

December 2018

Sun (12/2)	Mon (12/3)	Tue (12/4)	Wed (12/5)	Thu (12/6)	Fri (12/7)	Sat (12/8)
Normal Liturgy Schedule Celebration of Patron Saint - St. Andrew Feast Day at 11:00am Liturgy. Dinner follows in back hall.	No Morning Liturgy	9:00am Liturgy <i>Christmas Caroling – Please contact Fr Ihor if you are interested in caroling.</i>	9:00am Liturgy	9:00am Liturgy Feast of St Nicholas 	9:00am Liturgy	Normal Liturgy Schedule <i>Feast of the Maternity of the Holy St Anna is observed</i>
9 Normal Liturgy Schedule St Nicholas Event for our Young Faithful (1:00pm)	10 No Morning Liturgy	11 9:00am Liturgy	12 9:00am Liturgy LAST DAY TO PLACE YOUR STUFFED CABBAGE / BORCSHT ORDER	13 9:00am Liturgy 	14 9:00am Liturgy COOKIE WALK – DROP OFF (3:00pm -7:00pm)	15 Normal Liturgy Schedule COOKIE WALK (doors open at 9:00am)
16 Normal Liturgy Schedule Bethlehem Peace Light arrives after our 9:30am Liturgy from PLAST organization	17 No Morning Liturgy 	18 9:00am Liturgy Visiting the sick and home-bound: Contact Fr Ihor if you or a family member would like a special visit (440/845-2270).	19 9:00am Liturgy	20 9:00am Liturgy	21 9:00am Liturgy 	22 Normal Liturgy Schedule CONFESSIONS HEARD FROM 3:00pm TO 4:30pm
23 Normal Liturgy Schedule	24 CHRISTMAS EVE 4:30 PM CHILDREN'S LITURGY (ENG) 	25 CHRISTMAS DAY 8:45AM Vespers/Great Compline (Ukr) 9:30AM Christmas Liturgy (Ukr/Choir) 12:00NN Liturgy (ENG)	26 10:00am Liturgy Synaxis of the Theotokos Congratulations Fr Ihor on your 26th Anniversary of your Holy Ordination! Многая Літа!	27 9:30am Liturgy Feast of St. Stephen	28 9:00am Liturgy NO PIEROGI SALES	29 Normal Liturgy Schedule Last day to submit ACME receipts for the community cashback program.
30 Normal Liturgy Schedule Don't forget to pick up your 2019 church envelope boxes.	31 No Morning Liturgy 	JAN 1 11:00am Liturgy (Circumcision of Our Lord) Happy New Year!	JAN 2 9:00am Liturgy	JAN 3 9:00am Liturgy	JAN 4 9:00am Liturgy NO PIEROGI SALES	JAN 5 4:30PM Theophany of Our Lord - Vigil (Blessing of holy water)

(SPECIAL NOTE: January 6, 2019 Great Compline at 9:00am prior to 9:30am Liturgy of Theophany of Our Lord. Blessing of Holy Water.)

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Father in Heaven, Creator of all and source of all goodness and love, please look kindly upon us and receive our heartfelt gratitude in this time of giving thanks. Thank you for all the graces and blessings. You have bestowed upon us, spiritual and temporal, our faith and religious heritage. Our food and shelter, our health, the loves we have for one another, our family and friends. Dear Father, in Your infinite generosity, please grant us continued graces and blessing throughout the coming year. Amen. (www.catholic.org)

CHRISTMAS VIGIL PRAYER

God our Father, every year we rejoice as we look forward to this feast of our salvation. With the birth of Your Son, Your glory breaks on the world. Through the night hours of the darkened earth, we Your people watch for the coming of Your promised Son. As we wait, give us a foretaste of the joy that You will grant us when the fullness of His glory has filled the earth. Amen.

We pray for those who are ill or suffering during this Christmas season: Lord, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Show your mercy and give them strength and courage during this beautiful season of hope.

ST. ANDREW FEAST DAY – The Feast of St. Andrew, the Apostle, is Thursday, November 30th. Our Church will celebrate on Sunday, December 2nd at a special 11:00AM Liturgy. Followed by a Dinner in our back hall. Tickets on sale during the month of November. Last day to buy tickets will be Sunday, November 26th. Tickets are \$25 for adults; youth (ages 6-15) are \$10. You will select your table at the time of your ticket purchase. Enjoy an afternoon of good food and fellowship with family and friends.

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(Office will be closed: December 21 through
December 26; December 31 through January 2)



Wishing all of our parishioners, families and friends a blessed Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year!

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Cookie Walk

Saturday, December 15 Doors open at 9:00am

We are accepting pre-paid orders for stuffed cabbage (\$2.00 each) and borscht soup (\$3.00/ 16oz) thru December 12. Please call the church office 440/843-9149 to place your order or use the order form found in church vestibule. Orders must be picked up at Cookie Walk on Saturday, 12/15/18.

For more information go to www.standrewucc.org

- ❖ **Fasting Reminder:** December 24, 2018 is day of **mandatory** abstinence from meat and dairy products. From December 25, 2018 to January 14, 2019, there will be no fasting and abstinence from meat. Since Vigil of the Theophany of our Lord, Jesus Christ (January 5) falls on Saturday, there will be no abstinence from meat on year of 2019. Our church does not permit any fasting or abstinence from meat and/or dairy products on any Saturday, except Holy Saturday (day before Sunday Pascha).
- ❖ **Blessing of Homes** will begin on Monday, January 7, 2019. Please contact church office to make arrangements with Fr Ihor.
- ❖ **Prosphora** (Parish Christmas Dinner) is scheduled for **Sunday, January 20, 2019**. See church bulletin for ticket information.