# Christ the Saviour Cathedral

## *"CATHEDRAL JOTTINGS"*




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## *The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost*

***The Great Martyr Demetrios***



**Divine Liturgy/ Choir Sunday – 9:00 am**
**Sunday School – 10:20 am**

Panachida for ***+Darby Sprincz*** offered by William Morihlatko;
***+Ronald Kuzmyak*** offered by Dennis Tavolsky
***+Helen Rogel and Doris Wells*** offered by Pani Kathy Buczak;
***+Steve Raslevich*** offered by his children;
+***Michael Gost*** offered by the Gost Family; ***+Jozef Homola*** offered by Steve Knaze; and
***+Very Rev. Michael Conrad (Ordination Date Remembrance)***
Resurrection Tone 6
Tropar & Kondak: Pages 96-98 & 115

Epistle: Ephesians 2:4-10
Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

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**Services for the week of November 8th**

**Fri. 11/13** … +Robert and Evalyn Brudnak offered by Daughters, Sons-in-laws, and Grandchildren……....8:00 am
**Sat. 11/14** … +Frank and Elizabeth Zahoran; +Mary, Michael, John Jr., & John Yech Sr.; and +Marijoan Baran offered by Phyllis Mikolaj (Perpetual)……8:00 am
**Sat. 11/14** … Great Vespers……....……4:00 pm

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## Bible Study Tuesday, November 10th @ 6:30 pm

**Joins us either here in our Cathedral Auditorium or via "Zoom"**

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## Choir Practice Thursday, November 12th @6:30 pm

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**Sunday, November 15th, 2026**

# *The Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost*

***The Hiero-Martyr Acyndynus***

**Divine Liturgy - 9:00 am** **Sunday School – 10:20 am**

Panachida for ***+Vladimir Rosco*** (13th Anniversary),
***+Donald Bodnar Sr., and +Mark Bodnar*** offered by Father Robert and Pani Kathy Buczak

Resurrection Tone 7 - Tropar & Kondak: Pages 99-101

Epistle: Ephesians 2:4-10 Gospel: Luke 8:26-39

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**Services for the week of November 15th**

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**Saturday, November 21st, 2026**

## *The Synaxis of the Archangels Michael, Gabriel and the Bodiless Powers*

**Divine Liturgy – 9:00 am**

Panachida for ***+Helen Gvozdich*** (40th Day) offered by Diana Smith; ***+Samuel Vanecko***; ***+Edna Barton*** offered by Mr. & Mrs. Andrew George; and ***+John M. Lichtey***

Tropar & Kondak: Pages 116-117

Epistle: Hebrews 2: 2-20
Gospel: Luke 10: 16-21

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**Sunday, November 22nd, 2026**

# *The Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost*

***The Holy Martyr Onesiphorus***

**Divine Liturgy/ Choir Sunday - 9:00 am** **Sunday School – 10:20 am**

Panachida for ***+Catherine Buczak, Mary Shusko, Cindy Dzvonik, and +Fr. John Gido*** offered by Father Robert and Pani Kathy Buczak;
***+Ronald Kuzmyak*** offered by Ed and Cristina Sakmar; ***+Darby Sprincz*** offered by the Gilchrist family; and ***+Larry Buksa*** offered by Joe and Pat Kmetz

Resurrection Tone 8 - Tropar & Kondak: Pages 102-104

Epistle: Ephesians 4:1-6 Gospel: Luke 8:41-56

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**BIRTHDAY PRAYERS** – are offered for ***Ron Bost (11/14), Gina Satkovich (11/16), Catie Buczak (11/19), and David Luciew (11/21).*** You were remembered today in the Proskomedia.

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**THE ALTAR CANDLES** – are offered the week of November 8th in memory of ***+Peter Dutko by daughter Darice and the Tvarozna Family.***

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## 2027 LOTS-O-LUCK CALENDARS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

## See Melanie Dudak or Rose Ann DeCoske

**A.C.R.Y. News** ***Next ACRY Chapter meeting is Thursday, November 5th, 2026 at 6:30pm in the Cathedral Auditorium. Saturdays kitchen*** *volunteer dates, 11/21 and 12/12.* ***Cambria County Backpack*** volunteer dates are Mondays at 4pm, 11/16 12/14 located behind Garfield School. Contact person is Melanie Dudak 1-814-659-5573. ***2027 National ACRY membership dues*** for Chapter 20 will be collected until Sunday, November 22, 2026. Dues are $20.00 and first-time membership fees are waived. 2027. Lots-O-Luck Calendars for $25.00 and Cash Bash tickets for $20.00 are available, please contact Melanie Dudak or Rose Ann DeCoske.

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## SEMINARY BOOKSTORE CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

The Seminary Bookstore will be open for Christmas Shopping Saturday, November 28th from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm. We have Ukrainian Christmas Ornaments, Christmas Triptychs, Christmas Icons, Orthodox religious gifts, and assorted Polish pottery. We appreciate your visit to our store., but if you cannot come on this date, you can call Pani Betty Jean at 814-790-2500 for an appointment. You may also order on line at: ***orthodoxgoods.com***.

