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of St. Vladimir  
Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral  
of the United States of America  
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Glory to Jesus Christ!

Glory Forever!



To friends and visitors who worship with us today, a sincere welcome is extended and we cordially invite you to attend all the services of this church. To all who worship here, this is the House of God. Leave it not without a prayer for yourself, your congregation and for those who minister.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2011

16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

SUNDAY AFTER THE EXALTATION  
OF THE HOLY CROSS

READINGS

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**Epistle:** Gal. 11:16-20



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**Gospel:** St. Mark: 8:34-9:1

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**Schedule of Altar Boys for Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>:**

English Divine Liturgy: **Group #1**

John Kominko, Andrew Moysaenko, Nicholai Moysaenko

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**Schedule of Ushers for Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>:**

English Divine Liturgy: **Group #1**

Mr. Emil Pavlyshyn, Mrs. Joey Mihnovets



**Parents: Please note** that today is the final day to register your children for the 2012 First Holy Confession class. To register, please speak to Fr. John, Fr. Michael or Mrs. Mary Ann Sklaryk, youth minister.

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On Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, our board of Trustees invites everyone to attend a buffet chicken dinner following both Liturgies. No tickets are necessary. Free will offerings will be gratefully accepted. The menu consists of half a chicken, potatoes, vegetables, salad and dessert. Take-out containers are available. Plan to attend and invite a friend to join you.

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Our Senior U.O.L. Chapter has begun fundraising for the U.O.L. Convention that will be held in Parma in July, 2013. The members of our Senior U.O.L. are having a raffle. Only 100 tickets will be sold at a cost of \$25.00 each. First prize is \$500.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize is \$200.00, with 4 additional prizes of \$50.00 each. The drawing will be held at our parish Thanksgiving Dinner. You may buy tickets from any Sr. UOL member.

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*Calendar of Events for the week of October 2<sup>nd</sup>:*

**Sunday (today)- 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our parish library following both Liturgies. A reception will be held and archival displays will be shown in our school building**

- Monday - 7:00 p.m., Monthly Brotherhood meeting
- Wednesday - 8:30 a.m., Moleben for sick parishioners
- 5:30 p.m., Bandura School, Ukrainian Dance School, Art classes
- 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., Library Hours
- Thursday - 7:00 a.m., Pyrohy Project
- Friday - 5:00 a.m., Pyrohy Project
- Saturday - 9:00 a.m., Ukrainian School
- 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Library Hours
- 5:45 p.m., Confession
- 6:00 p.m., Vespers

**Sunday - 8:30 a.m., English Divine Liturgy**  
**- 9:45 a.m., Sunday School**  
**- 10:15 a.m., Ukrainian Divine Liturgy**

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Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> will go down in the history of our Parma Ukrainian Community as the most impressive event ever sponsored by the community. We give thanks to Almighty God for the warm sunny day for the parade down State Road, in spite of the dire weather forecast. The music provided by Parma's 5 high school bands uplifted the spirits not only of those who marched in the parade but of the spectators as well. We thank the Ukrainian Village Committee for their hard work which resulted in the success that we all witnessed. Thanks are extended to all parishioners who marched under the St. Vladimir banner and rode on Lolly the Trolley. Your participation showed the Parma community that we are a strong parish family.

May God bless you all!

- Fr. John

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Please be sure to notify the clergy of any sick and hospitalized parishioners. This is the duty of the family. Also, please call the rectory if a home visit is desired.

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**Please check out our new parish website by going to**

<http://www.stvladimirs.org>

Today our parish celebrates the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of service at our Library - service both to our parish and to the entire community. What began in 1986 as a small collection of books in honor of the Millennium of Christianity, has now amounted to a collection of over 6,000 books, audio and video cassettes and many archival pictures.

This morning we thank the many volunteers who contributed countless hours cataloging and circulating materials in this invaluable part of our parish school building. May God bless them for many years. Mnohiya Lita! May Our Lord grant those who have entered into eternity rest in His Heavenly Kingdom. Vichnaya Pamyat!

Our library is constantly in need of new volunteers. For more information and to volunteer, please contact our librarian, Mrs. Helen Norka.

