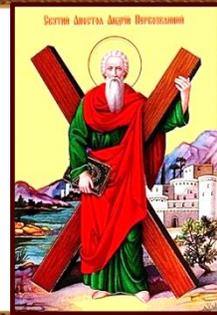


**Twenty Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
Holy and All-praised Apostle Andrew the First-called**



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Calendar of Events for the week of December 13th:

Wednesday

- 8:30 a.m., Moleben for sick parishioners
- 4:00 p.m., Pyrohy Project (peeling)

Thursday

- 11:00 a.m., Pyrohy Project (scooping)
- 4:00 p.m., Pyrohy Project (making)

Friday

- 9:00 a.m. to noon, Pyrohy sales

Saturday

- **Saint Nicholas the Wonderworker, archbishop of Myra in Lycia**
- 9:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy
- 9:00 a.m., Ukrainian School

Sunday

- 8:30 a.m., English Divine Liturgy
- 10:30 a.m., Ukrainian Divine Liturgy

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CHRISTMAS - JANUARY 7, 2021

ATTENTION



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Reservations will be required to attend Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Services. Both Liturgies will be bilingual. To make sure that each service is not over crowded people usually attending the 2nd Liturgy may be asked to attend the 1st Liturgy. We anticipate reaching church capacity for both services. We also anticipate a waiting list for attendance. People who did not make reservations will be unable to attend. We will not risk the health and safety of our worshippers by exceeding our capacity limits. Masks and physical (social) distancing will be mandatory. For reservation, please call Tamara Host (440) 477-3596, Natalia Boechko (440) 212-4186, or Lesia Mahlay (440) 799-7211.

Attention Pyrohy Workers: We will be making pyrohy this week, on December 16 & 17. We have a lot of orders, please come and help whenever and as much and as you can. **WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

Food Drive November 22th to December 20th

St. Herman's need list

Mayonnaise, coffee - regular ground and instant, sugar – 5 lb. bag, salad dressing – various, canned tuna and/or chicken, assorted canned meats (beef, chili, etc.), assorted canned vegetables, fruits, soups, peanut butter, cooking oil.

Clothing items are also needed. Socks, undergarments, thermal undergarments, hats, gloves, and hygiene bag (wash cloth, bar of soap, travel toothbrush, travel toothpaste, travel shampoo). Items may be dropped off on Saturdays at the Main Entrance to the Grand Hall between 10:00am and 1:00 pm and in the church vestibule on Sundays when attending Liturgy.

Please support this worthy institution and consider making a donation for their Food and Clothing Drive

With great disappointment our St. Vladimir's UOL Chapter announces that, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the annual Sviata Vechera / Christmas Eve Supper which has been held annually on January 6th will not be held this year. However, we would still like to provide the opportunity for some of our older participants to enjoy this dinner. We are looking for volunteers who are preparing this dinner to offer to make extra portions and deliver them to those in need. If you would be willing to prepare an extra meal or two and deliver it to a local home, please inform Melanie Nakonachny at MelanieNak@aol.com or via text to 440.463.6241. If you would be interested in having a meal delivered to your house, please reach out to Melanie as well.

Please respond with your interest no later than Tuesday, December 15, 2020

In 2024 our parish community will be celebrated a great milestone, the 100th Anniversary of the Parish. A committee is being formed to lay plans for a multifaceted celebration. All interested faithful are welcome to join the committee. Please contact Serhij Nahornij, our parish board president to volunteer.

Thank you to the Holowchak Funeral Home for sponsoring our parish 2021 wall calendars. They were distributed this morning following both Liturgies.

Thank you to the Kolodiy Lazuta Funeral Home for sponsoring our parish's 2021 wall calendars. They will be distributed **next Sunday on December 20, 2020.**

**Are your 2020 parish dues paid?
Please check in the parish office if you have any questions.**

We greet everyone in our parish who celebrated Birthdays, Anniversaries, Name Days in December. May God grant you good health, and much happiness for many blessed years!

This year, our parish has not been able to host fundraising luncheons for the charitable projects that we regularly sponsor. Most probably, we will not have any such events for the near future. The charity committee is grateful to the many that have and will support our efforts towards the needs of the orphans in Ukraine and the needy of our community through the work of St. Herman's House.

