

St. John the Baptist

Ukrainian Catholic Church

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Prophet of the Most High

- When the time arrived for Elizabeth to have her child she gave birth to a son. When they came on the eighth day to circumcise the child, they were going to call him Zechariah after his father, but his mother said in reply, "No. He will be called John." *Lk 1:57, 59-60*

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE:

Saturday, 4:00 p.m. (English)
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. (Ukrainian and English)
Sunday, 10:00 a.m. (Ukrainian)
Tuesday - Friday, 8:00 a.m.

Holy Days of Obligation:

6:00 p.m. (English on the preceding evening)
9:00 a.m. on the Holy Day
Other Services as announced.

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ; 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

ADDITIONAL FAITH RESOURCES:

www.stamforddio.org and www.royaldoors.net

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION:

Parishioners should make plans to have their children baptized and chrismated in a timely fashion. Please call the rectory before setting a date for the ceremony.

CONFESSIONS:

Before weekend Divine Liturgies and Holy Days.

MARRIAGE:

Please call the rectory at least six months in advance. Pre-marital counseling is mandatory.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Kindly notify the rectory regarding parishioners who are hospitalized, homebound, or in nursing homes.

CEMETERY:

Purchase of cemetery plots is a privilege reserved to parishioners. Please contact the rectory before any major improvements are undertaken.

CHURCH FACILITIES:

Any use of church facilities must be cleared in advance at the rectory. Literature may not be placed in or around the Church without approval.

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

8:00 a.m. of the Monday preceding the weekend in which the announcement is to appear.

WEBSITES:

www.stjohnbaptistucc.com
www.facebook.com/StJohnTheBaptistUCC
stjohnbaptistucc.blogspot.com

FOOD FOR THE POOR:

Collected at all weekend Divine Liturgies



SUNDAY, June 24 - Fifth Sunday after Pentecost - Birth of John the Baptist

8:30AM - For Parishioners

Panakhya Service for the Victims of the Holodomor

Following the Divine Liturgy, please join us for the Movie Premier of "When We Starve", being shown in the undercroft of the church

10:00AM - God's Blessing on Grandchildren
req. Mykola and Marika Mychalczak

Following the Divine Liturgy, please join us for the Movie Premier of "When We Starve", being shown in the school gym-auditorium.

After the movie premier "Kalyna" will be performing their Concert.

TUESDAY, June 26

8:00AM - Souls in Purgatory req. Parishioner

WEDNESDAY, June 27

8:00AM - In memory of +Bronislawa Melnychuk
req. Volodymyr and Yaroslava Yavoriv

6:00PM - Moleben to the Sacred Heart of Jesus (English)

THURSDAY, June 28

6:00PM In memory of +Bishop John Stock
req. Eparchy of Stamford

(6:00PM Divine Liturgy fulfills obligation for the Holy Day - Holy Apostles Peter and Paul)

FRIDAY, June 29- Holy Apostles Peter and Paul (Holy Day of Obligation)

9:00AM - For Parishioners

6:00 PM - Moleben to the Sacred Heart of Jesus (Ukrainian)

SATURDAY, June 30

4:00PM - In memory of +Anna Burak
req. children, David, Bill, Patti and Marusia

SUNDAY, July 1 - Sixth Sunday after Pentecost - Birth of John the Baptist

8:30AM - Pope Francis Monthly Intentions - Priests and their Pastoral Ministry: That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests. req. Apostleship of Prayer

10:00AM - For Parishioners



READINGS (today)

Epistle: Romans 10:1-10

Gospel: Matthew 8:29-34, 9:1

Liturgical Proper's are found in the back of the church.
Літургійні додатки до Бюлетня є при вході до Церкви.

Vigil Lights



Main Altar: In loving memory of +Jaroslawa Gudziak
req. Clergy and Parishioners



Please pray for the souls of the deceased members of the parish and those for whom Divine Liturgies will be offered this week.

We ask that you also pray for the following parishioners who are ill or homebound: Olga Holl, Peter Holl, Andrew Krzywuj, Julia Maliwesky, Dorothy Onoff-Graser, Julie Pinkasewicz, Regina Presley, Mary Sheremeta, Pavlo Tkach, Carol Werbeck, Gabriella Wicker, Kalina Woloszyn, and Nina Wozniak.

If you know someone on the prayer list that is no longer in need or know of someone who is in need of prayers, please call the rectory office so we can update our list. Thank you.

"Kalyna" Concert

Directed by Svitlana Bidna

On June 24, 2018

(Following the 10:00am Divine Liturgy)

In the Gym-Auditorium
at the Lesya Ukrainka Ukrainian School

Please come and show your support.

All are welcome to attend!



