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UKRAINE SECURITY - HOW YOU CAN HELP!

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SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING
FOR UKRAINE!

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Friends of Ukraine,

The \$61.4 billion supplemental request for Ukraine is currently being discussed in Congress. Combined with funding for Israel, Taiwan, and U.S. border security, the overall [\\$111 billion supplemental bill](#) depends upon your advocacy and outreach efforts.

The Ukrainian Congress Committee of America (UCCA) and its Washington, D.C., public affairs bureau – the [Ukrainian National Information Service \(UNIS\)](#) – urge you to [IMMEDIATELY contact](#) your elected officials to express your support for the supplemental assistance to Ukraine.

HOW TO CONTACT CONGRESS:

1. Click www.senate.gov to search for your state and its two senators;
2. Click www.house.gov, input your zip code to search for your Representative; and
3. Copy and paste sample letter below into the contact form and press send.

It is essential for **constituents** to contact their Representative and two Senators. As congressional offices tally correspondence they receive on issues of concern to constituents, your communication with your elected officials will denote the importance and urgency of additional security assistance to Ukraine.

Below please find a sample draft for your correspondence with your elected officials:

Dear Senator/Representative:

As a constituent in [state/district], I urge you to support Ukraine, specifically the proposed \$61.4 billion supplemental request to aid Ukraine's territorial defense. This crucial assistance benefits Ukraine, the United States, and the entire Free World.

Ukraine is not only defending its own country, sovereignty, and territorial integrity, it is also defending the Euro-Atlantic security dynamic. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Thank you!

Download UNIS' Latest Action Alert (PDF)



Holodomor90

Each year, UCCA solemnly commemorates the Holodomor-Genocide of 1932-1933 – one of the darkest pages of our people's history. UCCA is grateful to our local branches and members across the country who not only actively organize the marking of this solemn anniversary, but actively work to raising awareness of this genocide.

Review UCCA's list of 2023 Holodomor Commemorations [HERE](#)

15 November Commemoration in Harrisburg, PA



On Wednesday, November 15, 2023, Ukrainian Americans from the Philadelphia Metropolitan Area, the Lehigh Valley, and from communities large and small in Central and Northeast Pennsylvania gathered at the State Capitol Building in Harrisburg, PA, to mark the 90th anniversary of the Holodomor-Genocide with a day of commemorative events. A Proclamation signed by Governor Josh Shapiro and Citations by the State Senate and House of Representatives, both recognizing November 2023 as “Ukrainian Holodomor-Genocide (Genocide by Hunger) Remembrance Month,” were presented to representatives of Ukrainian American community organizations.

Remarks were made by [State Senator Maria Collett](#), State Representatives Liz Hanbidge and Steve Malagari, UCCA Vice President Michael Sawkiw, Jr., Ulana Mazurkevich of the Philadelphia Ukrainian American Community Committee, and the Honorary Consul of Ukraine in Philadelphia, Iryna Mazur, as well as Governor Shapiro’s representative, Ms. Kristine Paradise. The efforts of Andrij Chornodolsky, Attorney Eugene A. Luciw, Professor Paula Holoviak, Ms. Marianna Tretiak, and the Very Rev. Roman Pitula, with many helping hands from the community, made the entire program abundantly successful. Pictures of the event can be viewed [HERE](#), [HERE](#) and [HERE](#).

26 November Commemorations in Honolulu, HI



On 25 November, members of [Hawaii Stands With Ukraine](#) led a Holodomor Memorial Walk through the streets of Honolulu on the island of O'ahu, Hawai'i. The following day, parishioners of [St. Sophia Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church on Oahu](#) and Ukrainian community members gathered at the Mary, Star of the Sea Church in Honolulu to pray at for the millions of innocent Ukrainians who died of the artificially created famine imposed by Stalin and his genocide 90 years ago and for the souls of those more recently killed by russian aggression. Pictures can be viewed [HERE](#) and [HERE](#).

Earlier this year, Gov. Josh Green proclaimed the month of November as Ukrainian Holodomor-Genocide Remembrance month in the of State of Hawai'i. [UCCA's Lara Palafox](#) joined [KITV News](#) to share her community's activism with the hope of educating the world about the horrors that can be inflicted upon people by totalitarian regimes:



3 December Commemoration in Philadelphia, PA



On 3 December, a special commemoration of the Holodomor-Genocide in Ukraine was held at the [Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception](#) in Philadelphia, PA. The program included a Panakhyda led by the Most Reverend Borys Gudziak, Metropolitan-Archbishop of Ukrainian

Catholics in America, a proclamation read by Ulana Blauch Mazurkevich, President of the Philadelphia Ukrainian American Community Committee, along with musical performances and readings. Pictures of the event can be viewed [HERE](#), [HERE](#) and [HERE](#).

