

**THIS WEEK AT ST. VLADIMIR'S
JUNE 19, 2017**

Make an appointment or schedule a confession with Fr. Gregory

<https://calendly.com/ogrisha>

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Please find our weekly bulletin, "Sunday Reading", on-line here:

<http://www.stvladimiraami.org/SundayReadings/CurrentSundayReading.pdf>

Please find our weekly prayer list on-line here:

<http://www.stvladimiraami.org/SundayReadings/parishprayerlist.pdf>

Please find the latest schedule of services and activities on-line here:

http://www.stvladimiraami.org/calendars/current_calendar.pdf

Please find our Youth Group Schedule of Activities here:

<http://stvladimiraami.org/flyers/youthgroup.pdf>

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SPECIAL SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK AT ST. VLADIMIR'S

Wednesday 6:00 p.m. - Moleben & Akathist for the Ill

Add a name to our prayer list: <https://goo.gl/forms/JICdEKHknJcH1hCq1>

Wednesday 8:00 p.m. - Adrian Bible Study

Sign up: <https://goo.gl/forms/w5bB2MkkAqLwtm6k2>

Saturday 3:00 p.m. - Fr. Gregory Available Time by Appointment

Make an appointment: www.calendly.com/ogrisha

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Confession by Appointment
Make an appointment: www.calendly.com/ogrisha

Saturday 6:00 p.m. - Vigil
Live Stream: <http://www.stvladimiraami.org:8000/liturgy.mp3>

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Confession by Appointment
Make an appointment: <https://calendly.com/ogrisha>

Sunday 10:00 a.m. - Divine Liturgy
Live Stream: <http://www.stvladimiraami.org:8000/liturgy.mp3>

Following Divine Liturgy: Monthly Building Fund Dinner – All are Welcome!

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Metropolitan Philip Thank You

Thank you to all who made the visit of Metropolitan Philip of Poltava to St. Vladimir's yesterday such a resounding success! His Eminence had many good things to say about our parish, which reflects very positively on our parish family. So many people worked diligently to make the weekend a success that it would be impossible to list everyone here. And many worked behind the scenes, so to speak, for the glory of God and the good of the parish He has entrusted to us. Thank you all – this hierarchal visit was a great success – and it was that because we came together to work for the Lord. When we do this we are at our best. Let us strive now not to do so rarely, but often, combining our sincere efforts with God's Grace. "There is no limit to what you can accomplish if you don't care who gets the credit." This saying is at the top of every Parish Council agenda – and it is true not just for the Parish Council, but for our whole parish family! Thank you to everyone for a wonderful weekend!

Fr. Gregory

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Adrian Bible Study and Adult Discussion begins this Wednesday

Please join us for our Adrian Bible Study and Adult Discussion group this Wednesday and every Wednesday from 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. Learn more and RSVP here:

<https://goo.gl/forms/w5bB2MkkAqLwtm6k2>

Don't live near Adrian? Maybe you'd like to establish a similar gathering in your area? Please contact Fr. Gregory to learn more!

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Fast Continues until July 12

The Apostles' Fast begins on Monday, June 12 and runs through July 12. As in all Lenten periods we abstain from meat and dairy products. This particular fast is not a terribly strict one with fish being allowed on many days. Please see Fr. Gregory or Fr. Moses with questions regarding fasting or any aspect of our Orthodox lives. Details of fasting days can be found here:

http://www.stvladimiraami.org/calendars/current_calendar.pdf

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Spring Parish Pilgrimage is June 23-25, 2017

Please join us for our annual spring pilgrimage to Holy Trinity Monastery in Jordanville, NY from June 23-25, 2017. Space is limited - reserve your space today. Contact Parish Council member Dimitry Knysh at church or email info@stvladimiraami.org

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All English Divine Liturgies – Next is July 15

Please find the schedule of monthly all English Divine Services at this link:

<http://stvladimiraami.org/flyers/englishliturgyschedule2017.pdf>

SPREAD THE WORD! These services are meant to nourish our parishioners to be sure, but perhaps even more so to introduce our friends, loved ones, and neighbors to the beauty and content of the Orthodox Divine Services, the “Theology in Action” of the Holy Church.

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Save the Date - St. Vladimir’s Day Services July 27-28

Vigil for St. Vladimir’s day is set for 6:00 p.m. on July 27, with Divine Liturgy on July 28 at 9:00 a.m.

Please note: Vigil time has changed since Metropolitan Jonah cannot join us for the feast.

Please take a moment now to request this day off of work if you have not done so yet. We often under-estimate the importance of our parish feast day. Remember, this is our own SECOND PASCHA. We would never think of missing the Paschal services if there was any way to be there, and this is how we should approach this second most important day of the year for our parish family. Please join us!

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Festival is Coming – Sign up NOW!

EVERY PARISH COUNCIL MEMBER HAS SIGNED UP! Do not wait a minute longer to sign up yourself!

It is time to sign up for this year's Russian Festival! Time to encourage friends, acquaintances, neighbors, coworkers, and everyone you know to join us for this wonderfully fun activity, which is also our most important outreach to our local community! Do not miss - sign up today!

Sign up sheet:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Yh4aUfPECd7q0JW41W2Rp4_WRyZeCrtDZrZrod5rEI/edit?usp=sharing

The Bar is full! Sign up before the spot you want is gone!

Dates of the Festival: September 16 & 17, 2017

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Notary Public Service at St. Vladimir's

We are happy to announce that Ivanna Iavorska-Em has completed all training and is now a Notary Public. Ivanna can notarize official documents as needed for St. Vladimir's parishioners at no charge – this is a service that we are happy to offer to our parishioners and we thank Ivanna for her willingness to serve our parish family in this way! Ivanna is fluent in English, Russian, and Ukrainian. To make an appointment to have Ivanna notarize your papers according to the rules and standards of the Notary Public laws please email info@stvladimiraami.org or call or SMS: 734-475-4590.

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Liturgy on your Name's Day?

It is a true blessing to have the opportunity to partake of Holy Communion on one's patron saint's day. Fr. Gregory is willing to consider serving Liturgy on your name's day – yes YOURS. If you would be willing to attend the Divine Services on the eve of the feast and on the feast itself, and to partake of Holy Communion on that day please contact him. This is not a guarantee that we can do this – but we can certainly try. But please don't tell him a week before. Something like six months before would be better – three months before as a minimum. See Fr. Gregory with questions!

See you soon at St. Vladimir's!

Fr. Gregory