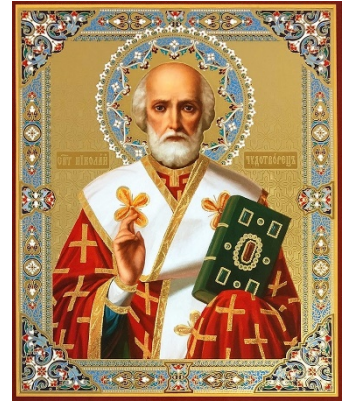


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Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council, Apostle James

Tone 3 Tropar (Resurrection)

Let the heavens rejoice! Let the earth be glad! For the Lord has shown strength with His arm. He has trampled down death by death. He has become the first born of the dead. He has delivered us from the depths of hell, and has granted to the world great mercy.

Tone 8 Tropar (Fathers)

Most glorious art Thou, O Christ our God, Who hast established the Holy Fathers as luminaries on the earth. By them Thou hast guided us on the path of the True Faith. O Most Merciful One, glory to Thee!

Tone 3 Tropar (Apostle)

Holy Apostle James, entreat the merciful God to grant our souls forgiveness of transgressions.

Tone 3 Kondak (Resurrection)

On this day You rose from the tomb, O Merciful One, leading us from the gates of death. On this day Adam exults as Eve rejoices; with the Prophets and Patriarchs they unceasingly praise the divine majesty of Your power.

Tone 6 Kondak (Fathers)

The Son, Who shone forth ineffably from the Father, was born of a woman, in two natures. Beholding Him, we do not deny the image of His form, but depicting it piously, we revere it with faith. Therefore, the Church, holding the True Faith, venerates the Icon of Christ's Incarnation.

Tone 2 Kondak (Apostle)

Let us bless James, praising him as the messenger of God, for he filled the souls of the pious with wise dogmas. Standing at the throne of glory before the Master, he rejoices with all the angels unceasingly praying for us all.

Tone 6 Theotokion

Steadfast protectress of Christians, constant advocat before the Creator, do not despise the cry of us sinners, but in thy goodness come speedily to help us who call upon you in faith, hasten to hear our petition and to intercede for us, O Theotokos; for you always protect those who honor you!

Epistle - Galatians 1:11-19

Alleluia Verses

v. In You, O Lord, have I hoped; let me never be put to shame! (*Ps. 30:1a*)

v. Be a God of protection for me, a house of refuge in order to save me! (*Ps. 30:2b*)

Gospel - Luke 16:19-31

Announcements

- **Kolo Slava - TODAY - October 22, 2023** - The Kolo will be celebrating their Slava, St. Petka, on October 22. Mark your calendar and plan to join us! We will be serving Chicken Noodle Soup, Sarma, Mashed Potatoes, a Vegetable and Dessert. For dinner reservations or for takeout orders call or text Sallie Saula (412-600-3246) by, Sunday, October 15. Also, if you can deliver a dinner to a shut in let us know. Takeout orders will be available after Liturgy.
- **Sarma for Sale!** - Don't forget to pickup your sarma order today!
- **Lunch Oct 29** - There will be kielbasa and sauerkraut sandwiches with a side of Serbian potato salad for sale after Diving Liturgy on Sunday, October 29. Hot dogs and chips will be available for children. Proceeds will benefit the Icon fund.
- **Baking season is here!** - Our Church's Cookie Sale is scheduled for Saturday December 2 from 9a-1p. With the success we had last year and the sellouts (within the first hour) we need to increase our quantities. We need bakers! The more hands we have to help the more we get done. Below is the baking schedule for this year. This is subject to change - depending on needs and availability. Please let Elaine or Sandy Mireles know if you are able to help - and on which days - so they can plan accordingly. Thank you for your continued help and support!
 - FRI Afternoons (1p start) Nov 10
 - SAT Mornings (9a start) Nov 25
 - With the increase in prices and to help offset some of the costs associated with baking - the committee is asking for donations - monetary or ingredients.
 - Needs: Butter, eggs, flour, sugar, plastic clamshell containers
 - Any donation would be greatly appreciated. Drop offs accepted on Sundays. Please call Elaine (412) 916-2063 or Sandy (412) 616-2699 to let them know so that they can plan accordingly. Thank you from the baking committee!
- **The 8th Annual St. Nicholas Scrapbook Crop** - Saturday, November 4, 2023 from 9 AM-7 PM - During the "Crop" there is a BAKE SALE starting at 11 AM and continuing until all items are sold. Again this year, we hope that St. Nicholas parishioners will support us by baking items for the Bake Sale. Baked goods can be delivered to the social hall between 3 and 7 PM on Friday, November 3, and before 11 AM on Saturday, November 4. See or call Anna at (412) 823-4891 if you have any questions. Please see attached registration form!

SCRAPBOOK CROP

Saturday, November 4, 2023 9:00AM - 7:00PM

St. Nicholas Serbian Orthodox Church Social Hall
2110 Haymaker Road, Monroeville, PA 15146



10 HOURS OF NON-STOP, UNINTERRUPTED OF CROPPING,

Continental Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner are all included.

Coffee and tea are included with breakfast. Water and soft drinks are available for purchase throughout the day.

Again This year...

- Seating will be two individuals for each table.
- Masks may be worn at personal discretion.

As the fall progresses, we will be sensitive to other restrictions should the need arise and we will post you immediately if there are any changes. We have the safety of everyone in mind.

BASKET RAFFLES, BAKE SALE, and a 50/50 RAFFLE

A Creative Memories Consultant will be available with products for sale!

COST: All this for only \$45.00!

Register no later than **October 21, 2023** to reserve your seat. All attendees must register.



REGISTRATION FORM: -----

Name _____

Address _____ City/State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____ @ _____

Save me ___ seats. I want to sit near _____.

Need outlet? ___ YES ___ NO

Food Allergies: ___ NO ___ YES Please tell us what you are allergic to. _____

MAKE CHECKS or MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: St. Nicholas Serbian Orthodox Church. At entry, you may be asked to sign a statement holding St. Nicholas harmless from possible injury or illness.

Send registration & payment to Dorothy "Tootsie" Harvey, 1020 Wall Avenue, Pitcairn, PA 15140 by October 21, 2023. If you have questions, please contact "Tootsie" at 412.372.8064.