

# NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN ORTHODOX CHURCH

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE USA

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**24 June 2018**

*4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

*Nativity of the Holy Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist, John*

*Venerable Anthony, Abbot of Dymsk (Novgorod)*

*Righteous Youths John & Jacob (James) of Miniugi*

*Seven Martyred Brothers: Orentius, Pharnacius, Eros,*

*Firmus, Firminus, Cyriacus, and Longinus in Georgia*

**Epistle:** Romans 6:18-23  
Romans 13:11-14:4

**Reader:** Anita Anderson

**Gospel:** Matthew 8:5-13  
Luke 1:1-25, 57-68, 76, 80

**Tone:** Menaion / Tone 3

## UPCOMING FEASTS & SERVICES:

Friday, June 29	<i>Sts. Peter &amp; Paul</i>
Sunday, July 1	<i>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i> 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy
Sunday, July 8	<i>6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i> 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy
Sunday, July 15	<i>7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i> 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

**READER'S LIST:** Mike Ratai (7/1), Andy Olear (7/8), Andrei Marinich (7/15)



**CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS OF THE UOC OF USA:** Please plan ahead and book your tickets for the upcoming events that will take place at the Metropolia Center celebrating 100 years. **See Fr. Vasyl to reserve your tickets by JULY 1.**

July 26 at 7pm: Centennial Exhibit Opening "Ukrainian Orthodoxy in the New Land: 100 years in the United States of America" (Cultural Center)

July 27, 9am to 5pm: seminar on the history of the UOC of USA and discussing what we can learn from our past to build healthier parishes today and in the future

July 27 at 5pm: Vespers (St. Andrew Memorial Church)

July 27 at 7pm: Centennial Concert (Cultural Center)

July 28 at 10am: Divine Liturgy (St. Andrew Memorial Church)

July 28 at 1:30 pm: Centennial Banquet (Cultural Center)

**SPECIAL COLLECTION:** Please make a donation to cover the \$700 tree removal (at the parish home) bill.

**SUPPORT YOUR PARISH!** Please make a donation to cover the \$700 tree removal (at the parish home) bill.

**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

**PRAYERS:** Please keep in your prayers this week Fr. Stephen, Fr. George, Fr. Victor, Fr. James, Fr. Nestor, Fr. William, Fr. John, Dcn. Nicholas, Maryanne Quartuccio, Flo Ratai, Nettie Sherby, Bill Shulze, Kathie Thomas, Steffie Tybor, Irene Owen, Victor, Natalia, Elena, Melania, Myron 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!*