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for the 2023 Diocesan Assembly

Parish name and Address

SAINT VLADIMIR'S ORTHODOX CHURCH
127 MAIN ST.
P.O. BOX 211 LOPEZ, PA. 18628

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Clergy

V. REVERAND DENNIS HENDRSHOT (ATTACHED RETIRED)

Committees/Societies

NO FORMAL COMMITTEES EXCEPT FOR CEMETARY TRUSTEES
& PIEROGI COMMITTEE

Since January 2022

Highlights of Top Three Activities

- HALL WAS USED FOR LOPEZ CIVIC CHRISTMAS PARTY (CHILDRENS)
- " " " POTLUCK FOR " CLERGY APPRECIATION "
- " " " " 1 WEDDING RECEPTION & 1 FUNERAL
- " IS USED FOR FOOD PREPARATION FOR FUND RAISING

Outreach Directed to Growth, Adult Education and Charitable Activities (*Fundraisers are not Outreach*)

- DONATION TO LOCAL FIRE HALL
- " TO GRANDPARENTS, RAISING A GRANDCHILD (ATTEND CHURCH NON-ORTHODOX)
  GRANDFATHER HANDICAPPED
- LOCAL LEGEND " WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA" 94 WREATHS PLACED IN IN OUR MAIN CEMETERY

Major Challenges Faced

- SMALL MEMBERSHIP – A FEW LEAVE FOR WINTER -
- 10 REGULARS TRAVEL IN FROM 4 HOURS TO 1½ HOURS
- IN SPITE " GOD HAS BLESSED US " WE CAN DO ALL TITINGS THROUGH CHRIST WHO STRENGTHENS US "

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Upcoming Special Events/ Anniversaries – January 2023 to December 2023
- BISHOP MARK VISITATION - OLD HOME DAY ETHNIC FOOD BOOTH

	As of October 1, 2022
Active Members Count 15 - 17	
Children (under 18) 9	4 IN ONE FAMILY 4 " ANOTHER "
	January 1 thru December1, 2022
Average Sunday Divine Liturgy Attendance 13	IN SUMMER NUMEROUS VISITORS
Average Sunday Divine Liturgy Communicants 10 INCLUDING CHILDREN	
Average Saturday Vigil Attendance FREQUENTLY DIVE LITURGY 2-4 SERVED	
Number of Catechumens -0-	
	January 1, thru December 1, 2022
Baptisms -0-	
Funerals 3 MEMBERS OF WHICH 2 FUNERALS + ONE MEMORIAL SERVICE 2 NON-MEMBERS WERE BURIED IN OUR CEMETERY	
Marriages - 1-	
Receptions into Orthodoxy 2 NEW MEMBERS (ALREADY ORTHODOX) - 3 ADULTS ORTHODOX HAVE MOVED INTO TOWN + ATTEND SERVICES	