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Choir Director: Eric Prokopchak

<u>Today's Commemorated Feasts and Saints</u>: 34th Sunday after Pentecost- Tone 1; Sunday of the Prodigal Son

Today, Sunday, Sunday, February 12, Sunday of Prodigal Son, Hours 9:45 am Divine Liturgy 10 am Memorial Litia for Paul Olenic UOL Valentines Day Luncheon (UOL) Monday, February 13, Parish Executive Board Meeting 6:30 pm Church Basement Saturday, February 18, Memorial Saturday, Hours 9:15 am Divine Liturgy 9:30 am Sorokousty/Memorial Service

For Healing and Good Health: Metropolitan Antony, Archbishop Daniel, ,
Protopresbyter William Diakiw, Pani Sonia Diakiw, Father John Harvey, Father Nestor
Kowal, Panimatka Lillian Hnatko, Edna Knicely, Orycia Hammerschmitt, John
Keffalas, Katheryna Dowbenko, Stephen Sheptak, Gregory Prokopchak, Jessica Burka,
Amanda Burka, Tanner Noble, Nick and Arianna Coyle, Jean Markiw, Connie Markiw,
Kathryn Tymkiw, Jack Povlick, Mary Ann Jurysta, Sherri Burka, Emil Russo, Helen
Burka, Michael Romanyshyn, Mary Demarco, Nicholas Burka, , 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 and Iraq

Memory Eternal: Matushka Juliana Schememann, Alex Dobransky, Bohdan Hryshchyshyn,

This morning we as a parish extend our best wishes and congratulations to Ron Radio who celebrated his birthday last Sunday, February 5; and to Laura McGraw celebrated her birthday on Monday, February 6. May the Lord our God bless His servants, Ron and Laura, and may He grant to them many more blessed and happy years!

Today at the end of Divine Liturgy we offer a Memorial Litia for the departed servant of God, Paul Olenic, at the request of Mrs Ann Yannotty. May the Lord our God grant a blessed repose to His departed servant, Paul, and may his memory be eternal!

Everyone is invited to join us today following Divine Liturgy for our Parish UOL Valentines Day Luncheon in the Ukrainian Hall. The menu consists of two different soups, salad, egg casserole, breads, breakfast cakes, Coffee, Tea and other beverages. Ticket prices are \$6 for adults and \$2 for students with all proceeds to benefit our UOL Chapter. Come and join us!

We offer a reminder that this coming Saturday, February 18 is the first of our Memorial Saturday- Sorokousty services and so we ask that each family hand in the names of their departed loved ones to be remembered at this and the other Memorial Saturdays of this year. These are special opportunities for us to remember in prayer all our departed loved ones, family and friends and we invite everyone to join us for Divine Liturgy at 9:30 on this and the other Memorial Saturdays!

We offer a reminder that next Sunday, February 19, we will host the Meatfare Sunday Pan- Orthodox Divine Liturgy and Pre-Lenten luncheon. We will welcome Father Bogdan and the faithful of Saint Anthony's for this celebration with Matins at 9 am and Divine Liturgy at 10 am followed by the Luncheon in the Ukrainian Hall. This year the luncheon will be potluck and so we ask each family to sign up on the Luncheon sheet on our bulletin board this morning and indicate what foods you will be able to bring and share with all.

Let us also remember that we are rapidly approaching the start of Great Lent and our preparation for the coming Feast of the Resurrection on Holy Pascha. We will have our Annual Forgiveness Service on Sunday, February 26 and then begin Great Lent. We pray that we will all take every opportunity given by our Church to prepare ourselves during the coming Lenten season. Our preparation is to worthily celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

A special word of thanks to everyone who contributed to last week's Souper Bowl Sunday special collection to benefit Saint Andrew's Society and its ministries. May God bless you for your generosity!

We offer a special word of thanks to Ron and Linda Radio for the donation of last month's Parish Basket for the Raffle! We also offer thanks to everyone participated by buying tickets and supporting the parish in this way and congratulations to Marlenna Hassler for winning this lovely basket!

We offer a word of thanks to all who helped with the Pirohi Sale this past week and we encourage everyone to come out to help again with the next Sale on Thursday/Friday, February 23/24 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!