

## Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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### —Schedule of Divine Services—

21st Sunday After Pentecost; Tone 4; The Holy Martyrs Akindynos, Pegasius, Aphthonius,

**ELPIDIPHOR. & ANEMPODISTUS** 

Saturday Nov 1 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)

5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the Conversion of the Cutchin Family by Sandra Malaskauskas

**Sunday Nov 2** 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)

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

Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20; Gospel: Luke 8:26-39

11:30AM Monthly Blessings for Birthdays and Anniversaries

Monthly Picnic: Chili & Sides

Tuesday Nov 4 Our Venerable Father Joannicus the Great; The Holy Martyr Nicander,

BISHOP OF MYRA; THE PRIEST HERMAS

7:00PM Divine Liturgy for James & Theresa Reichard by the Bragg Family

Thursday Nov 6 Our Father Paul the Confessor, Archbishop of Constantinople

7:00PM Divine Liturgy for +Ann & +Tom Coulter; +All Holy Souls in Purgatory by Antonia Reidy

THE SYNAXIS OF THE HOLY ARCHANGEL MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELIC POWERS (SOLEMN HOLYDAY)

Friday Nov 7 7:00PM Great Vespers with Litija (SIMPLE ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT)

22ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; TONE 5; OUR VENERABLE MOTHER MATRONA; THE VENERABLE THEOCTISTA OF LESBOS

Saturday Nov 8 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)

5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the Garcia Family by Anonymous

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

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

Epistle: Galatians 6:11-18; Gospel: Luke 8:41-56

12:00PM Adult Education Class: Twelve Minor Prophets

Oct. Op. Budget \$11,772.83

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

+Deceased Members of the Bilyy Family+

by Ihor & Natalia Bilyy

 Stewardship 10/26/2025
 Oct. Off. Total:
 \$11,845.39

 Offertory
 \$1632.00
 Cap. Imp. Total:
 \$905.20

 Capital Imp.
 \$100.00
 Oct. Total
 \$12,750.59

\$238.54

Online Giving

**MONTHLY PICNIC:** After the Divine Liturgy this Sunday, November 2nd, everyone is invited to stay for our Monthly Parish Picnic. This month's theme is Chili and Sides.

**TIME CHANGE:** Time falls back an hour on Sunday November 2nd at 2AM. The 10AM Liturgy will feel like it's at 11AM. Please plan accordingly.

<sup>\*</sup>Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

LADIES GUILD: Any ladies in the church who would be 2025 ANNUAL BISHOPS APPEAL: The Eparchy of interested in having a luncheon with other ladies on a Saturday afternoon sometime this season to decompress If we reach our goal by June 1st 2026, we will receive a in between holidays are asked to contact Kerrie Pinkney. 40% rebate. We have met this goal 5 years running, so She is trying to see who is interested and what dates would work for the most people. This would be just a couple of hours on a Saturday afternoon to meet somewhere for lunch. Please call, text, or email her if you in the narthex on the shelf next to the office door. are interested (or ask around if you need her contact info).

**SOLEMN FEASTDAY:** Saturday, November 8th is the Solemn Feast of the Synaxis of the Archangel Michael and All the Angelic Powers.

Christian Tradition assigns to St. Michael four offices:

- 1) to fight against Satan
- 2) to rescue the souls of the faithful from the power of the devil
- 3) to be the champion of God's people
- 4) to summon men's souls from the earth and bring them to judgment.

St. Basil and other Greek Fathers place St. Michael over all the angels, calling him "Archangel." In the liturgy he is petitions for vocations, and at the end of each Sunday often called "Archistrategos—highest general." Oh Holy liturgy just before the dismissal, the icon will be passed Archangel Michael, defend us in battle...

STEWARDSHIP CORRECTION: Last week's stewardship will be returned to the tetrapod the following Sunday numbers were entered incorrectly into the bulletin; the current stewardship numbers reflect the correct amounts, verified by deposit slips and counting sheets. The correct amount is higher! Apologies for the error.

Passaic's annual appeal has begun. Our goal is \$10,800. giving to the Bishop's Appeal is giving to our parish! Anyone who has not received an envelope in the mail for the Bishop's Appeal that would like one can pick one up

THE PILGRIM VOCATION ICON PROGRAM: You may have noticed a new icon on the tetrapod, The Pilgrim Vocation Icon. This is part of a traveling icon program that is meant to encourage us to pray for vocations more fervently. 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 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. Each Sunday liturgy for the next few months will have additional on to the next household on the list. It will then be prayed with by that household for the entire week, and before liturgy. All slots have been filled!

**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, Anthony Regan, and Marisol Reyes. May our Lord Jesus Christ, the Physician and Healer of souls and bodies, grant them peace and good health for many blessed years.

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.



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#### **Upcoming Social Events**

Nov. 2 Monthly Picnic

Dec. 7 Saint Nicholas Party

# Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book (Nov 1/2) 21st Sunday After Pentecost

Vigil Liturgy begins on p. 104; Tone 4 on p. 138

(Sun) 1st & 2nd Antiphons: p. 14 (Sun) Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19 (Sun) 3<sup>rd</sup> Antiphon: p. 22 (Sun) Entrance Hymn: A p. 25 (Sun) Troparion & Kontakion: p 141 "Holy God": E p. 30 Prokeimenon & Alleluia: p142 Cherubikon: D p. 45 Creed: B p. 53 Triumphal Hymn: C p. 57 "We Praise You": D p. 59 "It is Truly Proper": p. 62 Our Father: Tone 4 p. 69 Communion Hymn: D p. 79 "We have seen...": A p. 82 "May Our Mouths be filled": B p. 85 "Blessed be the Name of the Lord": C p. 88

Thanksgiving Prayers: p.95-96