Holiday Gifts that Help Ukraine

WEAR HOPE **HELP UKRAINE** *Collection*

A collection of pendant and chain jewelry for men and women that features the Ukrainian trident and shield in three styles.

Crafted in silver 925 with a choice of two finishes (24k yellow gold or white rhodium) and the option to select from three lengths.

Available online and at DelBrenna Jewelry Boutiques. Retail \$299-\$399; priced according to chain length.

Fifty-five percent of each purchase aids Ukrainians in need.



55% OF EACH PURCHASE AIDS UKRAINE

SHOP THE COLLECTION, HELP UKRAINE

UCCA has [partnered with Rachael Ray](#) to raise funds for the [UNBROKEN National Rehabilitation Center](#) in Lviv. Through the purchase of custom necklaces by [DelBrenna Jewelry](#), you can support this unique facility where adults and children affected by the war can receive comprehensive qualified medical care. Shop for your necklace at www.rachaelray-delbrenna.com



UCCA also has several items available to ship out from our National Office in time for your [holiday shopping needs](#), including:

- **Золотий павучок** - зворушлива різдвяна історія про дивовижну пригоду, що сталася на Святвечір. Автор: Іван Малкович, Ілюстрації: Катерина Штанко
- An assortment of colorful **Ukrainian Nativity Cards** with artwork by Myroslawa Stojko
- A gift subscription to **The Ukrainian Quarterly**
- The 700-page anthology **The Ukrainian Heritage in America**

Candid.

UCCA has earned a 2023 Platinum Seal of Transparency, the highest award from the charity rating organization Candid. Formerly known as Guidestar, Candid is the world's largest source of information on nonprofit organizations. Out of all non-profits registered in the United States, only roughly 6% receive the Platinum level of transparency.

Platinum
Transparency
2023

Candid.

Your checks are also welcome!
Mail to:

UCCA
203 Second Avenue
New York, NY 10003

UCCA is a registered 501(c)(3) Not-for-Profit organization and all donations to UCCA are tax deductible.

Charity Navigator

With more than 200,000 charities rated, Charity Navigator provides free access to data, tools, and resources to guide philanthropic decision-making. According to their comprehensive ratings program, the cost-effectiveness and overall health of a UCCA's programs merit a 3-Star Charity rating. By the measures of UCCA's stability, efficiency, and sustainability, UCCA ranks as a standout organization.



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*UCCA archives all of our email
updates at [UCCA.org](https://ucca.org)*

[Email Archives](#)

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**INVITATION
CHICAGO, IL**

**Benefit Event
for the
Kyiv-Mohyla Veterans Resource Center**
for education and transition to civilian life

December 9 at 6:30 pm
CHICAGO, IL

Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art,
2320 W Chicago Ave
Chicago, IL 60622



Oleksandr Kostyuk



Taras Lukachuk



TRIODA

9 Dec - Jenkintown, PA



9 Dec - Horsham, PA



9 Dec - Bellevue, WA



9 Dec - Watervliet, NY



9 Dec - Woodside, CA



9 Dec - Rochester, NY



9 Dec - Warren, MI

Майстер-клас
"Квіти - брошки в техніці мокрого валяння".
під керівництвом **Юлії Михайлів**
9 грудня 2023
о **5:00** вечора

"Щоб орки подохли від бавовни
Робимо вироби з вовни".

Всі виручені кошти ми передамо Андрію Синютці.

* Матеріали необхідні для майстер-класу включені в ціну + кава і перекуса.

Кількість місць обмежена.

Резервація квитків:
(313)485-0435 Іра
(586)519-2060 Юля

В залі при Церкві Св.Йосафата (хорова кімната)
26401 St Josaphat Dr, Warren, MI 48091

Ціна квитка \$50

9 Dec - Warrington, PA



9 Dec - Belfield, ND



9 Dec - Carnegie, PA



9 Dec - Whippany, NJ



CYM Whippany is pleased to present

A MAGICAL PHOTO WITH
Святий Миколай

December 8th and 9th at the UACCNJ

The background will be styled by Lux Accent Events
- photographed by Olesya Barnych on Friday, 12/8
- photographed by Yulia Gebesh on Saturday, 12/9

One edited digital photograph is \$30,
each additional one will be \$20.

All the proceeds will be used to support
Ukrainian orphans.

