The Carpatho-Rusyn Society (C-RS) is a national 501(C)(3) organization founded in Pittsburgh, PA in 1994. As stated in our mission statement, the C-RS is dedicated to manifesting Carpatho-Rusyn culture in the United States and supporting Rusyn culture in the homeland in eastern Europe. Information about joining C-RS and a membership application may be obtained on the C-RS website at www.carpathorusynsociety.org.

The C-RS Youngstown/Warren/Sharon Chapter hosted Dr. Paul R. Magocsi who discussed “Carpatho-Rusyns: Myths and Stereotypes” on Sunday, October 9 at the First Presbyterian Church, Youngstown, OH. Dr. Magocsi told the more than 70 attendees about the cultural values that are present in Carpatho-Rusyn life. He discussed the “Ethnic Triangle” the region in which - Eastern Europe over the last two centuries. He commented on the political issues that have impacted Rusyns in Central and Eastern Europe. He briefly discussed the economic situation that the Carpatho-Rusyns in the United States have faced, the English language and how the C-RS is working to raise awareness of Carpatho-Rusyn culture in the United States.

The 4th Annual Rusyn Genealogy Conference Recap
The C-RS Youngstown/Warren/Sharon Chapter Update
The C-RS National Capital Chapter will present a program entitled “Heroes of the Slavic World” on Sunday, November 20, Falls Church, VA. The program will feature Dr. Patricia Krafcik, a faculty member at The Evergreen State College, Olympia, WA. Dr. Krafcik’s presentation will focus on the role of Slavs in the United States and the movement for national independence of Russia. Among those Slavic Americans who have gained international recognition is Alexandra Kollontai, a Ukrainian-Quaker social activist. Dr. Krafcik will discuss several other Russian-American figures who helped shape the country’s national development and many contributions to society.

Save the Dates!
Saturday, November 19, 2016
The 4th Annual Rusyn Genealogy Conference will be held at the Cultural and Educational Center, 549 East Main Street, Munhall, PA 15120. At 1:00 pm the conference will begin with two informative presentations. Following the presentations we will have a silent auction and a cash bar ready for attendees.

Sunday, November 20, 2016
The 10th National Carpatho-Rusyn Conference will be held at the Cultural and Educational Center, 549 East Main Street, Munhall, PA 15120. At 9:00 am the conference will begin with four informative presentations. Lunch will be served at 12:00 noon at the Cultural and Educational Center. The event will end at 4:00 pm with a cash bar and silent auction for attendees.

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