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Clergy: Father Paisius McGrath, Pastor
 Protopresbyter, William Diakiw, Attached
 Parish Board President: Karen Sheptak
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Today's Commemorated Feasts and Saints: 27th Sunday after Pentecost- Tone 2; Holy Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes and Eucraphus

*****PARISH SCHEDULE*****

Sunday, December 10, 27th Sunday after Pentecost, Divine Liturgy 10 am 40th Day Memorial Litia for Bob Dally Coffee Hour: Lydia Rudolf (Ladies Guild)

Monday-Wednesday, December 11-13, Parish Christmas Bake Sale

Saturday, December 16, Nativity Retreat, 10 am-12 pm 2nd Floor Ukrainian Hall Lunch provided by UOL Senior Chapter

Sunday, December 17, Sunday of the Holy Forefathers, Divine Liturgy 10 am Church School Saint Nicholas Program and Luncheon

*****PRAYER CORNER*****

For Healing and Good Health: Metropolitan Antony, Archbishop Daniel, Protopresbyter William Diakiw, Pani Sonia Diakiw, Father John Harvey, Father Nestor Kowal, Panimatka Lillian Hnatko, Kathryn, Brian, Ron Radio, Orycia Hammerschmitt, Stephen Sheptak, Gregory Prokopchak, Jessica Burka, Amanda Burka, Tanner Noble, Nick and Arianna Coyle, Jean Markiw, Kathryn Tymkiw, Jack Povlick, Mary Ann Jurysta, Sherri Burka, Emil Russo, Helen Burka, Michael Romanyshyn, Eva Bilowich, Patty Hnatko, Rose Hnatko, Sherri Markiw, Ethan Rock, Scott Cygan, Metrophan Martin, Ronna Frenchak Pindel, Lovie Tymkiw, Donna Grey, Helen Olenic, our brothers and sisters suffering in Ukraine, Syria, Iraq and Egypt

Memory Eternal: Bob Dally, Ann Pituch, Shirley A. Smith

*****PARISH NEWS AND UPDATES*****

This morning we offer the Memorial Litia as we commemorate the 40th day of the repose of our faithful parishioner Bob Dally. May the Lord our God grant a blessed repose to His newly departed servant, Bob, and may his memory be eternal!

This morning we as a parish community extend our condolences to Shery Burka on the repose of her beloved mother, Shirley Arlene Smith on Sunday, November 26. May the Lord our God grant a blessed repose to His newly departed servant, Shirley, and may her memory be eternal!

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This morning we as a parish extend our best wishes and congratulations to Helen Olenic as she celebrates her birthday this week on Tuesday, December 12 and to Stanley Ostwinch as he celebrates his birthday this week on Saturday, December 16. May the Lord our God grant to His servants, Helen and Stanley, many more blessed and happy years!

We wish to announce that our Basket Raffle from November of two Steelers themed prizes has been held over from last Sunday and the drawing will be today at Coffee Hour. Make sure to get your tickets!

We are pleased to announce that the 2018 Parish Wall Calendars are available on the tables in the basement of the Church, make sure to take your copies home. We offer a word of thanks to Geibel's Funeral Home for providing these calendars for us once again!

Our Parish Christmas Bake Sale will be this week Monday-Wednesday, December 11-13 and we ask for everyone to plan to help us once again as there will be much work to do for this. Make sure to get your orders in by the end of today and we have extra order forms available on the table next to our Sunday bulletins today!

We invite everyone to join us this coming Saturday at 10 am at the Ukrainian Hall for the Nativity Retreat. Come and join us as we hear an excellent presentation by Father Bogdan on "The Ancient of Days is born as a Baby: Christmas the Real Deal" with lunch to be provided by the Parish UOL Chapter.

As we continue in the season of preparation for the Nativity of our Lord we would like to announce that everyone is invited to participate in the donation of the Poinsettias to decorate the Church for Christmas. Donations of \$10 can be made either in honor of a living family member or loved one or in memory of a departed family member or loved one and we ask that these donations be made by Sunday, December 17 by using your offering enveloping and marking it for "Christmas Flowers".

This morning we announce that the Parish Basket Raffle for December will be of a Christmas lottery wreath donated by Antoinette Kennedy: this basket has beautiful Snowman Dessert plate, decorative stand, and Pennsylvania Instant Lottery Scratch Off tickets. Tickets are available at Coffee Hour 1 for \$1, 5 for \$3 and 10 for \$5 with the drawing to be held today on Sunday, December 17 and all proceeds to benefit our Parish General Fund. Get your tickets as we support our Parish in this way and have the opportunity to win and enjoy this wonderful Holiday Basket!

We offer a word of thanks to everyone who came out to help with the Pirohi Sale this past week. Our final Pirohi Sale for 2017 will be on Thursday/Friday, December 21/22 and we encourage everyone to come out to help once again as we work together for the good of the Parish in this way.

MAY CHRIST OUR GOD GRANT TO HIS SERVANTS ALL OF THE FAITHFUL OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH AND ALL OUR VISITORS TODAY, PEACE, HEALTH AND SALVATION AND MAY HE SAFEGUARD AND KEEP US ALL FOR MANY YEARS!