

# ST. NICHOLAS BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Saturday	October 9,2021	Tone 3, p. 135
	3:00-3:30 PM	Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession)
	4:00 PM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary)
		In Memory of +Dorothy Guidusko requested by Mary Young
Sunday	October 10,2021	Tone 3, p. 135
	8:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas)
		Health and Blessings for the Parish Family of Assumption of the Virgin Mary
		Church and St. Nicholas Church
	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) – Livestreamed
		In Memory of +Joseph and +Veronica Kasian requested by the Kasian Family
21st Sunday after Pentecost		
Saturday	October 16,2021	Tone 4, p. 141 & p.263
	3:00-3:30 PM	Mystery of Reconciliation (Confession)
	4:00 PM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary)
		In Memory of +Frank and +Francis Pellitteri requested by Gerard and Joan
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Sunday	October 17,2021	Tone 4, p. 141 & p.263
	8:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas)
		Health and Blessings for the Parish Family of Assumption of the Virgin Mary
		Church and St. Nicholas Church
	10:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) – Livestreamed
		Health and Blessings for the 70th Wedding Anniversary of Helen & David
		Bradbury requested by Ann Hegner and Mary Dargay

### "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

#### Donations to St. Nicholas Church:

\$25 Marta and Robert Popso

May God bless you all for your generous heart!!!

# Nouwen Meditation: Accept Your Identity as a Child of God

Your true identity is as a child of God. This is the identity you have to accept. Once you have claimed it and settled in it, you can live in a world that gives you much joy as well as pain. You can receive the praise as well as the b'lame that comes to you as an opportunity for strengthening your basic identity, because the identity that makes you free is anchored beyond all human praise and blame. You belong to God, and it is as a child of God that you are sent into the world.