



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN; THE HOLY MARTYR THEODOTUS OF ANCYRA

Saturday May 17 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
5:15PM Akathist to the Theotokos: Ikos 7-9
5:30PM Divine Liturgy with the Office of Christian Initiation of Clair Magdalene Paddock for The Garstin Family by the Bragg Family

Sunday May 18 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
9:45AM Akathist to the Theotokos: Ikos 7-9
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: Acts 11:19-26, 29-30; John 4:5-42
11:30AM Mother's Day Brunch, with Short Address from Thomas Hennessy

Tuesday May 20 **POST-FESTIVE MID-PENTECOST; THE HOLY MARTYR THALELEUS**
7:00PM Divine Liturgy for Kateri H. by the Bragg Family

Thursday May 22 **THE HOLY & RIGHTEOUS MELCHISEDEK, KING OF SALEM**
7:00PM Divine Liturgy in Honor of Saint Anne by James Reichard

Friday May 22 **OUR VENERABLE FATHER & CONFESSOR MICHAEL, BISHOP OF SYNNA**
(simple abstinence from meat)

SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND; THIRD FINDING OF THE HEAD OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

Saturday May 24 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
5:15PM Akathist to the Theotokos: Ikos 10-12
5:30PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Richard Murray by Gina & Ken Holewinski

Sunday May 25 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance
9:45AM Akathist to the Theotokos: Ikos 10-12
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: Acts 16:16-34 & 2Corinthians 4:6-15; John 9:6-15 & Matthew 11:2-15

*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

During the month of May, the Altar Lamp burns before
our Lord in the tabernacle for the repose of
+Hugh and +Sandra Fennell by Lorri Murray

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE PADDOCK FAMILY! We welcome into the Body of Christ through the full Office of Christian Initiation, Clair Magdalene Paddock, daughter to Joseph & Victoria Paddock. May God grant to His newly enlightened servant Clair, and the Paddock family, peace, health, and happiness, for many blessed years! Christ is Risen!

Stewardship 5/11/2025	May Off. Total:	\$6,826.45
Offertory \$1,785	Cap. Imp. Total:	\$350
Online Giving \$525	Sem. Coll.	\$200
Capital Improvement \$120	Total May	\$7,176.45
Seminary Collection \$200	May Op. Budget	\$11,515

CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

CHRISTÓS VOSKRÉSE! VOÍSTINNU VOSKRÉSE!

CRISTO HA RESUCITADO! EN VERDAD, ESTÁ RESUCITADO!

MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH: As we have for the past several years, we will hold a Mother's Day Brunch for our beloved mothers the Sunday After Mother's Day, to allow families to continue with their usual traditions. This means that we will need a lot of help from the MEN of our parish, to supply a memorable event for our parish mothers. We are asking for pot-luck brunch foods from the men for our mothers to eat, and a simple grilled lunch will be provided by the parish for all others.

LADIES GUILD FORMING: Several women in the parish have been planning for some time to organize and create a Ladies Guild. This organization can be many things, but ultimately, it will be a way for women of the parish to spend quality time with each-other, and assist the parish in it's many needs. If you are interested in joining, please contact Kerrie Pinkney at: 484-515-6308.

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Those who are ill or convalescing: Fr. Maximos, Patricia Rabayda, Tim Watson, Paul Cincoski, 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, John Rooth, 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, 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.*

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR GROUNDS CREW: Yes, it is that time of year again when we will be volunteering to help take care of our parish grounds. We still have a healthy crew who volunteer on a rotating schedule to cut the grass, clear debris, and blow the leaves around the whole property. Offering one's time and energy is a great way of donating to our parish; as this defers a large cost from using parish funds. Please see Mike Madrigal if you would like to be added to the rotation, or contact the parish office.

AKATHIST DURING MAY: It is long-standing Catholic (small t) tradition, that we venerate the Most Holy Theotokos during the month of May. So, starting 15 minutes before each weekend Divine Liturgy, we will pray the Akathist to the Theotokos. We will pray the beginning prayers, and each week we will cycle through the different Ikoi and Kontakia, and finish with the dismissal. By the end of May we will have prayed the entire service. Consider coming early to experience these beautiful and educational hymns.

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

May. 18	Mother's Day Brunch
June 8	Pentecost Sunday & Father's Day Picnic & Pentecost Kneeling Vespers
July 16	2025 Byzantine Catholic Metropolitan Assembly, Whiting, Indiana
Aug/Sept	31/01 Uniontown Pilgrimage

Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book May 10/11 Sunday of the Paralytic Man

Vigil Liturgy: Office of Christian Initiation Booklet

(Sun) 1st & 2nd Sun. Antiphons: p. 14

(Sun) Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19

(Sun) 3rd Sun. Antiphon: p. 22

(Sun) Entrance Hymn: p. 25

(Sun) Troparion & Kontakion Sam. Woman p. 187

"Holy God..." B p. 28

Cherubikon: B p. 43

Creed: B p. 52

Thrice Holy Hymn: p. A p. 56

We Praise You...: H p. 61

Our Father: Tone Paschal p. 167

Communion Hymn: B p. 78

instead of "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