

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

September 14, 2025

8:40 AM Rosary
9:00 AM **Health/Blessings for Holy Ghost Parishioners**
Catechism Classes

DIVINE SERVICES/EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 15 NO SERVICES

Tuesday, September 16 NO SERVICES

Wednesday, September 17

5:30 PM Confessions in the Sacristy (or by appointment)
5:30 PM Rosary
6:00 PM **Moleben in Times of War: For the Suffering Land of Ukraine and her Children**

Thursday, September 18 NO SERVICES

Friday, September 19 NO SERVICES

Saturday, September 20

5:00 PM **+ Anna, Joseph Sr & Christopher Skubiak** – by Annette Dressler

Sunday, September 21 SUNDAY AFTER THE EXALTATION OF THE CROSS

8:40 AM Rosary
9:00 AM **Health/Blessings for Holy Ghost Parishioners**
11:00 AM *Ladies Day Out*

DEAR LADIES!

Please join us for **Ladies Day Out on September 21 and October 19 at 11:00.** *Maiden, Mother, Matriarch* – journey to holiness On September 21st by Halyna Shevchuk.

Reflection and prayers on Matters of the Heart on October 19th - by Ellen Barber. Bring a friend! We will have a lunch together as well. Bring a side dish or a dessert to share.

PLANNING AHEAD:

September 27 – Pyrohy Project

DONATIONS – September 7:

Sunday: \$1,573
Orphanage: \$1,700
Candles: \$34
Renovation: \$40
Maintenance: \$75
Church cleaning: \$60
Eparchial obligations: \$40
Total: \$3,382

“To your cross O Master, we bow in veneration, and we glorify your Holy Resurrection”

«Хресту Твоєму поклоняємось, Владико, і Святес Воскресіння Твоє славимо!»

CONGRATULATIONS:

This week **Allison Gardner (9/16), Natalia Griffiths (9/17) and Phoebe Schwager (9/21)** celebrate their birthdays. We wish you a wonderful celebration, and a year of health and blessings flavored with pure joy, and **many blessed years... mnohaya i blahaya lita!**

PARISH BOOK STUDY

Our next parish book study will begin on **Thursday October 2nd at 4:00 PM.** The book **Scott and Kimberly Hahn Rome Sweet Home our Journey to Catholicism.** I think, any Roman Catholic who reads this book and takes its message seriously will love Jesus Christ more deeply and appreciate and celebrate the Sacraments and Scripture more faithfully. I am so excited to journey through this book with you for about 7 weeks Oct.2 – Nov 13. Please contact Halyna if you have questions.

СВЯТО ВОЗДВИЖЕННЯ ЧЕСНОГО І ЖИВОТВОРЯЩОГО ХРЕСТА

14-го вересня ми святкуємо торжественний празник Всесвітнього Воздвиження Чесного і Животворного Хреста Господнього. Хрест Христовий був віднайдений у 4-му століті святою Оленою, матір'ю Константина Великого. Хрест був урочисто воздвижений патріархом Єрусалимським над містом. І для нас, сучасних християн, Хрест Господній є свідком безмежної Божої любові. Це Хресне дерево окроплене дорогоцінною кров'ю Христа. За словами святого апостола Павла, ми не маємо чим хвалитися, як тільки Хрестомна якому помер наш Спаситель, «БО СЛОВО ПРО ХРЕСТ - ГЛУПОТА ТИМ, ЩО ПОГИБАЮТЬ, А ДЛЯ НАС, ЩО СПАСАЄМОСЯ, СИЛА БОЖА» (1 Кор. 1, 18). Тому він для нас є і має бути таким цінним і шанованим.

VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

On Saturday, September 14th, we will celebrate the Feast of the Exaltation of the Precious and Life-Giving Cross and we will continue venerating the cross during the week. At the beginning and at the end of all Divine Liturgies we will sing the hymn to the cross: *“To your cross, O Master, we bow in veneration, and we glorify your holy resurrection.”* This hymn is accompanied by a full prostration to the ground. We ask all parishioners who are physically capable, to honor the precious and life-giving cross, by prostrating themselves as we sing this hymn.

BENEFIT LUNCHEON:

A Benefit Luncheon for the Eparchy of Saint Josaphat will take place on Sunday, October 19, 2025, at the Astrodome in Parma. There will be a reception at 12:30pm and the Luncheon will begin at 1:00pm. Bishop Bohdan will be attending. This is an important opportunity to support our Eparchy. **Everyone is invited to attend or to support this event in some way.** You may register via the invitation you should have received in the mail, or online at the Eparchy's website (stjosaphateparchy.com) or call 440-888-1522. Please support this important event for the Eparchy!

SAVE THE DATE!!

Dear Parishioners of Holy Ghost Parish, The Mother Parish, Sts. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church, is going to celebrate our 115th Anniversary on Sunday, September, 21st, 2025. This Anniversary also commemorates the long presence of the Ukrainian Community in Cleveland, Ohio. Please join us for a Pontifical Divine Liturgy on Sunday, September 21st, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at Sts. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church. Following the Divine Service, there will be an Anniversary Dinner at St. Andrews Grove and Party Center located at 7700 Hoertz Road, Parma, OH 44134. Tickets will be \$75.00 per person and children under 12 will be free. For reservations and tickets, please email Motherchurch008@gmail.com or call Fr. Andrew Hanovsky at (216) 401-0004. Sts.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE:

Beginning Wednesday, September 24th and continuing till Saturday November 1st, the campaign runs Monday to Saturday 8 am to 4 pm. Grab a friend and sign up at 40daysforlife.com/cuyahogafalls (preferred) or leave a message at 330.990.8076

2025 Pyrogy Open Results: 48 golfers enjoyed the day. Over \$4,000 was raised for the orphanage in Berezhany, Ukraine! A huge thanks to all who golfed, volunteered, donated raffle prizes, and supported this event with family and friends. It takes a lot of teamwork. Thank you to all who volunteered, donated, and golfed! Special thanks to the following for making a separate cash donation to the orphanage: Pete Kopko \$50, Andy Rice \$200, Neil Harlock \$20. Gary Savage sent a check for \$500. See you next year!