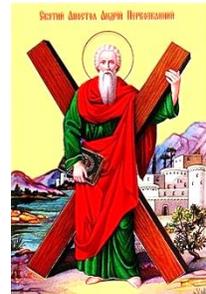
In memory of the late Dr. Dmytro Farion (father of pani matka Iryna Mahlay) who has recently passed, the following families have donated to the Orphanage Fund of our parish (\$2,000 has been raised): Antoniw Myron and Maria; Bodnar Myron and Martha; Bushak MaryAnn; Deychakiwsky Yuri and Inna; Downey Myrosia, Ray, Maria; Froberg Diane; Holubec Zenon and Myroslawa; Hontaruk Fr. Michael and PM Anna; Jurkiw Zenon and Vera; Komichak Markian and Lucy (and Sanchez family); Mahlay Ihor and Iryna; Mahlay Taras and Natalia; McAlonis Liliya; Mural Zenon and Andrea; Nahornyj Serhij; Nakonachny Fr. John and PM Mary Anne; Olenchuk John and Alice; Primuth, Eric; Pobywajlo Josef and Maria ; Rakowsky Christine; Sopka Daria; Woznak Dave and Ulyana.

If we have omitted anyone, please let the clergy know. We will acknowledge ongoing donations in future bulletins.

We are continuing to collect toiletries, clothes and food items for the needy (St. Herman's). If you wish to make a financial contribution, envelopes have printed specifically for donations to St. Herman's or to the Orphanage Fund and are available in the vestibule. We thank you for your support.

Apostle Andrew, the Holy and All-Praised First-Called

The Holy Apostle Andrew the First-Called was the first Apostle to follow Christ, and he later brought his brother, the holy Apostle Peter, to Christ (John 1:35-42). The future apostle was from Bethsaida, and from his youth he turned to God with all his soul. He did marry, and worked with his brother as a fisherman. When the holy Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John began to preach, Saint Andrew became his closest disciple. Declaring Christ to be the Lamb of God, Saint John the Baptist himself sent to Christ his own two disciples, the future Apostles Andrew and John the Theologian.



After the Descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles, Saint Andrew went to the Eastern lands preaching the Word of God. He went through Asia Minor, Thrace, Macedonia, he reached the River Danube, went along the coast of the Black Sea, through Crimea, the Black Sea region and along the River Dnipro he climbed to the place where the city of Kyiv now stands.

He stopped overnight on the hills of Kyiv. Rising in the morning, he said to those disciples that were with him: "See these hills? Upon these hills shall shine forth the beneficence of God, and there will be a great city here, and God shall raise up many churches." The apostle went up around the hills, blessed them and set up a cross. The name of the holy Apostle Andrew links the mother, the Church of Constantinople, with her daughter, Ukrainian Orthodox Church.

On his journeys the First-Called Apostle endured many sufferings and torments from pagans: they cast him out of their cities and they beat him. In Sinope they pelted him with stones, but remaining unharmed, the persistent disciple of Christ continued to preach to people about the Savior. Through the prayers of the Apostle, the Lord worked miracles. By the labors of the holy Apostle Andrew, Christian Churches were established, for which he provided bishops and clergy. The final city to which the Apostle came was the city of Patra, where he was destined to suffer martyrdom. He was crucified on an X-shaped cross.

Holy Apostle Andrew, pray to God for us sinners!

SAINT VLADIMIR
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2021

CHRISTMAS HOLY DAY SERVICES

Wednesday, January 6th, the Eve of Christ's Nativity: (Strict fast day)
 Great Compline..... 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, January 7th, Nativity of Our Lord, Jesus Christ,
 First Bilingual Divine Liturgy..... 8:30 a.m.
 Second Bilingual Divine Liturgy..... 10:30 a.m.

Christmas Divine Liturgies will be broadcast live on Parish Facebook
<https://www.facebook.com/St-Vladimir-Ukrainian-Orthodox-Cathedral-497302415586/>

Friday, January 8th, Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
 Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, January 9th, Feast of St. Stephen, Archdeacon and First Martyr
 Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, January 10th, Sunday after the Nativity
 English Divine Liturgy 8:30 a.m.
 Ukrainian Divine Liturgy 10:30 a.m.

**Thursday, January 14th, Naming of Jesus Christ and the Feast of St. Basil,
 Julian New Year.**
 Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, January 17th, Sunday before the Holy Theophany
 English Divine Liturgy 8:30 a.m.
 Ukrainian Divine Liturgy 10:30 a.m.

**Parishioners are to please take note that
 Christmas offering envelopes are included in their box of
 weekly offering envelopes. Extra envelopes are
 available in the church vestibule.**

**COME HOME FOR
 CHRISTMAS!**



St. Vladimir's Christmas Poinsettia Tradition:

For our Nativity celebration we would like to decorate the Lord's Temple with over 100 poinsettias during the Christmas season January 6th – 19th. These flowers will be in memory of our departed loved ones who are especially in our hearts during this time of year. If you would like to remember your deceased loved ones with a poinsettia please send your name, the In-Memory person(s) name(s) in English and a donation of \$10.00 PER PLANT to:

St. Vladimir Cathedral 5913 State Rd. Parma, OH 4413

Your Name

In Memory of

Deadline is Sunday, December 13, 2020