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On Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, the Board of the Orthodox Christian Mission Center (OCMC), an international mission agency of the Standing Council of Orthodox Bishops of America, will be holding their semi-annual meeting in Parma. Our parish is honored to serve as the host parish. As a part of their meeting, a Divine Liturgy (in English) will be served on Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 a.m. All parishioners are invited. A special invitation is extended to all choir members who are not working to please come to sing the responses. Twenty-five representatives from various Orthodox jurisdictions across the country will be in attendance. Please greet them warmly. For more information about the OCMC, please read the insert in this morning's bulletin.

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In our continuing effort to obtain pictures of our parish history, a committee is working to compile pictures of past parish events and organizations. If you have any pictures, please lend them to the committee so that they can be scanned. They will then be returned to you. If you can assist in this area, please contact Ms. Mary Pavlyshyn or Mrs. Debbie Naab.

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### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS ...**

... for next year's Parish Festival. It will be held on Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, from 12:00 noon to 11:00 p.m. Please plan your vacations around our Festival so that we can have workers to continue the Festival tradition that not only brings donations to the parish but also is a wonderful form of entertainment for our families and friends.

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**Attention Pyrohy Workers:** Vacation is over! Beginning this week, our Pyrohy Project will resume its regular schedule on Thursdays and Fridays. This vital organization annually donates tens of thousands of dollars to the needs of our parish. We are grateful to all the pyrohy workers for their love and dedication to St. Vladimir Cathedral. As always, new members are welcome and needed. Check the parish calendar for the work times on Thursdays and Fridays.

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### **NEWS FROM THE PARISH LIBRARY**

We are grateful to Irene & Emil Pavlyshyn for a donation of memoirs by Jaroslav Cioban. It's a beautiful recollection of historical events in his native village Volodzh and his participation in UPA during World War II in Ukraine. Thank you!

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The Ukrainian Cultural Arts Assoc. (Kashtan & Zorya) will be hosting a 1920's dance at St. Andrew's Hall on October 22<sup>nd</sup>. Tickets for dinner and the dance are \$65. each or \$120. per couple. The event will begin at 6:00 p.m. with cocktails. The theme is black and white attire only. Those interested in showing up for the dance only, tickets are \$25. The dance begins at 8:30 p.m. and the attire is 1920's speak easy clothing. Please contact Matthew Zappernick at [zapps@cox.net](mailto:zapps@cox.net) or (440) 506-9411 for ticket information and table bookings. Tickets are also available at the Cleveland Self-Reliance Credit Union.

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*"Living in the Light"*, a *ZOE for Life* sponsored retreat will be held on Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at Holy Trinity Orthodox Church, 6822 Broadview Road in Parma. The program will run from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., with an invitation to stay for Vespers at 5:00 p.m. The retreat is FREE of charge for students of all ages, parents, teachers, clergy, lay leaders, youth workers, concerned Orthodox Christians, friends and family. There will be 4 retreat groups:

(1) 12-14 years old, (2) 15 – 18 years old, (3) 19 – 25 years old and (4) 25+ years old. Presenters will be:

Fr. Andrew Harmon

Fr. Jonathan Cholcher

Cindy George

Lydia Cherep Becker

Fr. Joseph McCartney

Angie Giallourakis

Natalie Kapeluck-Nixon     Leon Sheean

Register with Lea Georgantas by email at [Imgeorga@yahoo.com](mailto:Imgeorga@yahoo.com) or by phone (315) 289-4298. Include your name, address, e-mail, parish, age, phone and cell phone. For more information, email or phone Daria Petrykowski at [pjerry675@aol.com](mailto:pjerry675@aol.com), (440) 572-1871 or cell (216) 218-8760.

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Greater Cleveland  
Orthodox Clergy Association  
cordially invites all to a

# RECEPTION

## Benefitting the OCMC

on

### Tuesday, October 11, 2011

at Saint Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church

22909 Center Ridge Road in Rocky River, Ohio 44116

6:15 PM Wine and Cheese - 7:00 PM Dinner

followed by presentations on the

Ministry of the Orthodox Christian Mission Center

*"Climbing Mount Everest - Missions in the Orthodox Church"*

**Father Martin Ritsi -Executive Director of the OCMC**

*"Journey to Tanzania -Sharing God's Word with the Faithful"*

**Board Member John and Carrie Colis - OCMC Team Members**

**Donation requested - \$20**

**For further information or reservations, please contact**

**St. Demetrios Parish at 440- 331- 2246**

or

**Deacon Ihor Mahlay at 440 - 582-1051 – [imahlay@yahoo.com](mailto:imahlay@yahoo.com)**

