



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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— Schedule of Divine Services —

PENTECOST SUNDAY

- Saturday June 4** 4:30PM Mystery of Repentance
5:30PM Divine Liturgy for a Special Intention by Barbara Bates with the June Birthday blessing
- Sunday June 5** 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: Acts 2:1-11; John 7:37-52; 8:12
11:45AM Celebration of June Birthdays and Anniversaries and Monthly Picnic—some food provided
12:30 PM Kneeling Vespers of Pentecost Sunday
- Mon. June 6** **Pentecost Monday with Gospel Procession (Simple Holyday)**
6:30PM Divine Liturgy for Fr. Milan Kasperek by David & Sarah Malakauskas
- Tues. June 7** 11AM-1PM Epiphany Moms Summer Pray & Play Group
- Wed. June 8** **Pentecost Wednesday; Translation of the Relics of the Great Martyr Theodore the Recruit**
6:30PM Divine Liturgy for Fr. Dismas Kimboi by David & Sarah Malakauskas
- Fri. June 10** **Pentecost Friday; The Holy Martyr Timothy, Bishop of Prusa (no fasting or abstinence)**
- SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS; OUR VENERABLE FATHER ONUPHRY THE GREAT—TONE 8**
- Saturday June 11** 4:30PM Mystery of Repentance
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Betty Yurchick by David & Shirley Spontak
- Sunday June 12** 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
with the Office of Christian Initiation of Eleanor Bradon and
the Chrismation of Theodore Bradon
Epistle: Hebrews 11:33-12a; Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30
The Apostles Fast begins after the time for vespers (early evening); this fast is voluntary
*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

No fasting this week (meaning on Friday) — Great Feast of Pentecost

During the month of June, the Altar Lamp burns before our Lord in the tabernacle for Brennan Catton by Ailis Catton

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 Baptized 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: Mario Marione, Fr. Phillip Scott, Brenda Bryant, Bryan Marks, Jacob, Chris, Rex, Paul, Wyatt, & Mary, Ernie & Patricia Holewinski, John Gollner, Logan Camacho, Richard Ballard, John Rooth, Suzanne Pichnarcik, Anna Cospelich, Joanne Baranko, Frank Korkowski, and Patricia Anne Reidy. *May our Lord Jesus Christ, the Physician and Healer of souls and bodies, grant them peace and good health for many blessed years.*

MARY & MARTHA GROUP: The Mary & Martha Group will meet on Saturday, June 25. Please see the Mary & Martha table for project and items needed.

PENTECOST SUNDAY PICNIC & VESPERS: Our monthly picnic will be on Pentecost Sunday, June 4. Italian sausage and peppers, chicken penne Alfredo, and rigatoni and meatballs will be provided. Others are asked to bring salads, sub (hoagie) rolls, charcuterie items, fresh mozzarella salad, and desserts, and some drinks. All will be invited to stay and participate in the beautiful Kneeling Vespers, where we solemnly return to singing and praying the Prayer to the Holy Spirit, “Heavenly King, Comforter.”

PRAYER CHANGE AT PENTECOST: We may now resume the prayers “Glory to You, Our God...” and the prayer to the Holy Spirit, “Heavenly King, Comforter...” in our usual daily prayers; thank you Holy Spirit for your help, comfort, and guidance!

THE APOSTLES FAST: After we celebrate Pentecost Week, we may then enter into a voluntary period of fasting which leads up to the Holy Day of Obligation that is Saints Peter & Paul on June 29. One may apply any severity of fasting one chooses, but the traditional prescriptions are a strict fast (no meat or dairy) on Monday, Wednesday, & Friday with mitigations of wine and oil on Tuesdays and Thursdays. As with all fasting periods, there are Days of Alleluia, days on which the Divine Liturgy is not to be celebrated; we will adhere to this prescription, so please check the bulletin for days and times of services. The voluntary fast will end on June 28.

Also, our deployed military members: Pvt. Bryan Buck, Pvt. Michael Fuchko, Sailor David Russo, Sergeant Francis “Joseph” Fuchko, and Lt. Commander William Bridges. *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.*

Also, our Studying Converts: Dorothy Beck. *May the Holy Spirit teach and guide them to full knowledge of Jesus Christ and His Church! Amen.*

SAVE THE DATE FOR A FLOAT DOWN THE RIVER: A whole day of fun!!! Float Down the Cartecay River and enjoy a day of picnicking ending with the Saturday evening Divine Liturgy at Gina & Ken’s in Ellijay on July 9. This Saturday evening liturgy WILL replace our usual Saturday evening liturgy on this day, so please plan appropriately. More information to follow.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW CATHOLICS! This Sunday, May 29, Savannah Swinehart and Victoria Foden entered into the One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church through the Byzantine Ruthenian Metropolia of Pittsburgh, PA by being Chrismated and having Received their First Holy Communion. Both Savannah and Victoria have discerned this new life and have worked hard on learning the Catholic faith. May God grant them both many blessed years!

CONGRATULATIONS TO TAHIR & SAVANNAH! On Saturday, June 4, Tahir Savasir & Savanna Swinehart were Crowned in Marriage in the Byzantine Tradition at Epiphany! We pray that God will bless their new Sacramental Life together! May God grant His newly joined servants, peace, health, and happiness for many blessed years!

SUMMER PRAY & PLAY GROUP: Epiphany Moms are gathering in the summer on Tuesdays for a Pray & Play group. Fr. Lewis will celebrate a short service when available, and all can bring a bag lunch.

Upcoming Events

June 5	Pentecost Sunday with Picnic and Kneeling Vespers
June 6	Pentecost Monday Liturgy with Gospel Procession
June 7	Epiphany Moms Summer Pray & Play
June 12	Beginning of the Apostles Fast (voluntary)
June 19	Father's Day Lunch (food provided)

Stewardship 5/1/2022

Offertory	\$4,654
Online Giving	\$339.53
Capital Imp.	\$1,015
Easter Offering	\$100
Ascension	\$100

Stewardship 5/8/2022

Offertory	\$3,600
Online Giving	\$689.78
Capital Imp.	\$325
Seminary Education	\$210

Stewardship 5/15/2022

Offertory	\$1,607
Online Giving	\$250
Capital Imp.	\$140
Catholic Home Mission	\$10

Stewardship 5/22/2022

Offertory	\$718
Online Giving	\$348.70

Stewardship 5/29/2022

Offertory	\$2,025
Online Giving	\$388.83
Capital Imp.	\$190
Ascension	\$90
May Off. Total:	\$14,620.84
Cap. Imp. Total:	\$1,670
Easter Offering	\$100
Ascension	\$190
Seminary Education	\$210
Catholic Home Mission	\$10
May Op. Budget	\$9,032

Changeable Parts of the Divine Liturgy June 4/5 for the Teal Pew Book

Pentecost Sunday Propers: p. 203 or see insert

Pentecost Antiphons: p.203

Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19

Thrice Holy Hymn: B p. 28

Cherubikon: D p. 45

Creed: A p. 51

Holy, Holy, Holy: C p. 57

"We praise you, we bless you...": D p. 59

Our Father: Tone 7 p. 72

"We Have Seen": A p.82

"May Our Mouths Be Filled": A p.84

"Blessed be the Name of the Lord": A p. 88

Thanksgiving Prayers: p.95-96