

Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

17th Sunday After Pentecost; Tone 8; The Holy Martyr Charitina

Saturday Oct 4 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)

> Vigil Divine Liturgy for the Conversion of the Cutchin Family by the Malakauskas Family 5:30PM

Sunday Oct 5 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)

10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Gospel: Luke 6:31-36 Panachida for the Deceased Founders of Epiphany Parish

Founders' Day Festival & Octoberfest Picnic

Tuesday Oct 7 THE HOLY MARTYRS SERGIUS AND BACCHUS

7:00 PM Divine Liturgy for Mariana Felix by the Bragg Family

THE HOLY APOSTLE JAMES ALPHEUS. OUR VENERABLE FATHER ADRONICUS AND HIS Thursday Oct 9

WIFE ATHANASIA. OUR RIGHTEOUS FOREFATHER ABRAHAM AND HIS NEPHEW LOT.

THE HOLY MARTYR DENIS, BISHOP OF PARIS

7:00 PM Divine Liturgy for +Bernie & +Catherine Garcia & All Holy Souls by Antonia Reidy

Friday Oct 10 THE HOLY MARTYRS EULAMPIUS AND EULAMPIA (SIMPLE ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT)

18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; TONE 1; MEMORY OF THE FATHERS AT THE SEVENTH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

Mystery of Repentance (Confession) Saturday Oct 11 4:30-5PM

> Vigil Divine Liturgy for +William Tret Lemak by Gina & Ken Holewinski 5:30PM

9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance (Confession) Sunday Oct 12

> 10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish with the Office of Christian Initiation

of Mary Lou Chandler (live streamed)

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 9:6-11; Gospel: Luke 7:11-16

During the month of October, the Altar Lamp burns before our Lord in the tabernacle for

> +John Dernar Jr & +Jean Mary Dernar by John & Monica Dernar

> > \$238.54

Offertory

Online Giving

Stewardship 09/28/2025 Sept Off. Total: \$17,482.95 \$3768.00 Cap. Imp. Total: \$870.00 Sept. Total Capital Imp. \$450.00 \$18,352.95

Sept. Op. Budget \$11,699.15

FOUNDERS' DAY FESTIVAL: Our annual Founders' Day Festival is being celebrated with an Octoberfest theme (and other Slavic foods), this Sunday, October 5 after liturgy. Kerrie Pinkney has organized the event this year. We hope to see you there with all your friends!

THE PILGRIM VOCATION ICON PROGRAM: Beginning this Sunday, October 5, we will have a new icon on the tetrapod, The Pilgrim Vocation Icon. This is part of a

^{*}Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

traveling icon program that is meant to encourage us to pray for vocations more fervently. On Sunday, the entire Byzantine Catholic Church in America is beginning this registration form is encouraged to do so as soon as program. Each week, the icon is taken by a household in the parish. Those who accept the icon agree to pray during that time for religious and priestly vocations. Everyone in the parish is invited and encouraged to have tion is outdated. We use these forms to keep everyone's this icon in their home for one week, now through mid January. Prayer booklets will be provided to those who will be taking the icon home each week. We encourage anyone who is interested in praying more earnestly for vocations to sign up. Each Sunday liturgy for the next few months will have additional petitions for vocations, missal, the icon will be passed on to the next household on the list. It will then be prayed with by that household for the entire week, and will be returned to the tetrapod the following Sunday before liturgy begins. If you have any questions, you can ask Fr. Lewis.

2025 EPARCHIAL CENSUS: Throughout the month of October we will be taking a census of active parishioners the online version.

attending liturgy for the Eparchy of Passaic. Anyone in regular attendance who has not completed a parish possible. Those who have not filled out a new form in several years, or can't remember filling out a form are also encouraged to fill out a new one in case their informainformation up to date in our systems and the church directory for events like the upcoming parochial celebration of marriage anniversaries, so it is important to make sure we have the correct information. Parish registration forms can be found in the narthex on the shelf to the left of the Parish Office door. Please fill out the form in its and at the end of each Sunday liturgy just before the dis-entirety and turn it in to Fr. Lewis or one of the deacons. Thank you!

> BYZIKIDS OCTOBER 2025 EDITION: Step into the world of Queen Esther and discover her courage and faith through inspiring stories, creative crafts, exciting games, and delicious recipes! This issue is packed with faith-filled fun for everyone! Use the QR code to view





LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Those who are ill or convalescing: Paulo DosReis, Fr. Maximos, Patricia Rabayda, Tim Watson, Paul Cincoski, Fr. Robert Stash, Sally Baer, Cathy Bowen, Andrew Reidy, Patricia Moyle, Robert Pardee, Mary Rinik, Mario Marione, Ernie & Patricia Holewinski, John Gollner, Anna & Catherine Cospelich, and Anthony Regan. 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: Cadet Hanna Fuchko, Pvt. Bryan Buck, Sailor David Russo, and Cmdr. 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.



https://becomingbyzantine.updates.church

Upcoming Social Events

Oct. 5 Founders' Day Celebration

Nov. 2 Monthly Picnic

Dec. 7 Saint Nicholas Party

Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book Oct 4/5 17th Sunday After Pentecost

Vigil Liturgy begins on p. 104; Tone 8 on p. 159

(Sun) 1st & 2nd Antiphons: p. 14 (Sun) Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19 (Sun) 3rd Antiphon: p. 22 (Sun) Entrance Hymn: A p. 25 (Sun) Troparion & Kontakion: p. 161 "Holy God": Ep. 30 Prokeimenon & Alleluia: p162 Cherubikon: F p. 47 Creed: B p. 53 Triumphal Hymn: B p. 56 "We Praise You": F p. 60 "It is Truly Proper": p. 62 Our Father: Tone 8 p. 73 Communion Hymn: F p. 81 "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

Panachida for the deceased: p. 432