

## Prayer List

### **For Health:**

Arp. Ted *Shomsky*, Arp. George *Yatsko*, Arp. Andrew *M.*, Dn. Paul *G.*, Betty *Flowers*, Mary *Evans*, Bob *Rohal*, Nancy *R.*, Pauline *Molchan*, George, Dianne, Mary Ann, Nick *Covelli*, Debbie *Covelli*, Patty, Kathy *F.*, Jim *F.*, Rick *K.* Sonya, Dylan, Ed *Jones*, Shelby, Anthony *S.*, Winston, Ethan *Y.*, Sandy *Yeske*, Anna Marie, Joanna, Erin, Josh *Yeske*, Mat. Michelle *V.*, Jasmine and newborn, Alaska, Brittani, Ron, Chris

### **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

Dn. John Schultz 9/24

### **Newly Departed**

Marlene 8/18

Bill Eckersberg 9/16

### **Departed**

Dorothy Petrovich	9-22-2022	Susan Sutyak	9-22-1989
Margaret Mihaly	9-24-1995	Teresa Yacos	9-26-1954
Mike Pigan	9-26-1963	Mary Witt	9-28-1967

“The more one persists in prayer, the more the heart is purified, the more the nous is illumined, the better one’s disposition becomes, and the more the Kingdom of God spreads its joy and its presence within man.”

*-Elder Ephraim of Arizona (+2019)*

# St. Nicholas Orthodox Church

*Archdiocese of Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania  
of the Orthodox Church in America*

**Weekly Bulletin: September 22, 2024**

**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost: Hieromartyr Phocas(117ad)  
Apostle Quadratus of the Seventy**

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### Schedule for the Week:

**Wednesday, September 25:**

6:30pm: Daily Vespers

7pm: Bible Study/Ephesians

**Saturday, September 28:**

6:30pm: Great Vespers

**Sunday, September 29:**

9:20am: Enrolling Robert’s family  
into Catechuminate

9:30am: Divine Liturgy

### **Scripture Readings for the Day:**

#### **Epistle:**

1 Corinthians 16:13-24

#### **Gospel:**

Luke 5:1-11

**Welcome to all  
our Visitors!**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

**GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST!**

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**GLORY TO GOD FOREVER!**

**Welcome** to all of our visitors and guests who have joined us at the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. Please join us at our Fellowship Hour directly after Liturgy. Also, please take a *visitor's card* from the back of the church and fill it out if you have not done so already.

**Please Note:** Only Orthodox Christians who have properly prepared themselves through fasting from midnight the night before, prayer, recent confession, and have attended the Divine Liturgy from at LEAST the reading from the scriptures should approach the chalice “in the fear of God, and with faith and love” to receive the Eucharist.

**Hygiene Collection:** We are collecting deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, and sunblock for the West Virginia Elementary schools. Please place the items in the box on the stage in the hall.

**Donations:** The parish is looking for donations for a few items from those who would like to contribute. Besides the heater, the other items will not be purchased until donations/funds are made available.

Hot water heater: \$1200 (total was \$2200 but a \$1000 donation has been made)

Two rugs behind chairs: \$800-\$1000

Hall renovation: \$1000-\$1500

**St. Tikhon's Monastery:** Father will be travelling to St. Tikhon's from Thursday, Nov. 7- Sunday, Nov. 10 with a few people and is opening it up for anyone else who would like to visit the oldest Orthodox Monastery in America, founded by St. Tikhon of Moscow in 1905. Please let him know by Monday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> if you are interested.



**Adult Education:** Adult Education will begin in October with topic being “Orthodox Pious Practices.”

**Janoski's Farm:** Our Fall Parish outing will be to Janoski's Farm on Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. Cost for hayride and activities is \$12. Children will be covered by the parish. Please sign-up in the hall if you are interested in going.

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### Upcoming Events

**Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>:**

Parish outing to Janoski's Farm at 2pm.

**Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**

Beginning of Adult Education following Vespers on “Orthodox Pious Practices”

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### Schedule Rotations

#### Fellowship Hour

**Sep. 22:** Visitor Sunday Potluck

**Sep. 29:** Hall, Lizon, Oliver

**Oct. 6:** Baker, Dankovchik, Shomsky

**Oct. 13:** Bell, Guio, Moore

#### Reader Schedule

**Sep. 22:** Dankovchik

**Sep. 29:** Gresko

**Oct. 6:** Wildey

**Oct. 13:** Dankovchik