



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; LEAVE-TAKING OF DORMITION; TONE 4; THE HOLY MARTYR LUPUS

Saturday Aug 22 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
5:30PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Thomas & +Anne Coulter & All the Holy Souls by Antonia Reidy

Sunday Aug 23 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: 1 Corinthians 16:13-24; Gospel: Matthew 21:33-42
Panachida for the repose of +Fr. Mark Shuey UGCC by George Petryk
12NOON Adult Education Class: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday Aug 26 **THE HOLY MARTYRS ADRIAN & NATALIA**
12NOON Divine Liturgy for a special intention of Patricia Rabayda

Friday Aug 28 **THE BEHEADING OF JOHN THE BAPTIST** (Simple Holyday)
7PM Great Vespers with Litija

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; POST-FESTIVE DAY OF THE BEHEADING OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

Saturday Aug 29 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
5:30PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Mickey & +Hilda Camargo by Antonia Reidy

Sunday Aug 30 9-9:30AM Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)
Epistle: 2 Corinthians 1:21-2:4; Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14
12NOON Adult Education Class: Divine Liturgy

*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

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

+Irene Russo, +Mary Ellen Evan, & +Linda Goodloe
by Nick Russo

tin emails. If you are not yet receiving our weekly email, please contact the parish office to join our list. We are also requesting that those in the directory, please edit your desired information, and **Please Add a Photo**, so other parishioners can better get to know you!

Stewardship 08/09/2026	Aug Off. Total:	\$9,395.57
Offertory \$948.00	Cap. Imp. Total:	\$1,025.00
Online Giving \$353.54	Aug Total	\$10,420.57
Capital Imp. \$120.00	Aug Op. Budget	\$12,237

UNIONTOWN PILGRIMAGE: The Annual Pilgrimage in Honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help is being held again at Mount Saint Macrina, Uniontown, PA from September 4-6.

ONLINE CHURCH DIRECTORY: Some newer members may not be aware of our online church directory. The address is above in the bulletin header: www.instantchurchdirectory.com One can log in with the email address on file with the parish, and the one you receive our weekly bulletin

SEPTEMBER PICNIC: We will celebrate our September picnic on Sunday, Sept. 6. The theme will be Summer Salads, and the parish will provide chicken salad with rolls, and drinks. Please consider attending this event with your family and

friends and bring items such as: fruit salads, veggie salads, bean salads, chips, pretzels, and desserts. For any questions, suggestions, or recipes, please contact Joe Atkins at 770-712-0261. We will have many guests joining us on this day, as they will have been attending the Crowning in Marriage of Daniel Synoski and Abigail Francis the day before.

SIMPLE HOLYDAY: Saturday, August 29th is the commemoration of the Beheading of the Holy Prophet, Forerunner, & Baptist John. Because it falls on a Saturday, we will celebrate Great Vespers the night before. The Feast itself, is traditionally commemorated with a strict fast, no meat or dairy, and some local traditions also abstain from foods served on a plate or in the shape of a head (spherical). It is not a required fast of our Metropolia.

ICON DONATIONS! We are overwhelmed at the very quick and very generous donations received for our new outdoor icons! All costs have been covered and the Register of Special Gifts has been updated. May God bless you all for your generosity!

BISHOP’S APPEAL REFUND RECEIVED! Because of all of our generous support of our Eparchy’s Bishop’s Appeal, we have exceeded our goal, and we have now been issued our 40% rebate totaling \$5,150. May God bless you all and our parish for your generosity!

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Those who are ill or convalescing: Sally Baer, Cathy Bowen, Anna & Catherine Cospelich, Paulo DosReis, Ernie & Patricia Holewinski, Anastasios Katakallides, Katherine Lydon, Mario Marione, Fr. Maximos, Steven McCaffery, Joan Miller, Patricia Moyle, Bob Peterson, Patricia Rabayda, Andrew Reidy, Marisol Reyes, Allyson Scalzi, Haggai Sikalumbi, Fr. Robert Stash, Will Saint-Fleur, Marie Warnicke, and Tim Watson. *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: Pvt. Bryan Buck, 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.*

**Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book
August 22/23 13th Sunday After Pentecost**

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

- (Sun) Sunday Antiphons: p. 14
- (Sun) Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19
- (Sun) 3rd Sunday Antiphon: p. 22
- (Sun) Entrance Hymn: A p. 25
- (Sun) Troparia & Kontakia: p. 141 & Handout
“Holy God:” E p. 30
- Prokeimenon & Alleluia: See Handout
- Cherubikon: F p. 47
- Creed: B p. 52
- Thrice Holy Hymn: B p. 56
- “We Praise You...” F p. 60
- Magnification & Irmos: p. 353 & See Handout
- Our Father: Tone 4 p. 69
- Communion Hymn: F p. 81 & Handout
- “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
- Panachida for the deceased: p. 432

Upcoming Social Events

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| Sept. 6 | Monthly Pot-Luck Picnic |
| Oct. 4 | Founder’s Day Celebration; Oktoberfest |

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.