

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN ORTHODOX CHURCH

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE USA

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14 April 2019

5th Sunday of Great Lent – St. Mary of Egypt

St. Martin the Confessor, pope of Rome

Martyr Ardalion the Actor, who suffered under Maximian

Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14 **Reader:** Mike Ratai
Galatians 3:23-29

Gospel: Mark 10:32-45 **Tone:** Tone 5 + Lenten Triodion
Luke 7:36-50

READER'S LIST: Andy Olear (4/21), Andrei Marinich (4/28), Anita Anderson (5/5)

APRIL BIRTHDAYS: Donna LoCoco (17), Natalia Kenask (27)

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES: Metro & Peg Kopchak (23) *May God grant them many years!*

DIAPER FUND COLLECTION: The UOC of USA is collecting funds to purchase diapers for the children of Znamyanka orphanage. Donations can be sent to Diapers Project PO Box 495, South Bound Brook, NJ 08880.

PASCHA FLOWERS: Make a donation (to cover the \$210 bill) and fill out the prayer sheets for this year's Pascha Flower donations. Donation and prayer cards are due Sunday, April 21st.

SUPPORT THE PARISH & MAKE A 1-TIME DONATION to cover the \$1,400 bill to remove the tree at the parish home.

PRAYERS: Please keep in your prayers this week Fr. Petro, Fr. Oleh, Fr. Silouan, Fr. Volodymyr, Fr. Stephen, Fr. George, Fr. James, Fr. Nestor, Fr. William, Fr. Andrew, Protodeacon Michael, Deacon Nicholas, Maryanne Quartuccio, Flo Ratai, Bill Shulze, Kathie Thomas, Steffie Tybor, Edward, Victor, Natalia, Elena, Oleg, Aryna, and Melissa. *If you or your loved ones are sick or in the hospital, please let Fr. Vasyl know.*

UPCOMING FEASTS & SERVICES:

Wed., April 17	10:00 a.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (St. Andrew Church SBB) 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (St. Sophia, Bayonne)
Fri., April 19	6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (St. Sophia Seminary)
Sat., April 20	<i>Lazarus Saturday</i>
Sun., April 21	<i>Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem – Palm Sunday</i> 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom
Wed., April 24	<i>Great & Holy Wednesday</i> 7:00 p.m. The Service of Holy Unction
Thurs., April 25	<i>Great & Holy Thursday</i> 6:30 p.m. Matins & Reading of the 12 Gospels
Fri., April 26	<i>Good Friday</i> 6:30 p.m. Vespers
Sat., April 27	<i>Holy Saturday</i> 1-3 p.m. Grave watching & Reading of the Acts of the Apostles
Sun., April 28	<i>Pascha</i> 8:00 a.m. Matins & Divine Liturgy Followed by blessing of baskets

ST. THOMAS SUNDAY PILGRIMAGE at the St. Andrew Memorial Church & Consistory. Please make an effort to attend the scheduled services and support the UOC of USA. Vendors will be selling food, art, and religious items in the Cultural Center on both days. *See the flyer and website for more details and parking information.*

Saturday, May 4

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy (St. Andrew Memorial Church)

3:00 p.m. Picnic at St. Sophia Seminary

6:00 p.m. Vespers & Confession (Seminary Chapel)

All Day Ukrainian food, youth activities, museum exhibit open in Library

Sunday, May 5

9:30 a.m. Eucharistic Liturgy (St. Andrew Church) served by His Eminence Metropolitan Antony, His Eminence Archbishop Daniel & local clergy followed by a Panakhyda

All Day Ukrainian food, youth activities, museum exhibit open in Library

*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!*