 Please scan to register
and reserve your time
slot

9 Dec - Perrysburg, OH



4UA + T TOLEDO
HELPS UKRAINE
www.4ua.org

COOKIE WALK

Hundreds of homemade holiday cookies
Plus, kolachy and nut rolls
\$10/dozen

DEC. 9, 2023

**SATURDAY
9 AM - 12 PM
(OR UNTIL SOLD OUT)**

Owens Community College
Heritage Hall Room 123 A/B
Perrysburg, OH 43551

**All proceeds go to Toledo Helps Ukraine
in its work to help Ukrainians
impacted by the war.**

Donations of homemade cookies
may be dropped off at Owens
on Fri. Dec. 8 from 3 - 6 pm

Questions?
Email juliannejardine@gmail.com

9 Dec - San Francisco, CA



UKRAINIAN EVENT CENTER AND MUSIC HALL
345 7TH STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CA, 94103
DECEMBER 9, 2023 — 6 PM - 8 PM

COMPLEX PROJECT

CULTURE VS WAR

THE SERIES OF DOCUMENTARIES

SERHII MYKHALCHUK
KOSTIANTYN AND
VLADA LIBEROV
TARAS KOMPANICHENKO

9 Dec - Norwalk, CT



Holiday & Christmas

with Oksana Tanasiv

Art Sales Exhibition, Live Music Performance
Holiday Reception

December 9, 7-10pm

Oksana Tanasiv Gallery
70D S Main Street Norwalk CT 06850

9 Dec - Ridgewood, NJ



Concert for Ukraine

JOVTO & Friends

9 December - Ridgewood, NJ

9 Dec - Escondido, CA



USA Multicultural Non Profit Organization Presents

8th Annual

ESCONDIDO HOLIDAY FESTIVAL

Grape Day Park
Escondido, California
Saturday, December 9th, 2023
11am - 5pm

FREE FAMILY EVENT

Games
Hands on Demonstrations
Music and Performances
Cultural Food for purchase

Bring the Kids
Meet Santa!
Write a letter to Santa!
Free Gifts for All!

 Like & Share

This year, in addition to a wide array of
entertainment to keep you in high
spirits, live performances will include
Ukrainian Christmas carols and
Ukrainians dances.

9 Dec - San Antonio, TX



9 Dec - Binghamton, NY



9 Dec - New York City



9 & 10 Dec - Boston, MA



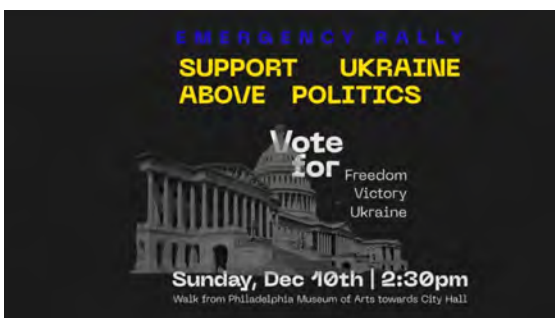
10 Dec - Lexington, MA



10 Dec - Somerset, NJ



10 Dec - Philadelphia, PA



10 Dec - San Diego, CA



10 Dec - Yonkers, NY



10 Dec - Buffalo, NY



10 Dec - Silver Spring, MD



10 Dec - McAdoo, PA



10 Dec - Warren, MI

Immaculate Conception Ukrainian Catholic Church
invites Parishioners and Friends
to the celebration of



Father Daniel Schaicoski, OSBM
25 years of service to the Detroit Ukrainian Community 1998-2023



Immaculate Conception Ukrainian Catholic Church
110 years of service to the Detroit Ukrainian Community 1913-2023



400th Jubilee of the Martyrdom of Hieromonk Saint Josaphat
Sunday, December 10 2023
10:00 AM - Divine Liturgy - Immaculate Conception Church, Hamtramack
1:30 PM - Festive Banquet - St. Josaphat Banquet Hall in Warren

Purchase Tickets at
IC and St. Josaphat Church rectories, IC Schools office
Adults \$65
Children (10 years old & under) \$30.00

**Special donations towards the IC Church Restoration Fund are welcome and will be published in the Banquet's Festive booklet
Please purchase your tickets by Monday, December 4, 2023
For table reservations, please call: 313 893 1710 by Tuesday, December 5

Запрошуємо парафіян та друзів української церкви Непорочного Зачаття на святкування
-25 ліття служіння Дитроїнськї громаді о. Даниїла Чайковського, ЧСВВ (1998-2023)
-110 річчя парафії Непорочного Зачаття (1913-2023)
-400 - річчя смерті св. Священномученика Йосафата

В неділю 10-го грудня 2023
10:00 год. ранку - Служба Божа в Церкві Непорочного Зачаття
1:30 год. оп. - Святотичний обід - зал Церкви св. Йосафата

Квитки на Святотичний обід
Дорослі - \$65.00
Діти до 10 років - \$30.00

**Весь прибуток на відновлення Церкви Непорочного Зачаття - Прийматиме повертати на Фонд відновлення Церкви Непорочного Зачаття - повертати будуть поміщені в книжці святі.*

-Квитки можете придбати в церквах Непорочного Зачаття, Св. Йосафата та в наших школах, не пізніше 4-го грудня. Замовлення століків (313) 893 1710 до 5 грудня.