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## Christ the Saviour Cathedral Members Halupki Cooking Class.

***Saturday, December 12, 2026 from 9-12pm.***

Gary Ernest will be the cooking instructor. The class size will be for ten Cathedral members and the cost will be $20.00 per person. The signup sheet with further information will be at the Cathedral Auditorium from Sunday, November 15th thru November 29th 2026.

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS:** ***Fr. Peter Sodini, Fr. Maximus Cannaverde, Deacon Brad Shaffer, Nicholas Cizin, Clayton Wood, Reader John Fedornock III, Spiridon Raburn, Gabriel Saldana, Ignatius Dixon, David Miazga, Graduate of St. Tikhon Ignatius Leonardo (administrator).***

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## HAPPY VETERANS DAY - 11/11







***The Cathedral Jottings Bulletin is sponsored in memory of Evalyn Brudnak by her family in thanksgiving to ALL our veterans for their service to our great country.***

We remember our departed Veterans: +Nicholas Barron, +George Dorchak, +Stephen Evanisko, +Michael Herko, +Michael Krenisky, +Stephen Laichak, +John Mishurda, +George Mulik, +Michael Mitrus, +Michael Martyak, +Peter Pazin, +Michael Ribinsky, +Michael Salony, + Paul Wasilisian, +Nicholas Zubal, +John Zubal and all our departed veterans of Christ the Saviour Cathedral.

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## QUOTES FROM THE HOLY FATHERS

This is the wisdom and power of God: to be victorious through weakness, exalted through humility, rich through poverty. Not only the word and the mystery of the Cross are divine and to be reverenced, but so also is its sign. For it is a holy, saving and venerable seal – able to hallow and perfect all the good, marvelous and indescribable things God has done for the human race.

***St. Gregory Palamas***

If someone makes us do harm, or says something depressing – let's say old or sick people, or some who have gone out of their minds – don't be depressed, but on the contrary, help them. We must help the sick with all effort and forgive them no matter what they say or do.

***St. Matrona the Blind of Moscow***

Talkativeness is the throne of vainglory, on which it loves to show itself and make a display. Talkativeness is a sign of ignorance, a door to slander, a guide to jesting, a servant of falsehood, the ruin of compunction, a creator and summoner of despondency, a precursor of sleep, the dissipation of recollection, the abolition of watchfulness, the cooling of ardor, the darkening of prayer.

***St. John Climacus***

Understand well and assimilate the principles of true Christian upbringing and act according to them, first of all at home. The upbringing in the home is the root and foundation of everything that follows. One who is well brought up and directed at home will not so easily be knocked off the straight path by a wrong teaching at school.

***St. Theophan the Recluse***

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## CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CATHEDRAL ON-LINE

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or using the QR code found in the pews

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*You have never really lived*
*until you have done something for someone who cannot possibly pay you back*

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## PRAYER CHAIN

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| Thomas Buczak | Arianna Jade Miller | Frank and Daniel Porembka | Clarabella Knight | Amber |
| Veronica Buczak | Taylor Miller | Dr. Rose Ann Jordan | Remona Blunt-Wall | Diana Gvozdich-Smith |
| Michael Sakmar | Jennifer Gardenhour | Demetra Mavrophilipos | Patti Sweeney | Jean Barnes |
| Dave and Roberta Kovalik | Steve Prieber | Rose Conjelko | Samantha Salway | Jennifer Beas |
| Kira Pronin | Aberdeen Rudge | Cindy Birth | Joan and Ronald Bost | Ellen Kuzmyak |
| Romayne and Henry Laichak | Pat Hanuska | Roger Zankey | Cheryl Reese | Elaine Adams |
| Zachary Rogina | Dwight Nugle | Jess Ambrose | Lisa Luterman | Ronnie Horbal |
| Paul Kalcik | Rose and Terry Fyock | Paul Kalinyak | Jeanne Norris | Carol Devine |
| Ronald Kmet | Rosalia Horner | John Rosiak | Kristo Burkett | Dominic |
| Eva Zeleniak-Whitak | Al Kuzmyak | Louis Pocchiari | Amanda May | Florence Gost |
| Judith Rowlands | Michael Paul Gost | Ed and Christine Sakmar | Jean Romesburg | Irene Lenzo |
| Angeline Komara | Matushka Helen Jasiukowicz | Julie Locher | MaryAnn Savering | Rite Cade |
| Charlie Erisman | Joanne Democko | Denise Stroud | Spenser Kreger | Jackson Engro |
| Rachael Costlow | Robert and Barbara Stokes | Brianna Thompson | Zander Marshall | Carla Cernic |
| Julia Locher | Marcia Matthews | Elijah Groff | Kara Dorsey | John Kobal |
| Erin Demich | Jolene McClain | Michael Mehalacki | Ronald Patrick | Evelyn Evanisko |
| Mary Ann Muchesko | Georgene Coulter | Matthew Hanak | Lisa Daugherty | Dave and Marilyn Gehlman |
| Michaela Miller | Tanya Britan | Mary Frances Dutko | Cindy LaBarr | Julia Locher |

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