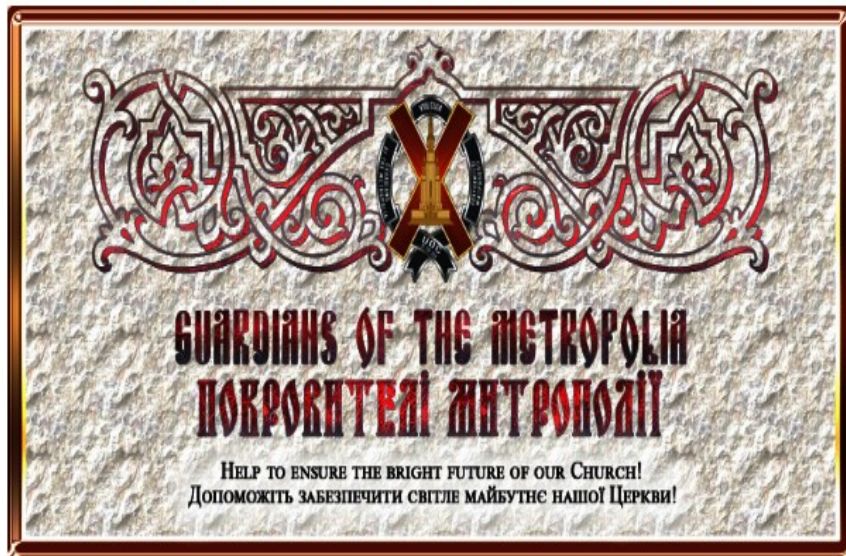


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Welcome to our parish. We invite you to worship with us again.

September 2022

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Glory Forever!

Schedule of Services

(August 28—October 2, 2022)

Sunday, August 28

The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost, Resurrectional Tone 2;
Our Venerable Father Moses the Ethiopian of Skete (4th c.).
Discovery of the Relics of our Venerable Father Job, Abbot and Wonderworker of Pochaiv (1659).

10:00 a.m.— The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth

Sunday, September 4

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost, Resurrectional Tone 3;
The Holy Bishop-Martyr Babylas of Antioch, and with him the Holy Martyrs Urban, Prilidian, and Epolonius; and their mother, Christodula (251); Holy Prophet and God-Seer Moses

9:30 a.m. - The Public Chanting of the Prayers of Preparation for the Holy Mystery of Repentance Followed by an Examination of Conscience and Concluded by Individual Absolutions

10:00 a.m.— The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth

Thursday, September 8

The Nativity of Our Most-Holy Lady, the Birthgiver-Of-God and Ever-Virgin Mary

9:00 a.m.— The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth
Holy Anointing Мирофаніє

Sunday, September 11

The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Resurrectional Tone 4; Sunday before the Exaltation of the Holy Cross; The Fourth Day of the Nativity of the Birthgiver-of-God, Our Venerable Mother Theodora of Alexandria

10:00 a.m.— The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth

Wednesday, September 14

The Universal Exaltation (Elevation) of the Precious and Life-Giving Cross.

10:00 a.m. - Procession & Elevation of the Holy Cross
The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth
Holy Anointing Мировані

Sunday, September 18

The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Resurrectional Tone 5; Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross; The Fifth Day of the Elevation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Bishop-Martyr Eumenes, of Gortyna (6th c.).

10:00 a.m. - The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth

Sunday, September 25

The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Resurrectional Tone 6; Our Venerable Mother Euphrosyne of Alexandria (5th c.). Our Venerable Father Sergius, Abbot and Wonderworker of Radonezh (1392)

10:00 a.m. - The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth

Sunday, October 2

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Resurrectional Tone 7; The Holy Bishop-Martyr Cyprian, Virgin-Martyr Justina, and the Holy Martyr Theoctistus, of Nicomedia (304); Blessed Andrew, Fool-for-Christ, at Constantinople (936); Repose of Blessed Princess Anna of Kashin (1338).

9:30 a.m. - The Public Chanting of the Prayers of Preparation for the Holy Mystery of Repentance Followed by an Examination of Conscience and Concluded by Individual Absolutions

10:00 a.m.— The Divine Liturgy of St. John the Golden-Mouth

September Milestones, Birthdays: 10, Joanne Hendrick; 22, Dr. Vladimir Swerchowsky; 28, Victoria West. **Anniversaries:** 5, Clifford & Kathleen Ruggles; 26, Timothy and Tetiana Price; 29, George & Delores Buchanan. May God grant them and their families peace, health, salvation and longevity for many, blessed years, на многая і благая лѣта!

The Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA is fundraising to provide HUMANITARIAN AID to the people of Ukraine. The Ukrainian people need our support! However, beware of the many scam organizations that are popping up to exploit this situation. One way to be sure that your donation will go to the people of Ukraine and to where it is most needed is to offer your donations through the Consistory of the UOC of the USA: You can donate on uocofusa.org, or through Paypal directly <https://bit.ly/3t3K3wb>. Checks can also be mailed to UOC of USA, Attn: UA Aid, PO Box 495, So. Bound Brook, NJ 08880.

Upcoming Calendar

September 10	Lakewood Community Festival, 11a-5p in Madison Park
October 8	Food Festival?
November	Calendar Fund Raiser, Gift Cards
November 13	Annual Parish Meeting

Come Help Us Welcome Our Newcomers!

St. Mary's Ukrainian Orthodox Independent Church Welcome Picnic

A Fundraiser for Ukrainian Refugees in Lorain county

Sunday, August 28, 2022

12pm-4pm

2304 E 34th St, Lorain

- Varenyky (Pierogies) & More Great Food
- Beer, Wine & Other Drinks
- Games for Kids
- 50/50 raffle

**100% of profits will go to help
Ukrainian refugees in Lorain County.*



TODAYS' FEAST: Venerable Moses The Ethiopian is a rather interesting saint. In the fourth century there was a black man of great physical strength named Moses. He was born in slavery in Abyssinia, which is modern-day Ethiopia. He was so unruly, quick-tempered, and a maker of trouble that his owner eventually set him free. He took to the desert and formed a band of robbers which preyed on travelers terrorizing the countryside with daring raids on nearby settlements and villages. Even imperial troops were no match for Moses and his brigade. One day Moses happened upon a monastery and his provisions were low. He was intent on plundering the monastery, but the abbot, a holy man, instead of being fearful gazed directly into the eyes of this ruffian. His quiet composure made Moses regret his past life and repent! He became a monk and eventually had seventy disciples preaching God's word before he died at the age of 85.

If we are on the watch to see our own faults, we shall not see those of our neighbor. It is folly for a man who has a dead person in his house to leave him there and go to weep over his neighbor's dead.

