

O who loves Nicholas the Saintly
O who serves Nicholas the Saintly
Him will Nicholas receive
And give help in time of need
Holy Father Nicholas



O kto kto Nikolaja l'ubit
O kto kto Nikolaja služit
Tomu svajatjy Nikolaj
Na vsjakij čas pomahaj
Nikolaj, Nikolaj

ST. NICHOLAS OF MYRA ORTHODOX CHURCH

A PARISH OF THE AMERICAN CARPATHO-RUSSIAN ORTHODOX DIOCESE OF THE
ECUMENICAL PATRIARCHATE OF CONSTANTINOPLE

288 E. 10th Street, New York, NY 10009

Rev. Fr. Michael Rustick

Divine Liturgy: 10am

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Sunday, January 19, 2014

Theophany

Epistle Reading: Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7 **Gospel Reading:** Matt 3:13-17 **Tone:** 5 **Troparion & Kontakion:** pg 45

Christ is Baptized! In the Jordan!

Christos Kreščajetsja! Vo Jordaňi!

CONFESSION REQUEST Father Michael is available to hear confessions up to fifteen minutes before every Liturgy, and always by appointment.

SERVICES THIS WEEK – The Holy Theophany of our Lord God and Savior Jesus Christ will be celebrated today. The Great Blessing of Water will take place prior to dismissal.

There will be a Panachida in memory of Michal Artim, given by daughter, Renata and family, today after Liturgy.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY - Mnohaja i Blahaja L'ita

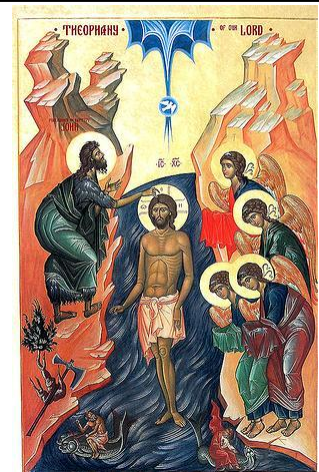
Let us all wish Suzanne Gallant Beskid, Renata Buzik, Stephen Gaydos, Daniel Kindya, Vasil Kormanik, Jean Maggiore, John Petricha, and Anna (Matlak) Petrik many happy and blessed years!

PLEASE CONTINUE PRAYERS FOR - Mary Fackovec, Peter Tymus, Christine Whitaker, Magda Matlak, Helen Karpiak, Paul Sikoryak, Deacon Michael Kozar, Lorraine Vira, Mary Strenk, Steven Gaydos, Ann Gaydos, Mary Lichvarik, Seman Kovalcik, Olga Petrick, Deacon Joseph Hotrovich, Joyce Rusinak, Victoria Vislocky and Neil Ingenito. Please notify Fr. Michael to add and/or remove names: frmichael@stnicholaschurchnyc.org.

HOUSE BLESSINGS – A sign-up sheet for Blessing of homes is attached to the bulletin as well as located in the back of the church. Kindly submit them to Fr. Michael as soon as possible.

ARE YOU UP-TO-DATE WITH YOUR DUES?

Did you know that St Nicholas Church is obligated to pay the diocese for each registered member of our parish? Even if you have not paid your dues, we must still submit payment for you. Also, you will need to be up to date to vote at the Annual Parish meeting on February 2nd. Thank you for your support of St. Nicholas Church.



The Holy Theophany of our Lord God and Savior Jesus Christ commemorates His baptism by John the Baptist in the River Jordan and marks the beginning of Christ's earthly ministry. The Feast of Theophany is the culmination of the Nativity Fast. Also on this day, the Great Blessing of Water is performed and families take the blessed water home to be used by the priest during the blessing of the homes of the faithful.

The Holy Trinity appears for the first time together in written record during this Holy Day- God's voice is heard from Heaven while the Holy Spirit descends on Christ in the form of a dove as depicted in the icon above.

OFFICAL NOTICE

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH
LOCATED AT 288 EAST 10TH STREET
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10009

The regular Annual Meeting of the St. Nicholas of Myra Orthodox Church will be held on Sunday, February 2, 2014 at the regular Church Meeting Hall after Church services.

In addition to the regular, old and any new business, election of Church Officers and Trustees will also be held.

The outgoing Officers are:
PRESIDENT – PAUL SIKORYAK
VICE PRESIDENT – STEPHANIE SALONY
TREASURER – RICH VISLOCKY
FINANCIAL SECRETARY – MAGDA MATLAK
RECORDING SECRETARY – DAWN KRZYZANOWSKI

The outgoing Trustees are:
LUBOS MATLAK
PAUL SIKORYAK
NICHOLAS TIMKO
ROBERT ZIZK

Should you want to run for office or wish to nominate someone, it must be done before the meeting. A Nominations Committee consisting of Magda Matlak and Dawn Krzyzanowski has been established. If you are interested in running or nominating someone for the above referenced positions, contact the Committee as soon as possible.

