

# NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN ORTHODOX CHURCH

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE USA

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**5 November 2017**

*22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

*Martyrs Galacteon & his wife Episteme at Emesa*

*Apostles Patrobus, Hermas, Linus, Gaius, & Philogus of the 70*

*St. Gregory, archbishop of Alexandria*

**Epistle:** Galatians 6:11-18  
Hebrews 2:2-10 (Synaxis)

**Reader:** Anita Anderson

**Gospel:** Luke 8:41-56  
Luke 10:16-21 (Synaxis)

**Tone:** Tone 5 & Menaion

## UPCOMING FEASTS & SERVICES:

Wed., November 8 *Synaxis of Archangels Michael, Gabriel & All Heavenly Hosts*

Sun., November 12 *23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Wed., November 15 *Beginning of Nativity Fast*

Sun., November 19 *24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Tues., November 21 *Entry of the Most Holy Theotokos into the Temple*

**READER'S LIST:** Mike Ratai (11/12), Andy Olear (11/19), Andrei Marinich (11/26)

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

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

**UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS (November):** Olga Almind (5), Michael Marinich (19)

**UPCOMING ANNIVERSARIES (November):** Kathleen & Andrei Marinich (14)

*May God grant them many years!*

**VETERAN'S DAY SERVICE** on Sat., November 11 at 11 a.m. at the Ukrainian-American Veterans National Monument (Metropolia Center)

**CHRISTMAS AT THE SEMINARY:** The annual fundraiser will take place on Sat., December 2 from 1 to 5 p.m. / Christmas crafts, refreshments and caroling throughout day / admission is a gift from the suggested list or Target Gift Registry. Please see the flyer for details or ask Fr. Vasyl for more info.

**HOLODOMOR PROCESSION & MEMORIAL SERVICE:** Saturday, November 18 at 11:30 a.m. (St. George Ukr. Catholic Church, NYC) & 2 p.m. Service (St. Patrick's Cathedral)

**ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE PARISH:** paper cups (hot), paper plates, coffee

**SERVICE PROJECTS:** Our parish community is supporting the following institutions. Please consider supporting them by donating the following items:

- South Plainfield Food Pantry: canned goods and/or prepared canned meals
- Ronald McDonald House (Red Bank): soda can pop tabs and cat food tabs
- **SPECIAL COLLECTION:** Until Thanksgiving, we will be collecting the following items for the Ronald McDonald House: travel size deodorant, travel size toothpaste, travel size body wash, travel size body lotion

**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.

**HOLY CONFESSION:** A sacrament of Holy Confession is as important as a sacrament of Holy Communion. Both of them need to be practiced as often as possible. We pray that we may not receive Holy Communion unworthily or unto condemnation. Holy Confession makes us to be worthy. If you would like to participate in the sacrament of Confession, please let Fr. Vasyl know either before or after the services.

**PRAYERS:** Please keep in your prayers this week Fr. Bazyl, Fr. Stephen, Fr. George, Fr. Victor, Fr. James, Fr. Nestor, Olga Almind, Andy Olear, Maryanne Quartuccio, Flo Ratai, Janet Sherby, Nettie Sherby, Bill Shulze, Kathie Thomas, Steffie Tybor and Natalia. *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!*