a bedside commode and a third a cooktop. What an incredible impact y'all have made." Дякуємо! Margaret Hunt.

**--2<sup>ND</sup> COLLECTION:** The Special Collection will be to help with the expenses of repairing the front steps of the Church. Please be as generous as possible. Thank you!

**--COOKIE WALK:** "Now that our festival is over, we need to turn to our next largest fund raiser of the year, the annual Cookie Walk! It is not too early to begin baking and freezing your favorite cookies! Bins will be available for freezing and storage. And you can bring them here to freeze. We need at least six dozen cookies of each variety. "

Thank you all in advance for your **participation**. If any questions, (or you need a recipe), see Cindy!

**--ST. ANDREW, BOSTON:** "I want to extend a personal invitation to the parishioners of St. Michael's to join us for St. Andrew's Day, Sunday,

December 10<sup>th</sup>. Metropolitan Antony will celebrate with us as we honor Fr. Roman on the 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. Most sincerely. Jane P.S. I do not have any details as of yet regarding the dinner, but I anticipate tickets to be in the \$25 to \$30 dollar range.”

**--ST. MICHAEL CEMETERY ACCESS:** Polish National Cemetery has a contract to excavate and to remove gravel from their cemetery. The operation will take place **Monday thru Friday between 7am – 5pm and Saturday 9am – 12 pm.** Be aware that you may encounter quite a bit of activity involved on the shared road.

**--UPDATE:** A metal plate has been placed over the culvert (brook). Please drive with care as it is not fastened. Also, please lock the gate and DO NOT remove the chain from the lock. Your cooperation would be greatly appreciated. Thank You.

**--REQUEST FROM CEMETERY COMMITTEE:**

Notification was given at a Parish meeting that the trash barrels are no longer available on the cemetery grounds. They were an eyesore. The Parish Board would appreciate your cooperation in the upkeep of the cemetery grounds by removing your trash and not piling it up against the vault. Please bring your own trash bags when you visit the cemetery. Thank you for your cooperation.

## **UPCOMING PARISH & INTER-PARISH EVENTS**

**--2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month** – Akathist to the Mother of God, Healer of Cancer @ 7PM / Followed by Adult Religious Education class. Please submit the names of those you want to have remembered to Fr. Boris.

**--Sunday, Nov. 19** – St. Michael’s Day Celebration

**--Saturday, December 16** – Annual Cookie Walk

## **UOL CORNER**

**--UOL’S MISSION STATEMENT:** “The Ukrainian Orthodox League is a national volunteer organization of members in the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA, who are committed to promoting the Orthodox Faith, supporting the Church, developing the potential of our youth and their active participation in the life of the Church, and preserving Ukrainian heritage and culture.”

**--UOL MOTTO:** "Dedicated to our Church, Devoted to Its Youth"



## **--GOALS OF THE UOL:**

- Promoting active participation in all aspects of the Orthodox faith and supporting the Church.
- Developing and maintaining programs and projects which educate members and promote dedication and commitment to the Church, Her teachings, traditions, and missions.
- Providing opportunities for the development of leadership skills and responsibility among the youth of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA.
- Providing and promoting information on Ukrainian heritage and history to the general public and establishing means which ensure the continuation of cultural awareness and pride within our membership.

**--NOV. 12<sup>TH</sup>:** UOL Meeting during the coffee hour.

## **CHURCH SCHOOL CORNER**

**--15 MINUTES WITH FATHER** -- Last Sunday of the month.

**--SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17** – St. Nicholas Day Children's Celebration







JOIN US AT A MONTHLY LIVE STREAMED  
CELEBRATION OF AN AKAPHIST TO  
ПРИЄДНУЙТЕСЯ ДО ЩОМІСЯЧНОЇ ПРЯМОЇ ТРАНСЛЯЦІЇ  
СЛУЖІННЯ АКАФІСТА

## THE MOTHER OF GOD - QUEEN OF ALL БОГОРОДИЦІ ВСЕЦАРИЦЯ

BESEECHING HER INTERCESSION FOR THE HEALING OF ALL  
THOSE SUFFERING FROM CANCER AND OTHER DISEASES  
МОЛЯЧИ ЇЇ ЗАСТУПНИЦТВА ДЛЯ ЗЦІЛЕННЯ ВІД РАКУ ТА  
ІНШИХ ХВОРОБ

First Thursday of each month  
5 January 2023 at 7:00pm  
Перший четвер кожного місяця  
5 січня 2023 року о 19:00 год

Please submit the names of those you wish to pray for to:  
[uocofusa@aol.com](mailto:uocofusa@aol.com) with the subject – **PRAYERS**

Будь ласка, надішліть імена тих, за кого ви бажаєте молитися:  
[uocofusa@aol.com](mailto:uocofusa@aol.com) з темою – **МОЛИТВИ**

Future dates: 5 Jan,  
2 Feb, 2 Mar, 6 April, 4 May, 1 June,  
6 July, 3 Aug...

