

Commemorative coin

This coin celebrates St. Volodymyr's Cathedral – an architectural gem of Kyiv. The cathedral is notable both for its history and its interior murals, which are true masterpieces of art.

The cathedral is built in the Neo-Byzantine style. Its construction lasted for 20 years – from 1862 until 1882. After that, for more than 10 years work was carried out on the interior decorations of the cathedral. The cathedral's unique murals were created by prominent artists. These included Viktor Vasnetsov, Wilhelm Kotarbiński, Mikhail Vrubel, Mykola Pymonenko, Mikhail Nesterov, the brothers Pavel and Alexander Svedomsky, and Viktor Zamyaylo. The work was carried out under the general direction of Adrian Prakhov.

The paintings depict biblical and historical scenes: the baptism of Prince Volodymyr, the baptism of Kyiv residents, as well as the portraits of historical figures.

The cathedral is 55 meters long, 30 meters wide and, together with the cross, 49 meters tall.

The cathedral sports six pillars and is topped by seven golden domes.

St. Volodymyr's Cathedral in Kyiv



 National Bank of Ukraine

Obverse:

- in the center, against the backdrop of a decorative ornament that is part of the cathedral's decoration, is a colored image of St. Volodymyr's Cathedral (padded);
- to the left is the coin's issue year – 2022; to the right is the mint mark of the NBU's Banknote Printing and Minting Works;
- above are Ukraine's small coat of arms and the semicircular legend НАЦІОНАЛЬНИЙ БАНК УКРАЇНИ (National Bank of Ukraine);
- beneath, against a smooth background, is the coin's face value – П'ЯТЬ ГРИВЕНЬ (five/hryvnias).

Reverse:

- a decorative ornament that is part of the decoration of the cathedral;
- under the ornament are the following legends: 1862 – 1882 (the years during which the cathedral was built) and ВОЛОДИМИРСЬКИЙ СОБОР (St. Volodymyr's/ Cathedral).

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ST. VOLODYMYR'S CATHEDRAL IN KYIV

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- Ukraine's small coat of arms
- legend "National Bank of Ukraine"
- issue year
- ornamented band
- face value
- cathedral's main facade (pad-printed)
- mint mark of the NBU's Banknote Printing and Minting Works
- decorative ornament that is part of the cathedral's decoration
- 1862-1882 – the years during which the cathedral was built
- legend "St. Volodymyr's Cathedral in Kyiv"

Issue date	Metal	Diameter	Quality	Edge	Mintage
15 September 2022	nickel silver	35.0 mm	special uncirculated	grooved	35,000