



# Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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## —Schedule of Divine Services—

### **SUNDAY AFTER THEOPHANY; TONE 6; OUR VENERABLE FATHER THEODOSIUS, FOUNDER OF THE COMMON LIFE**

<b>Saturday Jan 10</b>	4:30-5PM	Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
	5:30PM	Vigil Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish
<b>Sunday Jan 11</b>	9-9:30AM	Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
	10:00AM	Divine Liturgy for +Delmi Huizar Sanchez by the Bragg Family (live streamed) Epistle: Ephesians 4:7-13, 2 Corinthians 4:6-15; Gospel: Matthew 4:12-17, Matthew 11:27-30

<b>Tuesday Jan 13</b>		<b>POSTFESTIVE DAY OF THEOPHANY; THE HOLY MARTYRS HERMYLAUS AND STRATONICUS; OUR VENERABLE FATHER HILARY, BISHOP OF POITIERS</b>
	7:00PM	Divine Liturgy for +Dan Travers & All Holy Souls in Purgatory by Antonia Reidy

<b>Thursday Jan 15</b>	7:00PM	<b>OUR VENERABLE FATHERS PAUL OF THEBES AND JOHN THE HUT-DWELLER</b>
		Divine Liturgy for Albert Meek by Ralph Regan

<b>Friday Jan 16</b>		<b>VENERATION OF THE CHAINS OF THE HOLY, GLORIOUS, &amp; ILLUSTRIOS APOSTLE PETER (SIMPLE ABSTINENCE)</b>
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### **SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS; TONE 7; OUR HOLY FATHERS ATHANASIUS AND CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA**

<b>Saturday Jan 17</b>	5:30PM	Typica (Deacon-led Eucharistic service in the absence of a priest)
<b>Sunday Jan 18</b>	9-9:30AM	Mystery of Repentance (Confession)
	10:00AM	Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed) Epistle: 1 Timothy 4:9-15, Hebrews 13:7-16; Gospel: Luke 19:1-10, Matthew 5:14-19

\*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

During the month of January, the Altar Lamp burns  
before our Lord in the tabernacle for the  
**Living and Deceased Members of David & Catherine Mott's Families by David and Catherine Mott**

**MARRIAGE JUBILEE:** Father Lewis will be flying to Orlando, FL on Friday to attend the Southern Syncellate Marriage Jubilee Liturgy. The Liturgy is on Saturday the 17th, and Father Lewis will be returning late that same evening. The Saturday vigil liturgy at Epiphany will be replaced with the deacon-led Typica Eucharistic Service, so there will be no confessions Saturday night. Sunday morning Liturgy will proceed as usual.

<b>Stewardship 01/04/2026</b>	<b>Jan. Off. Total:</b>	<b>\$3451.93</b>	
Offertory	\$2785.00	Cap. Imp. Total:	\$5330.00
Capital Imp.	\$5330.00	Jan. Total	\$8781.93
Online Giving	\$666.93	Jan. Op. Budget	\$12,388.24

**HOUSE BLESSINGS:** It is customary to bless our homes each year with the fresh Jordan Water blessed on Theophany. If you would like your home blessed, please contact the parish office to set an appointment.

**ADULT EDUCATION CLASS:** The tentative restart date for the class on the minor prophets is January 18, 2026.

**CLASS FOR NEW DADS:** Fathers young (and old) are invited to join parishioner John Fuchko for a class after Divine Liturgy on January 25, February 1, and February 8. John will share perspectives grounded in our Catechism, Scripture, and in his own experience as a father of 12. Of course, no one is excluded from attending, but this class will be focused on young men adjusting to fatherhood or preparing to do so.

**2025 ANNUAL BISHOPS APPEAL:** Our goal is the same as the last few years, \$10,800. If we reach our goal by June 1 2026, we will receive a 40% rebate. We have met this goal 5 years running, so giving to the Bishop's Appeal is giving to our parish! Please let us know if you need an envelope, we have them in the office. **So far 15 families have donated a total of \$5,450!**

**NEW SHED COMING SOON:** In late January 2026, the new shed will be installed. The shed will eventually have electricity and will be climate controlled. This will help us store all of our decorations, lawn care equipment, and tools so that we can declutter the narthex and choir loft! In your offertory envelopes you should see Capital Improvement envelopes as well. Those can be used to give toward this and other improvement projects that we have coming over the next several months.

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#### LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

**Those who are ill or convalescing:** Sally Baer, Cathy Bowen, Paul Cincoski, Anna & Catherine Cospelich, Robert Scott DeBell, Paulo DosReis, Angela Free, Ernie & Patricia Holewinski, Katherine Lydon, Mario Marione, Fr. Maximos, Patricia Moyle, Patricia Rabayda, Andrew Reidy, Anthony Regan, Marisol Reyes, Mary Rinik, Fr. Robert Stash, Will Saint-Fleur, 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.



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#### 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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INITIAL & POST-BAPTISMAL CATECHESIS

<https://becomingbyzantine.updates.church>

## Upcoming Social Events

Feb 8      Meatfare Picnic

Feb 15      Cheesefare Picnic

## Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book (Jan 10/11) Sunday After Theophany

Vigil Liturgy begins on p. 104;  
Tone 6 on p. 149

(Sun) 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Antiphons: See Handout

(Sun) Hymn of the Incarnation: A p. 18

(Sun) 3<sup>rd</sup> Antiphon: See Handout

(Sun) Entrance Hymn: See Handout

(Sun) Troparion & Kontakion See Handout

"Holy God": B p. 28

Prokeimenon & Alleluia: See Handout

Cherubikon: Same Melody as Communion Hymn

Creed: B p. 53

Triumphal Hymn: B p. 56

"We Praise You": Same Melody as Communion Hymn

Magnification & Irmos: See Handout

Our Father: Tone 6 p. 71

Communion Hymn: See 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

Beneath Your Compassion: p. 454