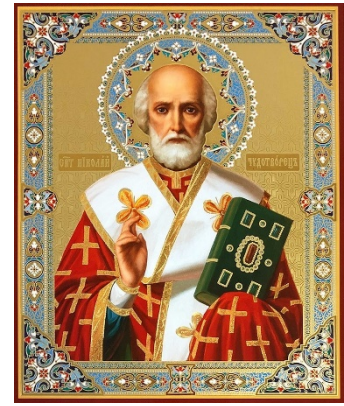


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**Weekly Bulletin – November 10th, 2024**



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**Martyrs Terence and Neonila, and their children**

**Tone 3 Troparion (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 4 Troparion (Translation of the Relics)**

The day of the joyous celebration has come; the city of Bari rejoices and with it the whole universe leaps from joy, singing the spiritual songs and psalms. For today, the holy feast, on the occasion of the transfer of the honorable and exceedingly healing relics of St. Nicholas the Wonderworker, has shone forth with the radiant rays, like the sun that does not set, driving away the darkness of temptations and calamities from those who faithfully exclaim to thee: “Save us, as our protector, O great Nicholas!”

**Tone 3 Troparion (Terence and Neonila)**

Bound together by natural bonds and clothed with the might of faith, you walked the path of martyrdom with your seven children. O holy Martyrs Terence and Neonilla, pray that those who honor your contest may receive forgiveness of their sins.

**Tone 3 Kontakion (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 3 Kontakion (Translation of the Relics)**

Your relics, O Saint Nicholas, came out as a star from the east to the west. The sea was sanctified by your journey, and the city of Bari, through you, has received the grace. For working for us, you have appeared as an excellent, wonderful and merciful Wonderworker.

**Tone 4 Kontakion (Terence and Neonila)**

The universe rejoices at the honorable commemoration of the martyrs: Terence the most-wise, his wife Neonila, and their children. Therefore, let us hasten that we may receive healing; for he has received grace from the Holy Spirit to cure the sicknesses and ills of our souls.

**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, Gospel - Luke 10:25-37**

**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*)

## Announcements

- **Upcoming Schedule**
  - Nov 13 - \*Vespers\* and Bible Study at 6PM
  - Nov 14 - Divine Liturgy at 8AM - Sts. Cosmas and Damian
  - Nov 16 - Vespers at 6PM
  - Nov 17 - Divine Liturgy at 10AM - 119th Church Anniversary
- **Bible Study - Wednesdays at 6:30PM** - \*Check calendar for any exceptions\* - An Akathist to St. Nicholas begins at 6:30pm with Bible Study to follow led by Fr. Stefan. We are continuing with Volume Two of St. Nikolai's letters. No book? No preparation? No problem! Don't let that stop you from joining. Really. Come. We would love to have you! New faces welcome anytime!
- **Our St. Nicholas Church Anniversary** - Join us Sunday November 17th after Divine Liturgy to celebrate our 119th year Anniversary. We will be serving a Brunch Buffet immediately afterwards. His Grace Bishop Irinej will be joining us for the celebration. Please RSVP by text or phone call to Evonne 724-599-0927. Thank you.
- **Nut roll season is here!** - We're calling all bakers interested in helping and learning how to make nut rolls for the Christmas season. On Saturday November 16th and 23rd, in preparation for our church's annual Holiday Cookie Sale scheduled for December 7th, the baking committee will have nut roll baking sessions. You don't have to be an experienced dough roller or nut spreader. There are many positions required to make this a successful baking event and we need help! Sessions are from 9am - 1pm. If you can't come early, come after 12p and help wrap the rolls. Please contact Elaine (412-916-2063) or Sandy (412-616-2699) if you are available so they can plan accordingly. Thank you!
- **SAVE THE DATE - St Nicholas Church Holiday Cookie Sale** - Saturday December 7th - 9am-noon - More information will be available next week.
- **Food Drive Starts this Sunday** - Our St. Nicholas holiday season food drive this year will help our neighbors in need through the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank. More than 142,000 children, seniors, and families in Allegheny County are food insecure. Don't let them go hungry. Beginning this Sunday, November 10 through Sunday, December 8 bring your non-perishable donations and paper products (no glass jars, please) to church. Place your donations on the stage in the Social Hall. If you have any questions, contact Renée Milkovich Pekor Pekor.renee@gmail.com 412-443-6185 or Dan Markoff at Daniel.markoff@yahoo.com Thank you.
- **A Big Thank You** - The organizers of the 9th annual Scrapbook Crop held at Str. Nicholas Social Hall on November 2, 2024 want to offer their sincere appreciation to those parishioners who baked, made a basket, gave a gift card, or volunteered in any way to help make the event a success. Thank you!
- **Instruments Needed** - Are you an alumni, parent, or grandparent of a St Nicholas Tammie? Do you have a tambura still in your possession from those days? OR do you have a tambura you'd consider donating to the group? With enrollment up, the group is looking to get more instruments within their bank. You may return instruments by leaving on the stage with a note saying "St Nicholas Tammies". If interested in donating, please talk with either Danny Vucelich 412-738-6142 or Steve Capuzzi 412-901-8359. Your return or donation is most appreciated!!!