

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN ORTHODOX CHURCH

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE USA

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18 March 2018

4th Sunday of Great Lent/St. John Climacus

St. Cyril, Archbishop of Jerusalem

Martyrs Trophimus & Eucarpus of Nicomedia

St. Ananias (Aninas), presbyter & monk, of the Euphrates

Epistle: Hebrews 6:13-20

Ephesians 5:9-19

Reader: Andy Olear

Gospel: Mark 9:17-31

Matthew 4:25-5:12

Tone: Tone 8 & Lenten Triodion

UPCOMING FEASTS & SERVICES:

Thurs., March 22	6:30 p.m.	Presanctified Liturgy Holy Ascension, Maplewood
Fri., March 23	6:00 p.m.	Presanctified Liturgy (Seminary Chapel)
Sun., March 25	<i>5th Sunday of Great Lent/St. Mary of Egypt</i> <i>Annunciation of the Theotokos</i>	9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy
Fri., March 30	6:30 p.m.	Presanctified Liturgy (St. Demetrius, Carteret)
Sat., March 31	<i>The Resurrection of the Righteous Lazarus</i>	
Sun., April 1	<i>Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem</i>	9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

READER'S LIST: Andrei Marinich (3/25)



MARCH BIRTHDAYS: Mike Ratai (22) *May God grant him many years!*

PARISH DUES: Please submit your parish dues (\$100/individual or \$200/family), plus updated addresses, phone numbers, birth dates, etc., no later than March 31st. Checks payable to Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Orthodox Church.

DEANERY SERVICES DURING GREAT LENT: Schedule of services at the local NJ/NY Deanery parishes has been posted. Please attend the scheduled services at the local parishes. Also, every Friday at 6 p.m. Presanctified Liturgy is served in the Seminary Chapel.

PYSANKA WORKSHOP on Tuesday, March 20 (6:30-9:30) p.m. hosted by Ukrainian History & Education Center/cost \$15 (all supplies included).

COFFEE HOUR: Please join us after Divine Liturgy for coffee hour and fellowship in the parish hall. If you plan on hosting an upcoming Sunday, please sign up in the parish hall. Since we have entered Great Lent, please be respectful of those who are fasting by bringing in Lenten-appropriate options. Please also bring in plates and cans of coffee, as we are low.

SUPPORT YOUR PARISH! Don't forget to support your parish financially by utilizing the HELP and/or BUILDING FUND envelopes in your weekly donations, or if you would like, make a one-time donation towards the snow plowing bills.

PIEROGIE SALES: Order by phone (908-561-6366) or by e-mail (nbvocpierogi@gmail.com).

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