Майбутні дати: 5 січня,  
2 лютого, 2 березня, 6 квітня, 4 травня,  
1 червня, 6 липня, 3 серпня...





## МОЛИТВА ЗА УКРАЇНУ

ГОСПОДИ, БОЖЕ НАШ,  
ВЕЛИКИЙ І ВСЕСИЛЬНИЙ, МИ ГРІШНІ ДІТИ ТВОЇ, ЗВЕРТАЄМОСЯ ДО ТЕБЕ У  
ПОКОРІ СЕРДЕЦЬ НАШИХ І НИЗЬКО СХИЛЯЄМО ГОЛОВИ НАШІ ПЕРЕД  
ТОБОЮ. БЛАГАЄМО ТЕБЕ ЗА БЕЗМЕЖНЕ МИЛОСЕРДЯ ТА ЩЕДРІ  
БЛАГОСЛОВЕННЯ ДЛЯ НАРОДУ – ЛЮДЕЙ – УКРАЇНИ, У ЦІ ДНІ ВЕЛИКОЇ  
НЕБЕЗПЕКИ ДЛЯ ЇХ МИРНОГО ЖИТТЯ І ДОБРОБУТУ.

О ГОСПОДИ, НАШИМ БРАТАМ І СЕСТРАМ, ЗНОВУ ЗАГРОЖУЮТЬ АГРЕСОРІ,  
ЯКІ БАЧАТЬ У НИХ ЛИШЕ ПРОСТУ ПЕРЕШКОДУ, ЩО ПЕРЕГОРОДЖУЄ ШЛЯХ  
ДО ПОВНОГО ПАНУВАННЯ НАД ДОРОГОЦІННОЮ ЗЕМЛЕЮ ТА РЕСУРСАМИ  
УКРАЇНИ. ЗМІЦНИ ЛЮДЕЙ, У ЧАСІ ЦІЄЇ ВЕЛИКОЇ НЕБЕЗПЕКИ, ЯКІ  
ЗВЕРТАЮТЬСЯ ДО ТЕБЕ У БЕЗМІРНО ГЛИБОКІЙ ВІРІ, ДОВІРІ ТА ЛЮБОВІ, ЯКІ  
ВОНИ ПЛЕКАЛИ ДО ТЕБЕ УСЕ СВОЄ ЖИТТЯ. ЗІШЛИ ГОСПОДИ, СВОЇХ  
НЕБЕСНИХ АНГЕЛІВ, ЯКИМИ КЕРУЄ ПОКРОВИТЕЛЬ МІСТА КИЄВА  
АРХІСТРАТИГ МИХАЇЛ, ЩОБ ВИКОРИНИТИ БАЖАННЯ АГРЕСОРА ЗНИЩИТИ  
НАШ НАРОД.

ДАРУЙ ГОСПОДИ, ЄДНІСТЬ РОЗУМУ, СЕРЦЯ І ДУШІ ВСІМ ДЕРЖАВНИМ  
ЛІДЕРАМ І ТИМ, КОМУ ВОНИ СЛУЖАТЬ. ОБ'ЄДНАЙ ЇХ УСІХ В ОДНУ ВЕЛИКУ  
ХРИСТІЯНСЬКУ РОДИНУ, ЩОБ ВОНИ РАЗОМ, ЯК БРАТИ І СЕСТРИ,  
ПРОСЛАВЛЯЛИ ТВОЄ ВЕЛИЧНЕ ІМ'Я – БОГА В СВЯТІЙ ТРОЙЦІ – ОТЦЯ,  
СИНА І СВЯТОГО ДУХА, НИНИ І ПОВСЯКЧАС, І НА ВІКИ ВІЧНІ.

АМІНЬ.





## PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

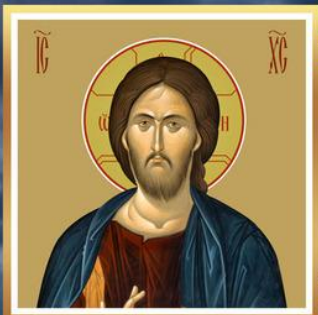
LORD OUR GOD,  
GREAT AND ALMIGHTY, WE YOUR SINFUL CHILDREN TURN TO YOU WITH  
HUMILITY IN OUR HEARTS AND BOW OUR HEADS LOW BEFORE YOU. WE  
BESEECH YOUR LOVING KINDNESS AND ABUNDANT BLESSINGS UPON THE  
NATION – THE PEOPLE – OF UKRAINE DURING THESE DAYS OF GREAT DANGER  
TO THEIR SAFETY AND WELL-BEING.

OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS, LORD, ARE ONCE AGAIN THREATENED BY  
AGGRESSORS WHO SEE THEM ONLY AS SIMPLE OBSTACLES BLOCKING THE  
PATH TO THE COMPLETE DOMINATION OF THE PRECIOUS LAND AND  
RESOURCES OF THE COUNTRY OF UKRAINE. STRENGTHEN THE PEOPLE AS  
THEY FACE THIS GREAT DANGER, TURNING TO YOU IN THE IMMEASURABLY  
DEEP FAITH, TRUST AND LOVE THEY HAVE PLACED IN YOU ALL THEIR LIVES.  
SEND YOUR HEAVENLY LEGIONS, O LORD, COMMANDED BY THE PATRON OF  
KYIV, ARCHANGEL MICHAEL, TO CRUSH THE DESIRES OF THE AGGRESSOR  
WHOSE DESIRE IS TO ERADICATE YOUR PEOPLE.

GRANT UNITY OF MIND, HEART AND SOUL, O LORD TO ALL LEADERS IN PUBLIC  
SERVICE WITH THOSE THEY SERVE. UNITE THEM ALL INTO ONE, GREAT  
CHRISTIAN FAMILY, SO THAT TOGETHER, AS BROTHERS AND SISTERS, THEY  
MAY GLORIFY YOUR MAJESTIC NAME – GOD IN THE HOLY TRINITY – FATHER,  
SON AND HOLY SPIRIT, NOW AND EVER AND UNTO THE AGES OF AGES.

AMEN.





UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE USA

## NOVEMBER CELEBRATIONS У ЛИСТОПАДІ СВЯТКУЄМО

УКРАЇНСЬКА ПРАВОСЛАВНА ЦЕРКВА США



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**HOLY APOSTLE JAMES THE BROTHER OF THE LORD**

АПОСТОЛА ЯКОВА, БРАТА ГОСПОДНЯ ПО ПЛОТІ

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**HOLY AND GLORIOUS GREAT-MARTYR DEMETRIUS OF THESSALONICA**

ВМЧ. ДИМИТРІЯ СОЛУНСЬКОГО

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**ST. NESTOR THE CHRONICLER OF THE KYIV CAVES**

ПРП. НЕСТОРА ЛІТОПИСЦЯ, ПЕЧЕРСЬКОГО, В БЛИЖНІХ ПЕЧЕРАХ

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**REPOSE OF VEN. JOB OF POCHAIV**

ПРП. ІОВА, ІГУМЕНА ПОЧАЇВСЬКОГО

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**SYNAXIS OF THE ARCHANGEL MICHAEL AND THE OTHER BODILESS POWERS**

СОБОР АРХИСТРАТИГА МИХАЇЛА І ІНШИХ НЕБЕСНИХ СИЛ БЕЗТІЛЕСНИХ

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**HOLODOMOR REMEMBRANCE DAY**

ДЕНЬ ПАМ'ЯТІ ЖЕРТВ ГОЛОДОМОРУ

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**ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, ARCHBISHOP OF CONSTANTINOPLE**

СВТ. ІОАНА ЗОЛОТОУСТОГО, АРХІЄП. КОНСТАНТИНОПОЛЬСЬКОГО

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**HOLY AND ALL-PRAISED APOSTLE PHILIP**

АПОСТОЛА ПИЛИПА

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**BEGINNING OF PHILIP'S FAST (NATIVITY FAST/ADVANT)**

ПОЧАТОК ПИЛИПІВКИ

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**HOLY APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST MATTHEW**

АПОСТОЛА І ЄВАНГЕЛІСТА МАТВІЯ