Respectively Submitted,
Dawn Krzyzanowski
Recording Secretary

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

FEBRUARY 2, 2014 - Annual Parish Meeting

FEBRUARY 9, 2014 - A Cookie Walk Appreciation Day and Debriefing meeting will take place in the Main Hall. We will have our Annual Awards presentation and are hoping to view the fantastic video prepared by Stephanie. Please plan on attending – it will be a great way to conclude Cookie Walk 2013 and start planning Cookie Walk 2014 – December 13-14!

FEBRUARY 16, 2014 - Next Altar Society Meeting

NEXT TRIP – Set Sail on January 23, 2015 on the newest Royal Caribbean ship – Quantum of the Seas. Come join us as will set sail from Bayonne, NJ for a 10-night Eastern Caribbean cruise on the newest Royal Caribbean ship. A full deposit of \$900/cabin is due by December 14, 2013, which would also be FULLY refundable up until November 9, 2014 when the Final Payment is due. All rooms are Oceanview Balconies. You have nothing to lose! There is limited space available, so you if think you would be interested, contact Stephanie Salony at stephanie.salony@comcast.net or at 908-284-0561 right away. Want to see more:

Video: <http://bcove.me/jtja97hl> **OVER 60 PEOPLE ARE ALREADY GOING! HOW ABOUT YOU?**



**WILL YOU HELP US
TACKLE HUNGER AGAIN
THIS YEAR?**

The children of St. Nicholas Church will be collecting non-perishable food for the national project - Souper Bowl of Caring. Please bring your food in by Feb. 2nd, Super Bowl Sunday – the day of the Annual Parish Meeting. Our goal is 500 pounds! THANK YOU!

The Super Bowl Pick-n-Play has started!

See Paul or Helenka Tymus, Lorraine Medvecky or Debbie Derevjanik if you want to join in the fun!

Details are on the Volunteer Board in the Main Hall.

UPDATE: More than half of the squares have been selected.





NEW YEAR EVE CELEBRATION

Everyone who attended the New Year's Eve Celebration 2014 was treated to a wonderful evening of magnificent food & drink, dancing "till dawn", fantastic raffle prizes, spontaneous singing and a night of fun. The decorations were absolutely gorgeous and music filled the air. The event was meticulously planned by Doreen Clemente, Helena Gajdos and Magda Matlak down to the last detail. Thank you and your team for all the hard work that went into the planning and execution of a perfect evening. On the culinary side, Chef George Chobor and his assistant Justina prepared a scrumptious five-course meal. The menu was extensive and every bite was delicious. Our deepest appreciation, George and Justina, for all of your hard work to create an unforgettable meal and a superlative start to the New Year!

Congratulations to our Raffle Winners:

Shark Fishing Trip – donated by Jaroslav Hauk: John Gajdos
Ipad mini – donated by Nick Timko: Kathy Koneval
Ipad mini – donated by Alex Marchak: Jozef Korcak
Coach bag - donated by St. Nicholas Choir: Olga Gubinski
Topaz Ring – donated by the Altar Society: Mary Krupp
\$100 Macy's certificate - Tina Hlinka

50/50 Winners:

Gabriela Hlinka,
Marek Hlinka and
Maria Salon

We also welcomed distinguished guests: František Ružička, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of the Slovak Republic to the United Nations and Jana Trnovcova, Consulate General to Slovakia in New York



January/February/March 2014

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
19 THEOPHANY Team 2	20	21	22	23	24	25
26 1-Year Parastas for Maria Dicova (Jarabina) Board Meeting Team Slovakia & Poland	27	28	29	30	31	FEB 1
2 Annual Parish Meeting The A Team	3	4	5	6	7	8
9 Cookie Walk Debriefing Team Koneval	10	11	12	13	14	15 Presentation of the Lord at the Temple
16 Altar Society Mtg. Team BQE	17	18	19	20	21	22 Soul Saturday
23 Team 8 Days a Week	24	25	26	27	28	MARCH 1
2 Kitchen Cousins	3 Great Lent Begins	4	5	6	7	8
9 Team Black & White	10	11	12	13	14	15 Soul Saturday
16 TEAM 2	17	18	19	20	21	22 Soul Saturday
23 Lenten Breakfast	24	25	26	27	28	29 Soul Saturday
30 Team Koneval	APR 1	2	3	4	5	6

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