



# Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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Epiphany of Our Lord is a parish in the Eparchy of Passaic, NJ https://www.eparchyofpassaic.com

## —Schedule of Divine Services—

### 29TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST; Feast of the Maternity of the Holy Anna; *Tone 4*

**Saturday Dec. 7** 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance\*  
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Gayla Herbel by Sandra Malakauskas

**Sunday Dec. 8** 9–9:30AM Mystery of Repentance\*  
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)  
Epistle: Colossians 3:12-16 & Galatians 4:22-3  
Luke 17:12-19 & Luke 8:16-21  
12NOON—2PM Saint Nicholas Celebration at St. John Chrysostom Melkite Catholic Church

**Wensday Dec. 11** **OUR VENERABLE FATHER DANIEL THE STYLITE**  
7:00PM Emmanuel Moleben for the Phillips Fast (5)

**Thursday Dec. 12** **OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE**  
7:00PM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Bernie & +Catherine Garcia by Antonia Reidy  
Panachida for the repose of +Daniel Rabayda

**Friday Dec. 13** **OUR VENERABLE FATHER ALYPIUS THE STYLITE** (simple abstinence from meat)

### SUNDAY OF THE FOREFATHERS; *Tone 5*

**Saturday Dec. 14** 4:30-5PM Mystery of Repentance\*  
5:30PM Vigil Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Patricia Reidy, Martha Rini, & +Mary Lou Rini  
by Antonia Reidy

**Sunday Dec. 15** 9–9:30AM Mystery of Repentance\*  
10:00AM Divine Liturgy for the faithful of Epiphany Parish (live streamed)  
Epistle: Colossians 3:4-11 (29th) Luke 14:16-24 (28th)  
11:45AM Adult Education

\*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment

<b>Stewardship 12/01/2024</b>	<b>Dec. Off. Total:</b>	<b>\$2,048</b>
Offertory \$1,788	<b>Cap. Imp. Total:</b>	<b>\$265</b>
Online Giving \$260	<b>Phillips Fast</b>	<b>\$00</b>
Capital Improvement \$265	<b>Thanksgiving</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Phillips Fast \$00	<b>Total Dec.</b>	<b>\$2,313</b>
Thanksgiving \$50	Nov. Op. Budget	\$10,221
Arch. Military \$00		

During the month of December, the Altar Lamp burns  
before our Lord in the tabernacle for  
**Tymchyshyn Family living and deceased**  
by George Tymchyshyn

**\*Christmas Decorating:** Thank you so much to all who helped to make our parish beautiful for the glorious Nativity Season!

**2024 ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL BEGINS:** The Eparchy of Passaic's annual appeal begins this week. Our goal is the same as last year, \$10,800, and if we reach our goal, we will receive a 40% rebate, just as we have in the past 4 years. So, giving to the Bishop's Appeal is giving to our parish!

**\*NOW ACCEPTING ALTAR LAMP MEMORIAL DONATIONS:** We are now accepting Altar Lamp memorial donations for the months of 2025. The suggested offering is \$50 and may be for living, deceased, or both. Remaining Months are: April, August, September, October, & November.

**\*HOLYDAY OF THE AMERICAS:** December 12 is the commemoration of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

**\*UPLIGHTING FIXED:** The landscape uplighting around the church was been repaired. However, one may notice a color temperature change in the steeple lights, this was not a mistake made by us but by a third party, and will be rectified soon. The contract has also been signed for all parking lot areas as well as walkways to be illuminated as well. God-willing, this will be accomplished in time for Christmas!

**LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER:** Those who are ill or convalescing: Susan Russo, 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, Suzanne Pichnarcik, 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, Sergeant Francis "Joseph" Fuchko, 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.*

**2024 St. Nicholas Event:** This year we will be joining our Melkite Byzantine Catholic brethren at their parish hall for a joint St. Nicholas celebration on Sunday, December 8 at 12NOON. We realize that this may be an extra drive for some parishioners, but it will be a very joyous event for us to meet other Byzantine Catholic families and share in this favorite feast. We will have our liturgy here at Epiphany, then those who wish to attend, may meet us at St. John Chrysostom Melkite Catholic Church, 1428 Ponce De Leon Ave NE, Atlanta, GA 30307. Please visit: <https://forms.gle/rwQe7yZzR8X-pbpYS7> to sign up for your food dish.

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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.

### Upcoming Social Events

Dec. 8 St. Nicholas event, at Melkite Parish  
July 16 2025 Byzantine Catholic Metropolitan  
Assembly, Whiting, Indiana



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### Changeable Parts in the Teal Pew Book Dec 7/8 29th Sunday, Maternity of Anna

Vigil Divine Liturgy: p. 104  
—See handout for propers—

(Sun) 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Typical Psalm: A p. 16  
(Sun) Hymn of the Incarnation: B p. 19  
(Sun) Beatitudes: p. 23  
(Sun) Entrance Hymn: p. 25  
(Sun) Troparion & Kontakion T4 p. 141 & handout or p. 277  
"Holy God..." B p. 28  
Cherubikon: St. Nicholas Version p. 275-6  
Creed: Ap. 51  
Thrice Holy Hymn: p. A p. 56  
We Praise You...: St. Nicholas Version p. 276  
Our Father: Tone 4 p. 69  
Communion Hymn: 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