

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 12, 2017

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Sunday, Nov. 12th 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

Tone 6

Epistle: Eph. 2:4-10; Gospel: Lk. 8:26-39

9:00AM Divine Liturgy

Saturday, Nov. 18th

6:00 PM Great Vespers

Sunday, Nov. 19th 24th Sunday after Pentecost / Parish Feast Day Celebration

Tone 7

Epistle: Eph. 2:14-22; Gospel: Lk. 8:41-56

10:00AM Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, Nov. 21st Actual date of the Feast Day of St. Michael, the Archangel

10:00 AM Moleben to Archangel Michael

Saturday, Nov. 25th

6:00 PM Great Vespers followed by "Coffee With Father" **On the Diversity of Orthodoxy at 7:00PM**

Sunday, Nov. 26th 25th Sunday after Pentecost / St. John Chrysostom

Tone 8

Epistle: Eph. 4:1-6 (Feast: Heb. 7:26-8:2; Gospel: Lk. 10:25-37 (Feast: Jn. 10:9-16)

9:00AM Divine Liturgy

Saturday, Dec. 2nd

6:00 PM Great Vespers

Remember: even when you are absent, expenses continue.

PARISH NEWS

A hearty welcome to our guests and visitors. Please join us in the church hall after the Divine Liturgy for coffee and fellowship.

We extend birthday greetings to: **Andrew Abrahamson (Nov. 11th)**, may God grant you, **Many, Happy Years. Многая літа**

Saint Michael Feast Day Celebration

Sunday November 19, 2017 - Divine Liturgy 10AM

Dinner immediately following at: Bella's Restaurant, Rte. 102, Glendale, RI 02826

Dinner choices:

Pork Roast, Baked Fish or Baked stuffed chicken

Served with salad, potato, vegetable and dessert

Children 10 and under—chicken fingers

Cost is \$25 for adults (12 and older)

Children 10 and under \$10

Reservation and payment due, TODAY, Sunday November 12 (Please pay Cindy or Eleanor Kogut)

In preparation for our choir's joint concert with The Slatersville Congregational Church on December 10th at 4:00PM at St. Michael UOC, there will be a number of rehearsal sessions:

Sunday, Nov. 12th -- after the Divine Liturgy

Monday, Nov. 20th – in the Church Hall at 7:00PM

Sunday, Nov. 26th -- after the Divine Liturgy, ***or possibly on***

Monday, Nov. 27th at 7:00PM

Monday, Dec. 4th – in the Church at 7:00PM

We now have a "**Kitchen Giving Tree**" that will allow all parishioners (young and old alike—because what child doesn't like to be part of things)?, to help. We have an "**item of the month**" donation box in both the vestibule and the church hall.

The item of the month for November: Dawn (BLUE-original) dishwashing liquid

TODAY, Sunday November **12th**, we will be bringing donations from our Clothing Drive to Savers in Woonsocket.

We will need assistance loading bags into cars and transporting them to Savers. If you can assist please let Eleanor Kogut know.

Thanking you in advance for your help! Дякую!

Are you in the midst of your Fall/Winter cleaning?? Save your stuff for us! Items can be brought to the church basement during coffee hour. Please, do not bring electronic devices (tv, computers and similar items). *We will accept items for the Flea Market until Spring.* **Thank you! Дякую!**

Can you help??? We are in need of some coffee hour volunteers!! Your “turn” would come up 2 to 3 times during the year. Explanation will be given on what is needed and how to set up, etc. Please see Cindy Charest to add your name. (The more volunteers we have, the fewer times we each have to volunteer!) Please give it your consideration! **Thank you Дякую!**

Our coffee hours are offered each week for fellowship and sustenance for those who have fasted. While the donations put in the basket are voluntary, they are not nearly meeting the expenses of hosting the coffee hours. Please use a guideline of at least a \$1 donation per person for coffee hour. Your donation benefits our UOL groups. **Thank you! Дякую!**

If you have any ideas for fund raisers for the church, please let a council member know! And a reminder, please consider our scrip program for gift cards is an excellent way for the church to benefit from your gift card purchases!! See Val Sternadore for more info.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sunday, Nov. 19th – St. Michael’s Parish Feast Day

Sunday, Dec. 3rd – Semi-Annual Meeting

Sunday, Dec. 10th – Choir Concert at 4:00PM in our Church

Saturday, Dec. 16th – 11th Annual Cookie Walk

Sunday, Dec. 17th – St. Nicholas Day Children’s Celebration

KITCHEN WORK SESSIONS 2018

**Friday, January 12, 2018, 7:30AM prepare 30# cabbage
6:00PM - make cabbage balls**

Monday, January 15, 7:30Am -- make vareneky

Tuesday, February 6, 7:30Am - fried Perohe, 2 batches (28# potatoes)

Wednesday, February 7, 7:30Am - fried Perohe , 2 batches (28# potatoes)

Monday, Feb 12, 7:30Am - peel and mash 75# potatoes, make potato balls

Tuesday, Feb 13, 7:30Am - potato vareneky

Monday, Feb 19, 7:30Am - peel and mash 75# potatoes, make potato balls

Tuesday, Feb 20, 7:30Am - potato vareneky

Monday, March 12, 7:30Am - steam 180# cabbage

Tuesday, March 13, 7:30Am - assemble holubtsi

THE HIEROMARTYR ZENOBIUS AND HIS SISTER **ZENOBIA**

Commemorated on October 30 / November 12

They were from the town of Aegea in Cilicia. They inherited the true Faith and great material wealth from their parents. Working zealously for the Faith and with great love, they distributed all their wealth to the poor. Because their hands were so generous, the hand of God shielded them from every evil intent of men and demons. The generous hands of Zenobius, which gave to the poor, were endowed by God with the gift of miracle-working, and Zenobius healed the sick of every kind of infirmity merely by touching them. Zenobius was appointed Bishop of Aegea. During a persecution, the Prefect Lysias arrested him and said: "I offer you two choices: life or death; life if you worship the gods, or death if you do not." St. Zenobius replied: "Life without Christ is not life but death, whereas death for the sake of Christ is not death but life." When Zenobius was subjected to cruel tortures, Zenobia came to the judge and said: "I also want to drink from this cup of suffering, and be crowned with that wreath." After being tortured in fire and in boiling pitch, both were beheaded with the sword in about the year 285 A.D. Thus this brother and sister took up their habitation in the Kingdom of the Immortal Christ the King.

<http://www.westsrbdio.org/en/prologue/678-october-30>

The Choirs of

The Slatersville Congregational Church
and
St. Michael Ukrainian Orthodox Church
present



A Concert of Christmas Music

featuring traditional pieces of both parishes and an audience sing-along!

Donations will benefit

The Sanctuary Shelter

sponsored by

The Harvest Community Church of Woonsocket
and

Woonsocket's Milk Fund

Sunday December 10, 2017

4:00 pm

St. Michael Ukrainian Orthodox Church

74 Harris Ave, Woonsocket, RI

Goodwill offering accepted at the door