St. Thomas the Apostle Byzantine Catholic Church

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Served by Right Rev. Archpriest James G. Hayer, with the ministry of Deacons Charles Laskowski and Father Thomas Shubeck, and Cantors Patricia Dietz, Doreen Plahovinsak and George Birchack

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Office Hours: Monday — Thursday, 12 Noon to 4PM.

SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY JANUARY 22ND, 2023

SUNDAY OF ZACCHEUS *Propers:* 161-162/162

Saturday, January 21st

5:00 PM Divine Liturgy (live streamed)

+Florence Gretsky
By MM Pete Kowal

Sunday, January 22nd, 2023

9:00 AM ECF (Sunday School)

10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Intentions of our Parish Family

Monday, January 23rd 7:30 PM B-I-N-G-0

Tuesday, January 24th

8:00 AM + Mary Ann Androsko *By Family and Friends*

Wednesday, January 25th

No Liturgy Scheduled

Thursday, January 26th
No Liturgy Scheduled

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Friday, January 27th

No Liturgy Scheduled

NEXT SUNDAY JANUARY 29TH, 2023 SUNDAY OF PUBLICAN AND PHARISEE

Propers: 125, 215/127

Saturday, January 28th

5:00 PM Divine Liturgy (live streamed)

Sunday, January 29th, 2023

9:00 AM ECF (Sunday School) 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

+Barbara Brutka

By Knitters and Crocheters

Sanctuary Lamp this Week. January 21/22, 2023

In Memory of

+JOHN AND +MARY SURMAY

By Susan and Douglas Wood

Blessed Repose and Eternal Memory!

Sanctuary Lamp Next Week. January 28/29, 2023

In Memory of

+ROBERT YELENOVSKY

By Sandy Yelenovsky

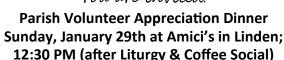
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ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE—The first All Souls Liturgy is February 11th. Please submit your names (via phone 732-382-5300, or email StThomasByz@aol.com) so that your loved ones may be commemorated. *Vicnaja Pamjat! Eternal Memory!*

In Blessed Repose ... please remember the soul of +Joe Gyenes who fell asleep in the Lord last Friday and was buried from our parish on Tuesday. Over the years, +Joe served in many capacities at St Thomas Church, including, Basket Ball Coach and referee, ECF, (Sunday School) Instructor, Bingo volunteer and regular attendee at the Divine Liturgy. He was never at a loss for a word or comical comment. To his family and friends, especially his brother Bruce, and Judith; nieces, Jennifer, and Joel; Stefanie Gyenes, and Nate; and nephew, Gregory Gyenes, as well as to all his parish family members we extend our heartfelt condolences. May his memory be eternal!

Condolences ... are extended to Anna Yurko on the falling asleep in the Lord of her brother +George, a faithful member of Nativity Byzantine Church in East Brunswick. *May his memory be eternal!*

You are invited!





All parish Volunteers (Bingo, Flea Market, Kitchen, ECF Teachers, Servers, Festival, Holubki, and others) are invited to be the guests of honor at a Parish Volunteer Appreciation Dinner at Amici's in Linden NEXT Sunday, January 29th at 12:30 PM. Divine Liturgy at 10AM, coffee social to follow, then head to Amici's by 12:30. **DEADLINE for signing up is TUESDAY.**

End-Of-Year 2022 Offertory Statements are available. They will be distributed after liturgy on Saturday or Sunday for all who request. You may also call the Parish Office and have one sent to you. Please contact the parish office if there are any discrepancies or errors.

EVENING for YOUNG ADULTS, ages 18-35 will be held at St Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church in Hillsborough on Saturday, January 28th from 7-10 PM. Fr Tom, among others, is spearheading this. There is no charge to attend and it is open to ANY and EVERY young adult from ages 18-25. The day includes the celebration of the Prayer Service of "Compline", the opportunity to go to Confession, a time for silent prayer/reflection, as well as social and fellowship. The day will be spiritually hosted by the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal. See Father Tom to attend, or call the parish office at 732-382-5300 with your name and contact information.

INCOME FOR LAST WEEKEND: (including those mailed in —thank you!)

Sunday Offering/Donations	\$ 1127.00	Monthly/Initial	\$ 813.00
Candles	\$ 279.00	Special Gifts	\$ 15.00
Flowers	\$ xxx.00	Holydays/Christmas	\$ 147.00
Maintenance/Fuel	\$ 20.00	Catholic Charities	\$ xxx.00
ECL	\$ 27.00	Total	\$ 2428.00

Additional Income: Bingo \$862.00 Bingo Kitchen: \$276.00 God Bless You!