



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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Epiphany of Our Lord is a parish in the Eparchy of Passaic, NJ <https://www.eparchyofpassaic.com>

—Schedule of Divine Services—

13TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; POST-FESTIVE DAY OF THE DORMITION; *Tone 4*

Saturday Aug. 17 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance*
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the conversion of the Willson Family by David & Sarah Malakauskas

Sunday Aug. 18 9–9:30AM Mystery of Repentance*
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish with the Office of Christian Initiation of Agnes Chandler (live streamed)
Epistle: 1Corinthians 16:13-24 & Matthew 21:33-42

Tuesday Aug. 20 **Post-Festive of Dormition; The Holy Prophet Samuel**
7:00PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Robert Bankert by Alvin Ren

Thursday Aug. 22 **Post-Festive of Dormition; The Holy Martyr Agathonicus & His Companions, The Passing of the Blessed Confessor Simeon Lukac, secret Bishop (1964)**
7:00PM Divine Liturgy for a Special Intention & the +Holy Souls in Purgatory by Antonia Reidy

Friday Aug. 23 **Leave-Taking of Dormition; The Holy Martyr Lupus** (simple abstinence from meat)

14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; RETURN OF THE RELICS OF THE HOLY APOSTLE BARTHOLOMEW; *Tone 5*

Saturday Aug. 24 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance*
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the conversion of Alyona Sekretareva by David & Sarah Malakauskas

Sunday Aug. 25 9–9:30AM Mystery of Repentance*
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: 2Corinthians 1:21-2:4 & Matthew 22:1-14
Panachida for the repose of +Randy Chancey by the Bragg Family

*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

Stewardship 8/11/2024
Offertory \$1,502
Online Giving \$1,170.03
Capital Improvement \$170
Dormition \$10

Aug Off. Total: \$8,148.55
Cap. Imp. Total: \$545
Dormition Total: \$10
Total August \$8,703.55
Aug. Op. Budget \$12,334

During the month of August, the Altar Lamp burns
before our Lord in the tabernacle for
+Mary Evan & +Linda Goodloe
by Nicholas & Susan Russo

***Bishop's Appeal Refund:** This past week we received our refund of \$5,038 from the 2024 Bishop's Appeal. This is because of our abundant generosity allowing us to exceed our goal. May God continue to bless us and our parish family.

***Bethany Ministry Request:** The Parish Bethany Ministry is requesting donations of prepared meals or gift cards (no groceries) for the Chandler family, to assist them in their journey with their newborn child. All donations may be brought to the church.

***90th Annual Pilgrimage:** The Sisters of Saint Basil the Great in Uniontown, PA are holding their 90th Annual Pilgrimage in Honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help over the Labor Day Weekend of Aug. 30 — Sept 2. This event is full of family time and liturgical services all over the grounds of Mount Macrina. If you haven't attended this wonderful event before, consider making it a part of your annual trips and vacations. There is dorm style lodging available on site, as well as areas to camp on site, and local hotels. All of our Ruthenian Bishops are present, and the event resembles a big Byzantine family reunion. More information is available on their website: <https://sister-sofstbasil.org>

***Congratulations to the Chandler Family!** Congratulations to the Chandler family on the Baptism and full Catholic Initiation of their first child, Agnes Armida

Chandler, and Sunday, August 18th! May God grant to the Chandler family, peace, health, and happiness, for many blessed years!

***New Groundskeeping Crew Members Needed:** We are in need a few more people to assist us in keeping the Epiphany grounds tidy and clean. There is currently a 4 week rotation, and this volunteer work saves the parish a large amount of money. Thank you for considering to assist the parish in this way. See Mike Madrigal or the office.

Eastern Catholic Formation: Soon, Karen Madrigal, our ECF coordinator, will be compiling the list of students for the 2024/25 ECF school year for children. If you are interested, please see Karen, or contact the parish office. Also, we will resume our Adult Education schedule to coincide with our ECF classes again this Fall.

Reprint of Casoslav Books: We have heard from Eastern Christian Publications, that they are currently reprinting the Casoslav, or Ruthenian Book of Hours. We were told that they should be completed within two months or so. Our bookshop will be purchasing a good stock of them to make them available.

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Those who are ill or convalescing: Fr. Robert Stash, Sally Baer, Cathy Bowen, John Grzincic, Andrew Reidy, Patricia Moyle, Robert Pardee, Mary Rinik, Mario Marione, Brenda Bryant, Ernie & Patricia Holewinski, John Gollner, Logan Camacho, John Rooth, Suzanne Pichnarcik, and Anna & Catherine 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, 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. Those seeking Sacramental Marriage should contact the parish 1 year in advance.

Upcoming Social Events

Sept. 1	Monthly Picnic with B-day and Ann. Celebration
Oct 6	Founder's Day Celebration!!!
Oct 12	Centennial Anniversary in Washington, DC
July 16	2025 Byzantine Catholic Metropolitan



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Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book August 17/18 13th Sunday & Post-Fest Dormition

Vigil Divine Liturgy: p. 104
Tone 4 p. 138

(Sun) Booklet for the Office of Christian Initiation
(Sun) Troparion T4 p. 141 & p. 352
(Sat) "Holy God..." B p. 28
(Sun) "All You Who Have Been Baptized": B p. 32
Cherubikon: A p. 42
Creed: A p. 51
Thrice Holy Hymn: p. A p. 56
We Praise You...: A p. 58
Our Father: Tone 4: p. 69
Communion Hymn: A p. 78
"We have seen...": B p. 83
"May Our Mouths be filled..": B p. 85
"Blessed be the Name of the Lord": B p. 88
Thanksgiving Prayers: p.95-96