



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

33RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; SUNDAY OF ZACCHEUS—TONE 8

- Saturday Jan. 21** 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Dcn. Michael Tisma by Jane Cunningham
6:45PM Panachida for the repose of +Dcn. Michael Tisma
- Sunday Jan. 22** 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: 1Timothy 4:9-15 & Gospel: Luke 19:1-10
11:15AM Panachida for the repose of +Margaret Regan by Ralph Regan
11:45AM ECF & Adult Education Ezekiel Ch. 7-12
- Wednesday Jan. 25** **Our Holy Father Gregory the Theologian, Archbishop of Constantinople**
6:30PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Holy Souls in Purgatory by the Bragg Family
- Friday Jan. 27** **Translation of the Relics of Our Holy Father John Chrysostom** (simple abstinence from meat)
6:30PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of the +Holy Souls in Purgatory by the Bragg Family

SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND THE PHARISEE—TONE 1

- Saturday Jan. 28** 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Patricia Ann Rini by Dennis Reidi
- Sunday Jan. 29** 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: 2Timothy 3:10-15 & Gospel: Luke 18:10-14
11:15AM Panachida for the repose of Emeritus Ukrainian +Bishop John Bura by Mike & Irene Laschuk
11:45AM ECF & Adult Education Ezekiel Ch. 13-18

*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Those who are ill or convalescing: Ihor Bilyy, Rob-in Cutcuin, 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.

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.

JANUARY FINANCES: The online donation platform we subscribe to—Tithely—can have delays in processing payments directly from a savings or checking account. This may be due to each financial institution's processing time. So, this past week we have received payments made in December, and to properly attribute each payment to the fiscal year in which they were originally donated, they have been input into our accounting software for the date they were originally made. However, this has slightly skewed how our December and January donations appear in this bulletin, as this January contain moneys donated in December of 2022, and how our upcoming Annual Financial Report will contain moneys appearing in this month's bulletin. But they have been reported here so that each parishioner is aware that their moneys have been received and noted. Thank you all for your tremendous generosity!

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!

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: Mar, Apr, Sept, & Nov.

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. **Please read Chapters 7-12 for Jan. 22.**

ALL-SOULS SATURDAYS: Please see the insert for some information on the tradition of praying for the deceased. Each year beginning before the Great Fast, we have special liturgies at which we pray a Panachida for the deceased of our families. We will have Divine Liturgies for the first and last All-Souls Saturday, and we will have Panachidas on Friday nights after the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts during the Fast for the remaining 3 All-Souls Saturdays. You will need to resubmit your names each year with an accompanying stipend, the current Eparchial suggested stipend is \$50. Names will need to be submitted by Wednesday, Feb. 8. The first All-Souls Saturday is Feb. 11 at 10AM.

—Since many have protestant family members, please note that the names will be prayed for during the Panachida, so we will be able to pray for those outside of the Catholic communion.

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. 30	Three Holy Bishops (simple Feast) Divine Liturgy
Feb. 8	All-Souls names Due
Feb. 11	First All-Souls Saturday Divine Liturgy
Feb. 12	Meatfare Picnic
Feb. 19	Cheesefare Picnic & Forgiveness Vespers

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Stewardship 1/15/2023	Jan. Off. Total: \$13, 132.70
Offertory \$4,062	Cap. Imp. Total: \$570
Online Giving \$2,523.05	Jan. Op. Budget \$10,250
Capital Improvement \$335	

Changeable Parts of the Divine Liturgy January 21/22 for the Teal Pew Book 33rd Sunday After Pentecost/Zaccheus

Vigil Divine Liturgy: p. 104
Propers Tone 8: p. 159

Sunday Antiphons: p. 14
Hymn of the Incarnation: A p. 18
Troparion & Kontakion T8 p.161-2

Thrice Holy Hymn: B p. 28

Cherubikon: E p. 46

Creed: B p. 53

Holy, Holy, Holy: C p. 57

"We praise you, we bless you...": E p. 60

Our Father: Tone 8 p. 73

"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