10 Dec - Warren, MI

MAKE YOUR SPECIAL WREATH
with @girlshelpstogether

CHRISTMAS WREATH WORKSHOP

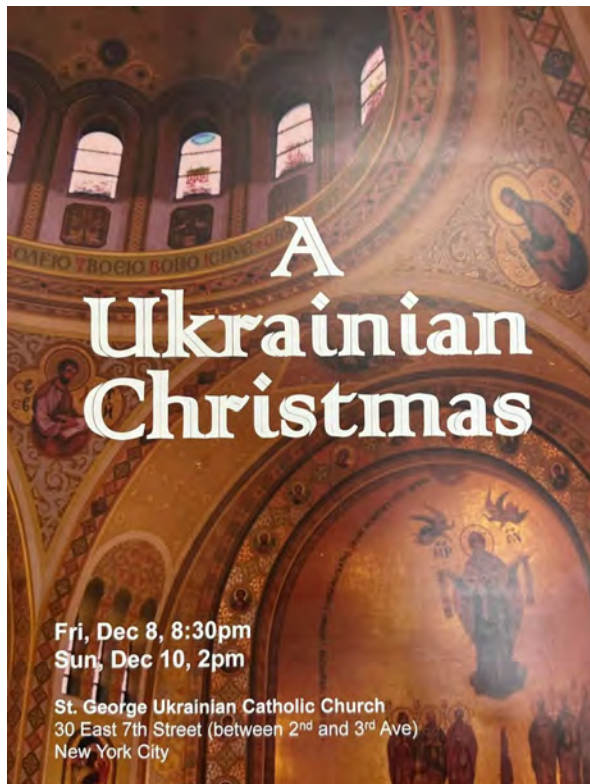
DECEMBER | 10 | 3 PM

UKRAINIAN CENTER BAR AND GRILL
26601 RYAN RD. WARREN, MI 48091

\$75

FOR MORE INFORMATION & TICKETS TEXT:
VIKTORIA 3134549562/ OXANA 2482595521/ IRYNA 5862870229

10 Dec - New York City



A Ukrainian Christmas


Fri, Dec 8, 8:30pm
Sun, Dec 10, 2pm

St. George Ukrainian Catholic Church
30 East 7th Street (between 2nd and 3rd Ave)
New York City

10 Dec - Ann Arbor, MI

Guardian Passage IRYNA BONDARENKO KATYA LISOVA

The Power of Ukrainian Cultural Memory in the Face of War



Artists' Reception: Sunday, December 10, 2-4 pm

ARTS RESISTANCE Duderstadt Center Gallery
2281 Bonisteel Boulevard,
Ann Arbor, MI, 48109
Hours: 12-6pm on Tues-Fri & Sun


10 Dec - Philadelphia, PA



10 Dec - Madison, AL



10 Dec - Bethlehem, PA



Cataract Press from Parma, OH will be visiting on **December 10th, 2023** and will have a large selection of Ukrainian Merchandise, including books (English and Ukrainian), CD's, embroidery and jewelry imported from Ukraine, along with various merchandise (Ukrainian mousepads, auto magnets, t-shirts, and more). The focus of their display is the Lord's Nativity and will include a selection of Christmas cards, ornaments, and carols. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to our parish. We encourage our members and guests to take advantage of this opportunity for some Christmas shopping, Ukrainian style!

St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church
1826 Kenmore Ave - Bethlehem, PA

10 Dec - Stamford, CT



РОЗПИС ЯЛИНКОВИХ ПРИКРАС
Christmas Decoration Workshop



Demo by Artist/Мисткиня Ірина Чаборук

Sunday, December 10, 2023
At 2:00pm & 5:00pm

Address: 39 Clovelly Rd, Stamford, CT
COST/ЦІНА ВКЛЮЧАЄ ПРИЛАДДЯ: \$40.00
To register/Звертатися: Ірина Кузьмич 203-548-1569
Ірина Чаборук 203-428-7823

Рекомендований вік від 6 років.
SPACE IS LIMITED/ кількість місць обмежена
Charity fundraiser/ Благодійний збір коштів

10 Dec - Beaver, PA



10 Dec - Philadelphia, PA



10 Dec - Pownal, MA



WHAT IS UCCA?

The Ukrainian Congress Committee of America (UCCA) is a non-profit, non-partisan community-based organization that has represented the interests of Ukrainians in the United States since 1940.

ЩО ТАКЕ УККА?

Український Конгресовий Комітет Америки (УККА) є неприбутковою, безпартійною громадською організацією, яка представляє інтереси українців у Сполучених Штатах Америки з 1940 року.

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