

St. Thomas the Apostle Byzantine Catholic Church

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SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY JUNE 13TH, 2021

3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Propers: 130-131 / 132

Saturday, June 12th (live streamed)

5:00 PM **Divine Liturgy**
 Intentions of
 Millie Citsay on her Birthday
 By her sister, Terry Goldfarb
PANACHIDA +Peter Ochlan
 By Maria Ochlan and Family

Sunday, June 13th (live streamed)

10:00 AM **Divine Liturgy**
 For Our Parish Family

Monday, June 14th—No Public Liturgy

Tuesday, June 15th
 No Public Liturgy

Wednesday, June 16th
 No Public Liturgy

Thursday, June 17th
 No Public Liturgy

Friday, June 18th
 No Public Liturgy

Slavonic Food Festival, Saturday, September 25th, Noon to 5PM. Take-outs only! See Pete Kowal to help with summer food prep!

NEXT SUNDAY JUNE 20TH, 2021

4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

FATHER'S DAY!

Propers: 141-142 / 142


Saturday, June 19th (live streamed)

5:00 PM **Divine Liturgy**
 For our Parish Family,
 especially our Fathers!


Sunday, June 20th (live streamed)

10:00 AM **Divine Liturgy**
 For Our Fathers,
 Living and Deceased

This week, June 12/13, 2021




SANCTUARY LAMP
 For Health and God's Blessings on
CHARLIE AND MARY ANN OCHLAN
 on 50 Years of Marriage! *Congratulations!*



MAY GOD GRANT THEM MANY HAPPY AND BLESSED YEARS!! MNOHAJA L'ITA!

This week, June 12/13th, 2021



ICON FLOWERS For the Blessed memory of +**DR. RONALD GAUTREAU**
 By wife, Joan Gautreau and family

BLESSED REPOSE AND ETERNAL MEMORY!



Calling all St Thomas Altar Servers!

We have re-established our working relationship with the Somerset Patriots, who incidentally are now the AA affiliation of the NY Yankees. We have a block of tickets reserved in the picnic section on **Sunday July 11th at 1:05**. Patriots vs. Erie Sea Wolves. As of today, social distancing will be the order. Masks on until you sit with your food to eat. It is outside and we have the picnic tables closest to the field. 6 feet social distancing will also be expected. **If you have an altar server that is interested, please let Deacon Charles know- 908-821-2296, cjlaskowski@aol.com.** Altar servers are non-paying guests of St Thomas Men's Club. There are additional tickets available, at \$25.00 per seat, but going quickly. *Please commit early if you are interested.*



Father's Day Liturgy, June 19/20— If you would like to remember your father, living or deceased, please submit his name using the special envelope in your box of envelopes, or email or call the Parish office. **PLEASE INDICATE** whether your dad is **LIVING** or **DECEASED** so that he can appear on the appropriate list.

Need Help with COVID VACCINE? Call "Heather" at Robert Wood Johnson, Rahway at 732-499-6223. Give her your name, DOB, Cell Phone #, Gender, and Email Address. **You may ALSO call the Parish Office at 732-382-5300 and we have resources to assist you in getting the vaccine whether you live in the city of Rahway or elsewhere.**

NEW Covid protocols for weekend Divine Liturgies... In light of the Governor's recent mandates, MASKS are no longer mandatory indoors for persons who have been vaccinated. Masks are recommended for those unvaccinated. Safe-distancing is recommended inside our churches. Hand sanitizing stations are still in place. The dispensation for live-streaming is revoked by Bishop Kurt. Live-streaming remains in place for the sick and immobile.

Read the weekly BULLETIN, and watch LIVE on social media! Watch us on... **Facebook, Instagram** and **YouTube** www.facebook.com/saintthomastheapostlebyz/ www.saintthomastheapostle.org/ (website) www.instagram.com/stthomastheapostlebyz/

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

Sunday Offering/Donations	\$	1311.00	Monthly/Initial	\$	420.00
Candles	\$	124.00	Gifts/Donations	\$	xxx.00
Flowers	\$	150.00	Holydays/Easter	\$	81.00
Maintenance/Fuel	\$	5.00	ECL	\$	9.00
Peter's Pence/Seminary	\$	xxx.00	Total	\$	2100.00

Additional Income (Bingo) \$xxx.00 **GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY OF SPIRIT!**

BYZANTINE MONASTERY CLOSING—Holy Dormition Franciscan Friary, in Sybertsville, PA will close as of January 2021. Father Jerome, OFM stated that this is mainly due to the lack of available Friars. **On January 31, at 2pm, they will have a final prayer service to close the chapel**, with a reception if conditions permit. The friars are still able to honor all intentions and memorials; and will continue to pray for all of their benefactors. *They ask for your prayers at this difficult time.*