



**ST. NICHOLAS
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4th Sunday of The Great Fast

Saturday	March 14, 2026	Tone 7, p. 156 & p.226 Epistle: Heb 6:13-20, Gospel reading: Mk 9:17-31 4th All Souls Saturday
	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) <i>For the deceased, followed by Panachida and the reading of the Hramoty</i>
	3:00 – 3:30 pm	Mystery of Reconciliation (St. Mary)
	4:00 pm	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) <i>Health and Blessings of Brenna and Dan Walker offered by Mary Jacko</i>
Sunday	March 15, 2026	Tone 7, p. 156 & p.226 Epistle: Heb 6:13-20, Gospel reading: Mk 9:17-31
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) <i>Health and Blessings for the Parish Family of Assumption of the Virgin Mary Church and St. Nicholas Church</i> Panachida and the reading of the Hramoty
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy with children's sermon (St. Mary) – Livestreamed <i>In memory of +Mary Walsh offered by Donald P Walsh, Sr. and family</i>
Wednesday	March 18, 2026	
	7:00 pm	Divine Liturgy of St. Gregory Pope of Rome (Presanctified) – (St. Nicholas) <i>Health and Blessings for Ann Hegner and MaryAnn Walsh requested by Fr. Yuriy and Family</i>
Friday	March 20, 2026	
	4:00 pm	Divine Liturgy of St. Gregory Pope of Rome (Presanctified) – (St. Mary) <i>Health and Blessings for Mary Jacko and Juan Torres offered by Ellen Jacko and Ron Ostrowski</i>
		5th Sunday of The Great Fast
Saturday	March 21, 2026	Tone 8, p. 161 & p.230 Epistle: Heb 9:11-14, Gospel reading: Mk 10:32-45
	3:00 – 3:30 pm	Mystery of Reconciliation (St. Mary)
	4:00 pm	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) <i>In memory of +Michael Katona offered by Catherine Katona</i>
Sunday	March 22, 2026	Tone 8, p. 161 & p.230 Epistle: Heb 9:11-14, Gospel reading: Mk 10:32-45
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) <i>Health and Blessings for the Parish Family of Assumption of the Virgin Mary Church and St. Nicholas Church</i>
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy with children's sermon (St. Mary) – Livestreamed <i>Health and Blessings for Nancy Susko for her 91st birthday offered by Michael, Deborah, Michael and Nicholas Susko</i>

ST. NICHOLAS CEMETERY CLEANUP! – Now that the snow is gone, please make time to go to the cemetery and remove Christmas decorations. Thank you!

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

Weekly average needed to meet budget: (to keep lights on & doors open only)	\$1,623
Total collection for March 7, 2026	\$875
2024 -2025 shortfall	-\$15,048
Overage/shortfall* this week	-\$748
Running total of overage/shortfall*	-\$1,426
*Any shortfall must be made up by transferring money from savings.	

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT – Mark your calendars! Our Vacation Bible School will take place August 11th through August 13th for children ages 4 to 11. Youth ages 12 and older are warmly invited to participate as junior counselors and volunteers. Registration forms are available at the back of the church. If you are interested, please fill one out and place it in the collection basket. There is no obligation — this simply allows us to keep you informed and provide you with updates about the camp.

We strongly encourage you to participate and to invite your children to grow in faith, friendship, and knowledge of God.

PIROHI FOR SALE!!! – Enjoy traditional, homemade goodness from the parishioners of St. Nicholas Parish! Potato Cheese pirohi at \$15 per dozen are available for your Lenten table. For ordering, please contact Monica Olaff at (609) 280-9481 or Stephanie Hennessey at (609) 731-1871. The supply is limited.

UPCOMING DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS – Sunday and Holyday Divine Liturgies are available for remembrance of loved ones, living or deceased. The requested stipend is \$20.00 per Liturgy. It is our Christian Vocation to pray. Please contact the church office for more information or place your remembrance, your preferred date and stipend in the collection basket.

PLEASE DONATE NEW/GENTLY USED WOMEN'S LOUNGE WEAR – Monica Olaff is collecting clothes for a boutique at a women's hospital. If you are Spring cleaning your closets, please consider donating a bag or two. The boutique is designed to give discharged patients some clothes to go home in. Sweat shirts and pants, PJ's, comfy clothes or gently used sneakers are being collected. Packs of new socks could also be used as well. Your help is very appreciated. Bring any donation to church and give to Monica.

ST. NICHOLAS CEMETERY REPAIR AND IMPROVEMENT PROJECT – Our parish cemetery needs your help. After damage to the cemetery fence in late 2025 and concerns about aging and hazardous trees, the parish is undertaking a project to remove several trees and replace the fence to better protect the cemetery. The brick entrance gates and existing openings will remain unchanged. The estimated cost of this project is \$16,000, and we are asking parishioners and families with loved ones buried in the cemetery to consider making a contribution. Your support will help us preserve and care for this historic and sacred resting place. Thank you for your generosity.

GCU NEWS – St. Patrick's Day Lunch at Killarney's Publick House, Whitehorse-Mercerville Road, Hamilton, NJ. Luncheon will be held on Monday, March 16, 2026, beginning at 11:30am. Cost for GCU members is \$12.00; non-members TBD. Contact Cindi Visovsky (609) 356-9440 to participate or with your questions.

SAVE THE DATE – APRIL 15, 2026 – Please mark your calendars for a special celebration commemorating the 380th Anniversary of the Union of Uzhhorod. A Hierarchical Divine Liturgy and Celebration Conference will take place on April 15, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. at St. Michael's Chapel in Woodland Park, NJ, hosted by the Eparchy of Passaic. More details will be shared as the date approaches. **REGISTRATIONS IS NOW OPEN!**

