

# St. Thomas the Apostle Byzantine Catholic Church

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## SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES FOR THIS WEEK

**SUNDAY, MARCH 10TH, 2019**  
**FIRST SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST**  
*Propers: p. 125, 220/p. 221*

**Saturday, March 9th**  
**5:30 PM** Divine Liturgy  
 +Ann Walker By ARS  
**6:30 PM** MOLEBEN for Intentions of  
 Anna Sausnock

**Sunday, March 10th—TAYLOR HAM!**  
**9:00 AM** Divine Liturgy  
 For our Parishioners

**Monday, March 11th**  
**8:30 AM** Lenten Morning Service  
*Typica with Holy Communion*

**Tuesday, March 12th—No Services**

**Wednesday, March 13th**  
**6:00 PM** **KNITTERS AND CROCHETERS**  
**7:00 PM** Divine Liturgy of St. Gregory  
 (PRESANCTIFIED LITURGY)  
 +Katerina Lozinak By Family

**Thursday, March 14th**  
**8:30 AM** Lenten Morning Service  
*Typica with Holy Communion*

**Friday, March 15th**  
**7:00 PM** ALL SOULS COMMEMORATION

**NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 17TH, 2019**  
**SECOND SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST**  
*Propers: p. 130, 222/p. 223*

**Saturday, March 16th**  
**FISHEMAN'S FLEA MARKET**  
**5:30 PM** Divine Liturgy  
 +Delza Malang Disohglo  
 By Sister, Daisy Malang

**Sunday, March 17th**  
**9:00 AM** Divine Liturgy  
 For our Parishioners

### A Note of Thanks from our "Chief Bingo Kitchen Chef!"

*I would like to thank our special volunteers Paul Ciko, George Raynor, Katie Soper, and Sandy Yelenovsky, as well as ALL the Kitchen Crew for stepping in and doing a fantastic job in the Bingo Kitchen while Chris and I were away in Denver for the birth of our first granddaughter!*

*Sincerely, John Szyhulsky*

**M**any Thanks to those who participated in the Vespers of Forgiveness Service and Luncheon last Sunday. It was an exceptionally moving service! Special thanks to the Parish Knitters and Crocheters for their *made-with-love* Pocket Cross given to everyone in attendance! What a beautiful reminder of the message of the Great Fast! Another inspiring gesture are the Lenten "40 Days, 40 Items" bags distributed last weekend—they are all gone! If you didn't get a Lenten Bag, don't worry ... you can simply use any large plastic bag (such as a 13 gallon trash bag), collect non-perishables each day and return it to church at the end of Lent (or when the bag is full) for distribution to those in need! Thanks for your prayerful participation!



### BCY Palm Cross Sale & Chocolate Cross Sale

Palm Crosses for the CEMETERY are available once again this year at \$10 each. The Cemetery Crosses can be ordered by placing your name on the sign-up sheet in the Social Hall bulletin board.

Also available are homemade CHOCOLATE CROSSES (in white, milk chocolate, and dark flavors). Chocolate Crosses are \$5 each. Any extra crosses will be available on a "first come, first served basis" Order yours today! The project benefits the Parish Youth Group. *Thanks!*

**ANNUAL PARISH RAFFLE** is Thomas Sunday (April 28th). Parishioners are asked to kindly make your raffle returns. Need more books? Call the Parish Office at 732-382-5300. *Thanks!*

**Paska Sale**—Good News! We WILL be baking and selling our homemade paska breads this year! *More details to come!*

Reminders

**NUT ROLL ORDER**—Don't Forget To order your homemade Nut and Poppy Rolls! Available for pick up on the weekend of April 6/7. \$15 each—first come, first served!

**LODGE MEETING**—GCU Lodge 340 Meeting—Sunday, March 24th at 10:30AM.

**SPRING AHEAD, FALL BACK**—Turn Clock ahead Saturday night before sleeping!

**Slavic Dinner in Hillsborough** - St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church, 1900 Brooks Blvd., will resume their Slavic Dinners on Wednesday, March 13, 2019 from 4 PM to 7 PM. \$15.00 for adults (ages 9 and up) and \$5.00 for Children (8 and under). All you can eat Pirohi, Stuffed Cabbage, Kielbasa and Sauerkraut, beverage and dessert! Call for tickets: 908-725-0615.

### INCOME FOR LAST WEEKEND:

Sunday Offering	\$	1864.00	Monthly Offering	\$	562.00
Candles	\$	91.00	Retired Religious	\$	xxx.00
Missions	\$	53.00	Holydays	\$	5.00
Maintenance	\$	33.00	ECL	\$	3.00
Initial	\$	xxx.00	Total	\$	\$ 2611.00

Additional Income (Bingo) \$853.00 **GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY OF SPIRIT!**