



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

SUNDAY AFTER THEOPHANY; OUR VENERABLE FATHER GEORGE THE CHOZEBITE—TONE 6

Saturday Jan. 7 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance
 5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the Holy Souls in Purgatory by the Bragg Family
 6:45PM Monthly blessing of Birthdays and Anniversaries with a relic of the True Cross

Sunday Jan. 8 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
 10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
 Epistle: Ephesians 4:7-13 & Gospel: Matthew 4:12-17
 11:15AM Monthly blessing of Birthdays and Anniversaries with a relic of the True Cross
 11:45AM Monthly Pot-Luck Picnic after liturgy

Wednesday Jan. 11 Post-Festive Day of Theophany; Our Venerable Father Theodosius

 6:30PM Divine Liturgy for the Holy Souls in Purgatory by the Bragg Family

Friday Jan. 13 Post-Festive Day of Theophany; The Holy Martyrs Hermylaus & Stratonikus

 6:30PM Divine Liturgy for a Special Intention (simple abstinence from meat)

32ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; OUR VENERABLE FATHERS PAUL OF THEBES AND JOHN THE HUT-DWELLER—TONE 7

Saturday Jan. 14 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance
 5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the Bragg Family

Sunday Jan. 15 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
 10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
 Epistle: 1Timothy 1:15-17 & Gospel: Matthew 15:21-28
 11:45AM ECF & Adult Education Resume

*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Those who are ill or convalescing: Ihor Bilyy, Robin Cutcuin, John Grzincic, Fr. Robert Stash, Patricia Reed, Mario Marione, Brenda Bryant, Ernie & Patricia Holewinski, John Gollner, Logan Camacho, John Rooth, Suzanne Pichnarcik, and Anna Cospelich. *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: Pvt. Bryan Buck, Pvt. Michael Fuchko, Sailor David Russo, Sergeant Francis “Joseph” Fuchko, and 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.*

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.

JORDAN HOLY WATER & NEW ICON: We had a very blessed feast of Theophany and our Blessing of the Chattahoochee River went very well. We also blessed a new Icon of Theophany which has been donated to the parish by Richard Baranko in memory of his late brother and Epiphany parishioner +Joseph Baranko. Holy Water is now available for you to take home from the Baptismal Font.

BLESSING OF HOMES: If you would like to have your home blessed, which is our custom after Theophany, please contact the parish office, and we will schedule a date as soon as possible.

DECORATION REMOVAL: Please join us to remove the Christmas Decorations and put them away in storage on Saturday, January 14 at 9AM.

GIVING ENVELOPES DELAYED: Our envelope printing company has informed us of a delay in production and shipment of our giving envelopes. They will be distributed as soon as they arrive. Checks are always best and will be credited to your name.

2023 Liturgical Wall Calendars are now available!

LITURGICAL CALENDAR READY: Our electronic parish calendar is now completed through Pascha, and the rest of 2023 will be finalized soon. Please check the website under the “Events Calendar” tab and scroll down to the Monthly Calendar view if you are interested in what might be coming soon. Also, all picnics have been scheduled as well.

ALTERATION OF PEWS: We have altered the first 2 front pews on each side to allow more space for varied liturgical movement, as well as ease of communion lines.

2022 ANNUAL BISHOP’S APPEAL: So far, 17 families have contributed \$5,920 towards our goal of \$10,800!

If we reach or exceed our goal, the parish will receive a rebate of 40% of that total after the campaign has concluded.

***PAVILION PROJECT UPDATE:** Some corrections have been made by the civil and structural engineers, and has been resubmitted for final approval. City and Engineers are now in need of a comprehensive survey of the property to complete their work. Surveyors are being contacted.

ALTAR LAMP MEMORIALS:

If you would like to offer a memorial for the living or the deceased via the perpetual burning of the Altar Lamp—signifying Christ’s Presence in the Tabernacle—then you may reserve the Lamp for months in 2023 now. The suggested offering is \$50. Available Months: Feb, Mar, Apr, Sept, Oct, & Nov.

REGINA CAELI ACADEMY: has an immediate need for tutors for the 2022-23 academic year! Formal teaching experience is not needed, but a love of the Catholic faith is required! Apply online at <https://rcahybrid.isolvedhire.com/jobs/>

ADULT EDUCATION ANNOUNCEMENT: Come and hear what the priest-prophet Ezekiel had to say. Learn about the Babylonian captivity and the visions that Ezekiel had. Hear the story of how the dead bones of Israel come to life. The class will run concurrent with the Sundays of ECF. We will meet after the Divine Liturgy on Sunday. The first class will be **Sunday, Jan. 15**. To get the most out of the class, reading the chapters before meeting will enhance the experience. This will also facilitate discussion as opposed to just hearing lectures. For the first class please read Chapters 1-6. I look forward to seeing everyone. Dcn James.

During the month of January, the Altar Lamp burns before our Lord in the tabernacle for
+Barry Wooten by Mike & Irene Laschuk

Upcoming Events

Jan. 8	Monthly Pot-Luck Picnic & Birthday Blessing
Jan. 14	Decoration Removal 9am-12noon
Jan. 15	ECF & Adult Education Resume
Jan. 30	Three Holy Bishops (simple Feast) Divine Liturgy
Feb. 11	First All-Souls Saturday Divine Liturgy
Feb. 12	Meatfare Picnic

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Stewardship 1/01/2023	Jan. Off. Total:	\$3,561
Offertory \$3,371	Cap. Imp. Total:	\$185
Online Giving \$190	Jan. Op. Budget	\$10,250
Capital Improvement \$185		

Changeable Parts of the Divine Liturgy January 7/8 for the Teal Pew Book Sunday After Theophany

Vigil Divine Liturgy: p. 104

Proprs Tone 6: p. 149

Theophany Antiphons: p. 312

Hymn of the Incarnation: A p. 18

Troparion T6 p. 152 & Theophany p.313

Thrice Holy Hymn: E p. 30

Cherubikon: C p. 44

Creed: B p. 53

Holy, Holy, Holy: B p. 56

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

Our Father: Tone 6 p. 71

"We Have Seen": A p.82

"May Our Mouths Be Filled": B p.85

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

Thanksgiving Prayers: p.95-96