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Sunday – August 18, 2013

2013 – 1025th Anniversary of the Baptism of Ukraine

Слава Ісусу Христу – Слава на віки Glory to Jesus Christ – Glory to Him Forever

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| Sunday August 18 9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. | (For the Parish) (Blessings for the Olha Kurylas Family) |
| Wednesday August 21 9:00 a.m. | (+Evhenia and +Michael Ivansiw from Oresta Starak) |
| Thursday August 22 9:00 a.m. | (In thanksgiving from Frank Fisanich) |
| Friday August 23 9:00 a.m. | (+Wally and +Linda Keyes from Family) |
| Sunday August 25 9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. | (For the Parish) (+Julia Prokopik from the Shyshka Family) Fr. R. (+Julian Kopka from the Kopka Family) Fr. W. |

VACATION TIME – REMEMBER YOUR PARISHES

As the summer season is upon us, please remember that our Church is still open as are the Churches where you might be vacationing. We all need a vacation from the daily tasks, trials, and tribulations of our lives, but we must never take a vacation from God. Please attend our Church and the Churches where you are vacationing. Also, remember both of these Churches need your support, so please remember to put something in the collection basket where you are on vacation, and remember to send your envelopes to your parish too.

CHURCH CHOIR:

The Church choir is ending its summer hiatus, and we still have a few Sundays before we resume a more regular schedule. The schedule for choral liturgies through November is:

- ✠ **08 September - 9:00** (warm-up at 8:15, resume regular weekly rehearsals afterward at 10:15)
- ✠ **22 September - 11:30**
- ✠ **06 October - 9:00**
- ✠ **20 October - 11:30**
- ✠ **03 November - 9:00**
- ✠ **10 November - 11:30**
- ✠ **24 November - 9:00.**

We always welcome new singers. No particular experience is required, just a love of our beautiful choral tradition. All are welcome to come to a rehearsal and try us out, or simply come up to the loft during a choral liturgy and join us in lifting our voices in praise of The Lord! If you have any questions, please contact us at ucns.hfchoir@gmail.com

GETTING MARRIED IN 2014 OR 2015?

If you are considering getting married at our parish in 2014 or 2015 and have not already met with Fr. Robert and Fr. Wasyl; please contact them as soon as possible.

UPDATING OUR PARISH SICK-CALL AND HOMEBOUND PASTORAL VISITATION LIST

The priests would like to be able to bring Holy Communion and the other Sacraments to our sick or homebound parishioners. Is one of your family members sick and unable to come to Church or very elderly and unable to travel to Church anymore? Please let Fr. Robert or Fr. Wasyl know, and we will happily come and visit your loved one or you at home. Also, please remember to let us know if you or a family member is in the hospital so that we can visit and bring the Holy Sacraments. Hospitals no longer let us know if you are in the hospital. If you are going to have surgery; you should receive the Sacrament of the Sick before – even for minor procedures and of course for major procedures. The Sacraments are not just for those who are near death. It is a Sacrament of healing for body and soul. Please take advantage of these spiritual riches of the Ukrainian Catholic Church.

PRAYER LIST OF THE SICK OR AGED

Our prayer list of the sick or elderly and friends of our parish: **Charles Belanger, Barbara Blendy, Bluey Family, Theodore Caryk, Petro Daniluk, Mary Dutkewych, Theodore Fedak, Nancy Fisanich, Lovey Havran, Catherine Hetmansky, Julia Hetmansky, Walter Hetmansky, Wasyl Hnatiw, Daniel Horeczko, Michele Pretka Litvar, Mufada and Family, Olha Nakonechny, Alba Nagurney, Nadia O'Shea, Nestor Paclawsky, Anna Romaniuk, Anna Rymaruk, Margaret Mary Burger Rose, Michael Sawkiw Sr., Helen Skoufis, Nadia Sorokowski, Lawrence Sosnowich, Lindsey Sydnor, Maria Tereshchuk, Lisa Pretka Turner, Tamra Ward, and Mary Waris.** If you know of someone who should be on this list, please email or call with the name of the individual. Our intercessory prayer for the sick and the aged is truly helpful and comforting. In your Christian Charity, kindly remember our sick parishioners in your prayers and perhaps a card or note.

FUTURE EVENTS

✂50th Birthday Celebration for Fr. Wasyl, Sunday, September 29, after both Divine Liturgies

✂2013 Wedding Anniversary Celebration at the Cathedral with Archbishop Soroka

Sunday, September 29, 2013, 11:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy followed by Dinner \$50 per couple. See Flyer for more information.

✂ CYA-Ukrainian National Women's League of America 50th Jubilee – Sunday, October 6

✂Basilian Sisters' Pilgrimage – Foxchase Manor, PA, Sunday, October 6

✂ Christmas Bazaar 2013 November 23 and 24