

Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

Sunday of the M	Iyrrh-Bear	ing Women
Saturday Apr. 17		Mystery of Repentance* Divine Liturgy for Fr. Andre Mahanna by David & Sarah Malakauskas
Sunday Apr. 18		Mystery of Repentance* Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish Epistle: Acts 6:1-7; Mark 15:43-16:8
Friday Apr. 23		THE HOLY, GLORIOUS, AND VICTORIOUS GREAT MARTYR GEORGE THE WONDER-WORKER (Solemn Holyday: simple abstinence from meat) No services today, Fr. Lewis is away
Sunday of the P.	ARALYTIC M	an; The Holy Apostle and Evangelist Mark—Tone 3
Saturday Apr. 24		Mystery of Repentance* Divine Liturgy for +Fernando David Plitt by Kateri Howard
Sunday Apr. 25		Mystery of Repentance* Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish Epistle: Acts 9:32-42 & 1 Peter 5:6-14; John 5:1-15 & Mark 6:7-13
		*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment or before and after weekday services

During the month of April, the Altar Lamp burns before our Lord in the tabernacle for the repose of +Edward & +Marie Klotz by Ed Klotz

Welcome to our parish!

We are glad that you have chosen to participate in the Divine Liturgy with us today and we pray that it has been a spiritually nourishing experience. If you would like to register as a parishioner or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

The Mysteries (Sacraments) of the Church are available for all Bap-

Upcoming Events				
Apr. 18	Monthly ByzanTeen Virtual Event			
May 2	Mother's Day Brunch Picnic after Liturgy			

tized Catholics in Good Standing. This means that a Catholic attends Divine Liturgy on Sundays and Holydays of Obligation, utilizes the Mystery of Repentance at least once a year, receives the Eucharist at least once a year, observes the church's penitential seasons and fasting regulations to include abstaining from meat or an equivalent penance on all Fridays except when mitigated, supports the Church in Her temporal needs through offering of time, talent, and treasure, and believes the Church's teachings on faith and morals.

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Those who are ill or convalescing: Suzanne Pichnarcik, Anna Cospelich, Alexandria Odish, Joseph & Joanne Baranko, Clara Vranich, Patricia Rabayda, Catherine Garcia, Betty Yurchik, Frank Korkowski, Patricia Anne Reidy, and Jeff Lovall. *May our Lord Jesus Christ, the Physician and Healer of souls and bodies, grant them peace and good health for many blessed years.*

Also, our deployed military members: Lt. Commander William Bridges, Sergeant Francis "Joseph" Fuchko, and the newly enlisted David Russo.

May God's Divine Care and Mercy be given to them and may their Guardian Angels protect them from harm.—Please let Fr. Lewis know if anyone should be added or taken away from these lists.

Correction! —Free Books— Correction! We

have offered books from +Dcn. Michael's private book collection. These books are displayed in the narthex, and one may take what they like. There are still some titles left that need a home. EVERYTHING MUST GO!!!

The books we are giving away are **NOT** the books in the +Dcn. Michael Memorial Library. Because the language used was not as clear as would be ideal, some have interpreted that the library was being given away, this is not the case. **If you have already removed titles from the library thinking they were free, please return them when you can.** This library is a necessary resource for our parish, and will provide us service for years to come. Thank you.

PERK ARTISAN COFFEE FUNDRAISER: We have enrolled in a fundraising program for those who enjoy excellent freshly roasted coffee. For each bag sold, the parish will receive a donation for 20% of the retail price! The coffee is shipped to your home and may be whole bean or ground. Please visit our website for the link to Perk Artisan Coffee.

Months available for Altar Lamp Memorials: July, August, November, & December. Suggested offering is \$50 **ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION REPORTS:** If you would like your contribution report quicker than snail mail, then Fr. Lewis can email your report to you, please email the parish office.

BYZANTEEN VIRTUAL EVENING OUT: The Eparchy of Passaic has been offering Virtual Events for Teens to learn more about their Byzantine faith as well as offer ways to connect with other ByzanTeens. The next event is Sunday evening, April 18 at 6PM—7:30PM. The evening's theme is Myrrbearers: Discipleship in Strength and Silence. One needs to REGISTER at www. eparchyofpassaic.com via the "register here" button at least an hour before the event. One will then be sent a link to the Zoom virtual meeting room. If you have any questions, feel free to email Dcn. Tom Shubeck at frdeacontom@gmail.com. Please note there are two new lines on the registration form asking for parent/ guardian name and email along with a permission form to participate. If you have already registered, please re-register with the new form.

FR. LEWIS AWAY: Fr. Lewis and his mother will be away this week into next weekend. Fr. George Gage will be substituting and the Saturday evening liturgy will be a regular Divine Liturgy without the Vigil section. If there are any pastoral emergencies, Fr. Lewis can still be reached via his cell phone, or please call either Dcn. James or Dcn. John, and we will arrange for any sacramental needs which may arise.

Stewardship 4/04/2021					
Offertory	\$1,660.00	Ca			
Online Giving	\$1097.84	Ea			
Capital Imp.	\$1820	Ap			
Easter	\$875.00				
Stewardship 4/11/2021					
Offertory	\$4108.00				
Online Giving	\$727.15				
Capital Imp.	\$955				
Easter	\$318.25				

 Apr. Off. Total:
 \$7,592.99

 Cap. Imp. Total:
 \$2,775

 Easter Coll.
 \$1,193.25

 Apr. Operating Budget
 \$11,447

Changeable Parts of the Divine Liturgy April 17/18 for the Teal Pew Book

Vigil Divine Liturgy: p. 104 Tone Two: p. 128 with insert

Myrrh-Bearing Women Sunday Propers: p. 175 or see insert Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19 Thrice Holy Hymn: B p. 28 Cherubikon: B p. 43 Creed: B p. 53 Holy, Holy, Holy: B p. 56 Our Father: Paschal p. 167 "We Have Seen": Christ is Risen! "May Our Mouths Be Filled": B p. 85 "Blessed be the Name of the Lord": B p. 88 Thanksgiving Prayers: p.95-96 **MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH:** We will be offering our Mothers, Grandmothers, God-Mothers, and Spiritual Mothers (adult women) a special Mother's Day brunch the Sunday before Mother's Day, which will be on May 2. Please let us know if this is something you will be attending, so that we can properly plan for food and beverages. Male volunteers needed to cook, and serve, and fathers will be needed to tent to the children's activities while the mothers enjoy a well deserved meal in relative peace.

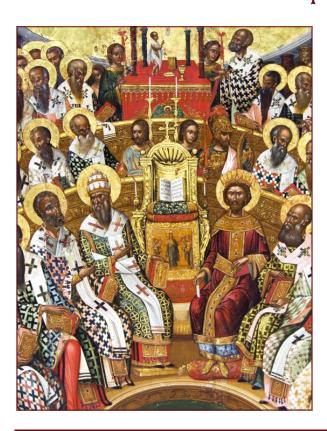


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