

ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY
BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH |

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SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE SIX ECUMENICAL COUNCILS

Saturday	July 18, 2026	NO DIVINE LITURGY
Sunday	July 19, 2026	Tone 7, p. 156, p. 341 1Cor 1:10-18 Gospel reading: Mt 14:14-22
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) In memory of +John Jakim requested by Bernadine Jakim
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) (Livestreamed) Health and Blessings for the Parish Families of Assumption of the Virgin Mary and St. Nicholas Church Please join us for Coffee Social after the Divine Liturgy (Assumption)
9th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST		
Saturday	July 25, 2026	NO DIVINE LITURGY
Sunday	July 26, 2026	Tone 8, p. 161 1Cor 1:9-17 Gospel reading: Mt 14:22-34
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) Health and Blessings for the Parish Families of Assumption of the Virgin Mary and St. Nicholas Church
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) (Livestreamed) In memory of +Thomas Petty requested by Anna Jane Petty; Thomas, Gwenn Chloe and Amy Petty

ETERNAL LAMP CANDLE REMEMBRANCE – THE ETERNAL LAMP – The eternal lamp is offered from July 19th to August 1st in memory of +Anne Telencio offered by Gloria Telencio

ADOPT-A-SHRUB TODAY! – The shrubs, ornamental grasses and Crepe Myrtles that were planted to beautify our parking lot need your help. You are invited to adopt one or more of the 15 plants. When you come to services, bring a jug of water to water your plant. To ensure every plant is watered, Maryann and Stephanie will assist with plant adoptions this Sunday. Keep them hydrated until September, then nature will take over. The dead plants will be replaced in the Fall. Thank you for your assistance with the care of our parking lot.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS	
Weekly average needed to meet budget: (to keep lights on & doors open only)	\$4,230
Total collection for July 12, 2026	\$1,816
2024-2025 shortfall	-\$90,619
Overage/shortfall* this week	-\$2,414
Running total of overage/shortfall*	-\$22,255
*Any shortfall must be made up by transferring money from savings.	

LUNCHEON TICKETS TO BE AVAILABLE - All are invited to attend a Divine Liturgy and a luncheon to honor the Dormition of the Theotokos on Sunday, August 16, 2026 in Trenton. The Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 10:00 am with the luncheon beginning at approximately 11:30 am. Tickets will go on sale after the Divine Liturgies next Sunday, July 26, 2026 and will be available until August 9, 2026. The price for everyone over the age of 12 is \$25.00. Children under the age of 12 are free. Everyone will receive a ticket for an accurate count for ordering. Please don't miss this wonderful event to engage our parish community and honor our Mother, the Theotokos, in a special way.

CALLING ALL BAKERS FOR THE LUNCHEON! Please join with other parish bakers and bring your favorite dessert to the Dormition Luncheon. The Dessert Table continues to be an overwhelming success. Feel free to notify the ticket seller that you will be baking. You can also contact the Church Office at (609) 394-5025 or email your interest at stmarybyzcatholic@gmail.com no later than August 11, 2026. Thank you for your support in this sweet tradition.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT– REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN: We are excited to announce that registration is now open for our Vacation Bible School, which will take place August 11–13 for children ages 4–11. Youth ages 12 and older are warmly invited to participate as junior counselors and volunteers. To register your child, please scan the QR code provided. We encourage you to register early so we can plan accordingly and make this a wonderful experience for all participants. We look forward to seeing your children at Vacation Bible School!



TEMPORARY ABSENCE OF FR. YURIY – We would like to inform you that Fr. Yuriy will be away during the month of July. In the event of an emergency, please contact Fr. Vasyl Remitskyy. The best way to reach him is by text message or by calling (908) 708-4379. Please note that the parish office will continue to operate as usual during this time. Kindly keep Fr. Yuriy and his family in your prayers for safe travels and a blessed time away.

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISHIONERS – We would kindly ask you to remember in the charity of your prayers the members of our parish families who are ill, are confined to home, in a healthcare facility or in the hospital. Especially please remember Louise Breza, Kathleen Breza, Joseph Maksimow, Margaret Dusichka, Michael Dziubas, Ann Hegner, William Hutman, Anna Jane Petty, John Soganic, Michael Smoliga, Gregory Feher and MaryAnn Walsh. May Our Lord, Physician of souls and bodies, extend His healing hand to ease their every pain and suffering. May He grant them healing, strength and spiritual comfort. (If we missed someone, please let us know by calling 609-394-5025 or email us at stmarybyzcatholic@gmail.com).

WELCOME, FATHER JAMES! – The parish families of Assumption and St. Nichoas Church welcome the return of Fr. James Spera for the month of July while Fr. Yuriy and his family are away on vacation. Thank you, Fr. James for celebrating the Divine Liturgy with us. May God Grant You Many Years!

GCU NEWS – JULY EVENTS

Saturday, July 25, 2026, 6:00 pm Trenton Thunder Game, Faith and Family Night. Cost for GCU members is \$5 per ticket; non-member ticket price is \$14.

SAVE THE DATE - - Joshua at Sight & Sound, October 13, 202
Contact Cyndi for more information: 609 356-9440

Readers – Assumption of the Virgin Mary		
July 19	Sunday	Stephanie Hennessey
July 26	Sunday	Andrew Skitko