Movie Premier: "When We Starve"

**Following the Saturday, June 23
and Sunday, June 24 Divine Liturgies.**

Written by Dr. Borys Buniak and narrated by Lydia Kulbida, the short film "is supporting Holodomor commemoration efforts from a medical perspective, by creating a film that elucidates the agonizing stages of starvation, which the victims of the Holodomor doubtlessly endured."

In creating this short film, Dr. Borys Buniak grappled with the question, that many of us do when discussing Holodomor:

"What kind of evil allows innocent people to slowly starve to death and finds satisfaction with the end results? How can perpetrators allow children to die without showing compassion?"

Please join us in viewing this very important short film "When We Starve" to learn more about the tragedy of Holodomor and the horrific physiological and psychological endured by the victims.

Film includes commentary from, Anne Applebaum (author of "Red Famine"), Dr. Ulana Suprun (Acting Health Minister of Ukraine), Bishop Borys Gudziak and Holodomor victims in their own words.

Church Income & Expenses - May 2018

Income
\$13,113.00

Expense
\$17,449.80

Hymns

Saturday, June 23

4:00PM Divine Liturgy

Lector: Anna Reinsmith

Opening: "Almighty God"
"Благослови всім"

Communion: "Welcome Lord Jesus"
"Витай між нами"

Closing: "In Our Midst"
"Назарета любий цвіте"



Sunday, June 24

8:30AM Divine Liturgy

Lector: Patricia Prusinowski

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SAVE THE DATE:

Ukrainian Festival

Friday, July 27, 2018
Saturday, July 28, 2018

(6 weeks until the Festival)



Cooking for Festival - Holubtsi

Core, steam and trim Cabbage:

TUESDAY, JUNE 26 AT 5:00PM

Making the Holubtsi and Baking overnight:

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27 AT 5:00PM

Packing Holubtsi and freezing:

THURSDAY, JUNE 28 AT 5:00PM

Your help is needed for us to reach our goals.
Every volunteer is welcome and very appreciated!
Help to make this year's festival a huge success!



The Organization for the Defense of Lemkivshchyna will hold a community information session in Syracuse, N.Y. on Sunday, July 1, at noon at the Ukrainian National Home, 1317 West Fayette St.

Featured will be remarks by the president of the Ukrainian Federation of Lemko Unions, Yaroslava Halyk, and by the president of OOL, Mark Howansky, followed by a performance of Lemko folk songs by artist Julia Doszna.

All are welcome to attend.

Holy Dormition Pilgrimage at Sloatsburg

64th Holy Dormition Pilgrimage

August 11-12, 2018

This year we are getting a bus for the pilgrimage to Sloatsburg on Sunday, August 12. **If you are interested in attending, please contact the rectory on Tuesday's during business hours at 315-478-5109 or you can contact Fred Bush or Stephanie Woycjesjes. Cost will be \$50.00 per person. More information can be found in the back of the church.**

Please note that on Sunday, August 12, 2018 there will be NO Divine Liturgy celebrated at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church. (The Saturday 4:00pm will still be celebrated).

Festival Meeting

Our next festival meeting will be held on Wednesday, **June 27, at 6:00 PM** in the church undercroft.



On behalf of the Deacon Edward and all parishioners of St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church, I wish to extend my sincerest condolences to Bishop Borys Gudziak, his brother Marko and the whole Gudziak family, on the passing of their beloved mother Pani Jaroslava.



Pani Jaroslava was a beautiful and faithful woman, who so loved God, her church and her family. She will be greatly missed by all.

*"Gone from our sight, but never our memories;
gone from our touch, but never our hearts."*

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Gudziak Family at this difficult time.

**May Pani Jaroslava memory be eternal!
Vichnaja Pamiat!**

Father Mykhaylo



If you were unable to attend the "Every Penny Counts" Fundraiser, but would still like to make a donation...you can!!

Donation container will be set up in the front of the church, and will be there until the festival. So please continue to save your pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters and drop them in the donation jar. Thank you for your generosity.

Festival Raffle Tickets

Take a moment to pick up your Festival Raffle tickets in the back of the church to help save the parish the expense of mailing them. If you see any for a family member, a friend or neighbor, please pick up theirs as well. Thank you.

Moleben to the Sacred Heart of Jesus



June is the month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We will pray the Moleben every Wednesday (English) and Friday (Ukrainian) at 6:00PM. The Sacred Heart of Jesus is abundant in mercy and compassion. Join us in prayer to beseech the Merciful Heart of Jesus for many blessings and peace to all.

O Jesus, Son of the Living God, You have revealed the bounties of Your Love for mankind: have mercy and save all who give glory to you!

Important Bulletin Notice

June 26, the bulletin for **July 8** will be done.

July 10, the bulletin for **July 15** and **July 22** will be done.

If you have information that needs to go into any of these bulletins, you must get it to the rectory the Monday before they are being done. Please contact Stephanie at the rectory, 315-478-5109, on Tuesday's if you should have any questions.

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