

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN ORTHODOX CHURCH

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE USA

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Leave-taking of the Transfiguration

10th Sunday after Pentecost

St. Maximus the Confessor

Martyrs Hippolytus, Concordia, Irenaeus, and Abundius of Rome

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 4:9-16 **Reader:** Anita Anderson
Philippians 2:5-11

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-23 **Tone:** Festal Menaion
Luke 10:38-42, 11:27-28

UPCOMING FEASTS & SERVICES:

Tuesday, August 15 *Dormition of the Theotokos*

Sunday, August 20 *11th Sunday after Pentecost / Afterfeast of the Dormition*
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Sunday, August 27 *12th Sunday after Pentecost*
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy & Anointing of the Sick

Tuesday, August 29 *Beheading of St. John the Baptist (Strict Fast)*

Friday, September 1 *Church New Year*

Sunday, September 3 *13th Sunday after Pentecost*
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

READER'S LIST: Mike Ratai (8/20), Andy Olear (8/27), Andrei Marinich (9/3)

TODAY: During today's Divine Liturgy, we will be observing the feast-day on August 15th – The Holy Dormition of our Most Holy Birth-giver of God and Ever-Virgin Mary. The propers from the Festal Menaion will be followed in addition to the Resurrectional Propers for this Sunday. In following of tradition, there will be a blessing of herbs and flowers today.

MEMORIAL LITIA: for newly departed handmaiden of God Joyce Pain and Matthew Kopchak.

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES: Mike & Leanna Duh (22), Rachel Weigand (26), Fr. Vasyl Pasakas (26), Olga Satuniewicz (30)

PRAYER SERVICE FOR CHILDREN & PARENTS: Every Monday at 7 pm at St. Andrew's Memorial Church.

THIS THURSDAY: ST. SOPHIA LIBRARY BOOK CLUB: Next meeting on Thursday, August 17th at 6:30 p.m. / Book: "Liturgy and Life: Christian Development through Liturgical Experience" by Alexander Schmemmann / Discussion on youth ministry with Dobordijka Oksana Pasakas & Daria Pishko-Komichak.

UKRAINIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY PICNIC: Sunday, August 27th from noon to 5 pm. Food, vendors, and entertainment. Free admission and parking. Held on the grounds of St. Andrew Memorial Church.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK will take place after Divine Liturgy on the last Sunday of each month.

COFFEE HOUR: Please join us after Divine Liturgy for coffee hour and fellowship in the parish hall. Please sign up in the parish hall to host a Sunday coffee hour.

PRAYERS: Please keep in your prayers this week Fr. Bazyl, Fr. Vasyl, Fr. Victor, Fr. Ivan, Fr. Stephen, Dobrodijka Ivanka, Lyudmila, Steffie Tybor, Nettie Sherby, Anita Anderson, Olga Almind, Maryanne Quartuccio, Kathie Thomas, Bill Shluze, Natalia, Oksana, Julia, Andy Olear, Flo Ratai, Jacob, David, Bill, Maria, Angelina and Patricio, Olga.

If you or your loved ones are sick or in the hospital, please let Fr. Vasyl know.

Out of respect for God's House, please keep all communication to a minimum.

Please join us in the church hall after Liturgy for food and fellowship.

Attend Church as a Family!