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SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY APRIL 14TH, 2024 **SUNDAY OF THE MYRRH-BEARERS** Propers: 177-180 / 180

FLEA MARKET	
Divine Liturgy Health and God's Blessings for Intentions of Jan Vira	
By Family	
14th	
Bible Study—All welcome!	
ECF (Sunday School)	
Divine Liturgy	
Intentions of our Parish Family	
	Divine Liturgy Health and God's Blessings for Intentions of Jan Vira By Family 14th Bible Study—All welcome! ECF (Sunday School) Divine Liturgy

Monday, April 15th

Saturday, April 13th

7:30 PM *B-I-N-G-O*!

Tuesday, April 16th 8:30 AM +Stanley, +Bridget, and Matt Milewski By Father Tom

Wednesday, April 17th No Liturgy Scheduled

Thursday, April 18th No Liturgy Scheduled

Friday, April 19th

No Liturgy Scheduled

Saturday, April 20th 5:00 PM **Divine Liturgy** Intentions of our Parish Family Sunday, April 21sth **Bible Study—All welcome!** 9:00 AM 9:00 AM ECF (Sunday School) 10:00 AM **Divine Liturgy** +Barbara Petruccelli By Adrian and Barbara Zapotocki 2:00 PM WEDDING: Matthew Kowal and Shannon Doolev Sanctuary Lamp this Week. April 13/14, 2024 In Memory of +LOUISE LISNOCK By Douglas and Susan Wood Blessed Repose and Eternal Memory! **Remember your Mother at Mother's Day Liturgy** Use the envelope in your church envelope box, or email your mom's name (specify: living or deceased. Please print.)

NEXT SUNDAY APRIL 21ST, 2024

SUNDAY OF THE PARALYZED MAN

Propers: 181-182 / 182-183



To be United in Christ... our Parish Family REJOICES with the family of MATT KOWAL AND SHANNON DOOLEY who will be United in Christ through the Sacramental Mystery of Holy Matrimony on Sunday, April 21st at 2PM here at St Thomas Church!

All parishioners are cordially invited to attend the church wedding ceremony at 2PM!

Chlibičky Sandwiches—many thanks to our Slovak Chefs who prepared with great love and expert skill the delicious chlibičky sandwiches served in honor of St Thomas our parish patron saint! They were a treat! (Yes, at St Thomas church, we love to EAT ... almost as much as we love to PRAY!) AND. many thanks to all those who volunteer to host our Sunday coffee socials each week! You make the words of St John Chrysostom come to life: "It's the liturgy after the liturgy that directs our life!" God bless you all for what you do!



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Lecture! All invited!! Sunday, April 28, 2024 Following the 10AM Liturgy Refreshments Served!

"Byzantine Catholics: Who ARE We?"

By Father Joseph Loya, OSA

BISHOP'S APPEAL UPDATE: Our goal this year is \$12,400. So far, we have raised \$8,550.00. If you have NOT received a pledge card, please contact AnnMarie in the Parish Office. Send your donation directly to the Eparchial Chancery, 445 Lackawanna Ave., Woodland Park, NJ 07065, with checks payable to "Eparchy of Passaic." Or, you may go online and make your contributions directly at

www.eparchyofpassaic.com, then click on the "Giving" tab. If we reach our goal by June, we will get a guaranteed refund of \$4,960.00! That would be a great blessing!

INCOME FOR LAST WEEKEND: Including online e-giving.

Sunday Offering/Donations	\$ 1945.00	Monthly/Initial/Gifts	\$ 285.00
Candles	\$ 101.00	Charities/Missions/Peter's Pence	\$ xxx.00
Flowers	\$ xxx.00	Holydays/Easter	\$ 229.00
Maintenance/Fuel	\$ 30.00	ECL/Seminary	\$ 60.00
Retired Religious	\$ xxx.00	Total	\$ 2650.00

Additional Income: Bingo \$ 1750.00 Bingo Kitchen: \$ 385.00