

They Marveled and Glorified God

Do you see how He is shown to be Creator of both souls and bodies? He heals the paralysis in both soul and body. The healing of the soul is made evident through the healing of the body, even while the body still remains a creature crawling on the ground. The crowds were slow to recognize who He was: “When the crowds saw it, they were afraid, and they glorified God, who had given such authority to humans.” ... He proceeded by His daily actions to arouse them and lift up their thinking. It would have been no small thing for Him to be thought greater than all others, as having come from God. If they had established this adequately in their own minds, they would have known in due order that He was indeed the Son of God.

But they did not grasp these things clearly. Because of this they did not come close to recognizing who He was. For again they were saying, “This man is not from God! How can this man be from God?” Their minds churned over these statements continuously. Which thing many now also do; and thinking to avenge God, fulfill their own passions, when they ought to go about all with moderation. For even the God of all, having power to launch His thunderbolt against them that blaspheme Him, makes the sun to rise, and sends forth the showers, and affords them all other things in abundance; whom we ought to imitate, and so to entreat, advise, admonish, with meekness, not angry, not making ourselves wild beasts.

St. John Chrysostom

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Healing the Paralytic

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Sunday – July 5, 2026

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

Confessions are available before the Divine Liturgy

All Services will be Live Streamed at 10:00 AM

Platform: <https://www.facebook.com/holyfamilyshrine/>

Saturday July 4	Happy 4th of July No Great Vespers
Sunday July 5 **10:00 a.m.**	(Blessings Upon the United States of America - Happy 250)
Wednesday July 8 9:00 a.m.	(Blessings for Great Grand Children from Ruth)
Thursday July 9 9:00 a.m.	(Blessings for Boyan Pfeifer from the Woloshyn Family)
Friday July 10 9:00 a.m.	(+Fallen Healthcare Heroes Killed in Ukraine Remembrance Day)
Saturday July 11 5:30 p.m.	Great Vespers
Sunday July 12 **10:00 a.m.**	(+Petro and +Maria Futey from Family)

The Sunday Parish Liturgy requirement will be offered in SS. Joachim and Anna during the summer

LOWER CHURCH BATHROOMS RENOVATION PROJECT 2026

At long last, we will commence with the renovation of our Lower Church Bathrooms. We will have a little inconvenience, but then be able to use modern, hygienic, ADA compliant, and efficient facilities. The cost of the project will amount to just under \$310,000.00. We are very hopeful that our faithful parishioners will be able to make some special donations to cover the cost of this much needed and overdue updating to our facilities. God Bless you in advance for your generosity.

SAINT JOSAPHAT COUNCIL KNIGHTS – COLLECTING FOR THE BATHROOM RENOVATIONS

Knights of Columbus members will be collecting donations for the bathroom renovations projects after the Sunday Divine Liturgy during the summer season.

INDEPENDENCE DAY 2026 – HAPPY 250TH BIRTHDAY USA!

*As our nation celebrates the 250th Anniversary of the Birth of our Country,
let us all pause to remember the blessings we have been given
with the freedoms and opportunities we all enjoy
and that all of the other peoples of the world pray for and hope to enjoy.
God Bless the United States of America!*

In your Christian charity, please remember +Ihor Hulawyj (79), in your prayers as he entered Eternity on June 27 after a long illness.

Family and Friends are invited to his Funeral Divine Liturgy at the Ukrainian Catholic National Shrine of the Holy Family, 4250 Harewood Road NE, Washington, DC, on Thursday July 16, at 9:30 a.m. Repast to follow at Holy Family. Entombment will be in Cedar Hill Mausoleum at 1:00 PM. A visitation will be at the Gasch's Funeral Home, 4739 Baltimore Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20781, on Wednesday July 15, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Parastas will be at 3:00 p.m. Please remember +Ihor in your prayers.

In lieu of flowers, Divine Liturgies and Memorial contributions can be made to UCNS Holy Family. May his memory be Eternal – Vichnaya Yomu Pamyat!

PRAYER LIST

Our prayer list of the sick or elderly and friends of our parish: **Theresa Aranda, Liana Arnold, Valarie Balthis, Barbara Blendy, Bluey Family, Yevhenia Borys, Terry Boyle, Taisia Bullard, Mary Connors, Veronica Cosio, Darlene Dossick, Robert Dulaine, Solomia Dutkewych, Theresa, Ruth Fedack, Bernard F, Myroslava Futey, Lilian Garland, Thomas Gutmann, H.H., Josie Hacker, Robert Harnest, Catherine Hetmansky, Vanessa Hetmansky, Bernadell Rita Higgins, Fr. Robert Hitchens, Boris Hlynsky, Daniel Horeczko, Nila Iwaskiw, Dorothy Kozmoski, Suzanne Krumpelman, Mr. Marko, Melissa Martin, Paul Marynowych, Irene Nagurney, Myron Nagurney Jr, Michele Pretka Litvak, Yaroslava L., Mufada and Family, Sallie Miller, John Moeller, Deborah Pickering, Alexandra Pohorecka, Patricia Pylypec, Ron#119, Michael Joseph Radigan, Ivanna Richardson, Roman Rusynko, Lisa Schaible, Christopher Sell, Teresa Sherwood, Shliakhta Bogdana, Shliakhta Mark, Shliakhta, Andrew, Larry Sosnowich, Lindsey Sydnor, Thomas Sydnor, Lorraine Stadnyk, Lisa Pretka Turner, Gloria and Luis Vega, Fr. George Worschak, and Paul Yarrish.** 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.

**Summer Liturgy Schedule
One Bilingual Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m.**

**Розклад Літургій на літній період
одна Божественна Літургія двома мовами о 10:00 ранку**