

ST. NICHOLAS

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Liturgical services for the week of October 3 – October 10, 2021

19th Sunday after Pentecost

Festal Anointing following the weekend Divine Liturgies in honor of the Feast of the Birth of the Theotokos

Saturday	October 2, 2021	Tone 2, p. 130
	3:00-3:30 PM	Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession)
	4:00 PM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) <i>Health and Blessings for the Parish Family of Assumption of the Virgin Mary Church and St. Nicholas Church</i>
Sunday	October 3, 2021	Tone 2, p. 130
	8:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) <i>In Memory of +John Telencio requested by Ken and Carol Reichmann</i>
	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) – Livestreamed <i>Health and Blessings for the 55th Wedding Anniversary of Richard and Christine Popso</i>
Saturday	October 9, 2021	19th Sunday after Pentecost Tone 3, p. 135
	3:00-3:30 PM	Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession)
	4:00 PM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) <i>In Memory of +Dorothy Guidusko requested by Mary Young</i>
Sunday	October 10, 2021	Tone 2, p. 135
	8:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) <i>Health and Blessings for the Parish Family of Assumption of the Virgin Mary Church and St. Nicholas Church</i>
	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) – Livestreamed <i>In Memory of +Joseph and +Veronica Kasian requested by the Kasian Family</i>

“My house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.” - Isaiah 56: 7

If you are a visitor to St. Nicholas Parish, we want you to know how welcome you are; whether you have come from another part of the country, from across the world, or simply from another parish. We hope you find our worship true and reverent and our people here friendly and cordial. If you are seeking a spiritual home, we would be honored by your presence in our family. For more information about becoming a parishioner, please see Fr. Yuriy.

Post-picnic Survey

Parishioners, as we appreciate your support of our picnic, we would also appreciate your feedback. In the coming weeks, a survey will be distributed requesting your feedback regarding our picnic events. The survey will also be available online. We look forward to your valuable responses!

Mask Wearing in Church: Should I or Shouldn't I?

The June 2021 edition of the Eastern Catholic Life newspaper contained updated guidelines concerning the pandemic. Bishop Kurt states that people are free to wear a mask for personal protection or as a courtesy to the vulnerable. To protect our vulnerable parishioners, we strongly encourage our parishioners who are not vaccinated to wear a mask during Liturgy or other indoor church activities.

BECOMING BYZANTINE - Free Webinar Series

JOIN US FOR A FREE WEBINAR SERIES ON THE LIGHT OF THE BYZANTINE EAST!
Are you a Western Christian (Catholic or Protestant) who is interested in exploring the Byzantine Catholic faith for your own development in faith?
Are you contemplating joining or have you recently joined a Byzantine or Greek Catholic parish?
Are you a Byzantine Christian who wants to learn more about your own rich tradition?
Join us for a series of Free 90-Minute Webinars on BECOMING BYZANTINE: An Introduction to Byzantine Catholic Faith, Worship, and Life Based on the Christ our Pascha Catechism offered through a free webinar series and pre-recorded video lessons.

Registration here:

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/vineyardofthelordcatholicministries/561626>

Reading Plan here:

<https://www.sscyrilmethodius.org/wp-prod/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Becoming-Byzantine-Reading-Plan.pdf>

Vocations Discernment

The Byzantine Catholic Seminary of Saints Cyril and Methodius is hosting a "Come and See" weekend for men ages 18 to 35 who are fully vaccinated and who may be considering a vocation to the priesthood in the Byzantine Catholic Church. The event runs from 5 pm on Friday evening, November 5 through 4 pm on Sunday afternoon, November 7, 2021 at the Seminary (3605 Perrysville Avenue) in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The weekend retreat is free of charge and will include sharing liturgical services and meals with the Seminary community, an introduction to the Seminary formation program, a tour of the Seminary, gatherings with the Seminarians, talks, and a panel discussion. The retreat is conducted in a "no pressure, no hard-sell" environment. The atmosphere is prayerful, positive, and fraternal. Any man seeking further information or wishing to register for this "Come and See" retreat of discovery is encouraged to contact his vocation director and use the online registration at www.bcs.edu. Deadline for registrations is October 13, 2021.