ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH



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PENTECOST SUNDAY - The Kneeling Prayers of Pentecost - Holy Anointing

Saturday	June 7,2025	Festal Tone p. 203 Epistle: Acts 2:1-11, Gospel reading: John 7:37-52&8-12		
		5 th All Souls Saturday		
	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) For the deceased, followed by Panachida and the reading of the Hramoty		
	3:00 – 3:30 pm	Mystery of Reconciliation (St. Mary)		
		Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) Health and Blessings for Mary Ann Kegg requested by Catherine Katona		
Sunday	June 8,2025	Festal Tone p. 203 Epistle: Acts 2:1-11, Gospel reading: John 7:37-52&8-12		
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) Health and Blessings for the Parish Families of Assumption of the Virgin Mary and St. Nicholas Church Panachida and the reading of the Hramoty		
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) – Livestreamed Health and Blessings for Lisa Remm for her birthday requested by Gloria Telencio Baptism and Chrismation of Rowan Maria Farr-Perez and Breogan Theodor Farr-Perez		
		Sunday Of All Saints – Father's Day		
Saturday	June 14,2025	Tone 8, p. 161 & Festal Tone p. 211 Epistle: Heb 11:32-12:2a Gospel reading: Mt 10:32-33, 37-38 & 19:27-30		
	3:00 – 3:30 pm	Mystery of Reconciliation (St. Mary)		
	4:00 pm	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) Health and Blessings for Mary Ann Kegg requested by Gloria Telencio		
Sunday	June 15,2025	Tone 8, p. 161 & Festal Tone p. 211 Epistle: Heb 11:32-12:2a Gospel reading: Mt 10:32-33, 37-38 & 19:27-30		
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Nicholas) In memory of our Fathers/ Health and Blessings for our Fathers Panachida and the reading of the Hramoty		
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary) – Livestreamed In memory of our Fathers/ Health and Blessings for our Fathers Panachida and the reading of the Hramoty		

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS				
Weekly average needed to meet budget:	\$4,230			
(to keep lights on & doors open only)				
Total collection for May 31-June 1	\$2,111			
Donations				
2024 shortfall	-\$57,333			
Overage/shortfall* this week	-\$2,119			
Running total of overage/shortfall*	-\$16,043			
*Any shortfall must be made up by transferring money from savings.				

BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION ANNOUNCEMENT – We joyfully announce the upcoming Baptism and Chrismation of Breogan Theodor Farr-Perez and Rowan Maria Farr-Perez, which will take place on Saturday, June 8, during the 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy for the Feast of Pentecost.

The Farr-Perez family warmly invites parishioners to join them in celebrating this blessed occasion with a reception following the Liturgy in the St. Mary Parish Center.

Let us surround Breogan and Rowan with our prayers and love as they are welcomed into the life of Christ and His Church through the holy mysteries!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! – This weekend is the final opportunity to sign up as a volunteer for the First Responders Appreciation Day to be held on Saturday, June 14, 2025 from 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM in St. Mary Parish Parking Lot, Trenton. This event will highlight and support the brave men and women who serve our community. Area social agencies are also attending to share information about their services to our neighbors around the church. Volunteers are needed in various capacities the day before and the day of the event. Please sign up in the rear of the church. **Volunteers will be able to park in the Winowicz Funeral Home parking lot on the day of the event.**

KIDS-SAVE THE DATE!! – We're excited to announce our very own three-day Vacation Bible School (VBS) this summer! Kids ages 4–10 are invited to join us July 9–11, from 9:00 AM–12:00 PM at St. Nicholas in Roebling for songs, crafts, Bible stories, and fun activities—all focused on following Jesus.



A celebration picnic will follow the final session, and families are welcome! We're also looking for teen and young adult volunteers to help run activities.

Registration is open now through June 15. Scan the QR code or use the link in the bulletin to sign up. We hope to see you there

Save the Date! – First Responders Appreciation Day – Join us as we honor and thank our local heroes! Saturday, June 14, 2025; 11:30 AM – 2:30 PM; St. Mary Parish Parking Lot, Trenton Come show your support for the brave men and women who serve our community! More details to follow.

LITURGY ETERNAL LAMP CANDLE REMEMBRANCE – THE ETERNAL LAMP – is offered from June 8, 2025 through June 21, 2025 for the Health and Blessings of Lisa Remm offered by Stephanie Hennessey.

CALENDAR UPDATED! Dates to Remember in 2025:

Saturday, June 14, 2025 – First Responders Appreciation Day at St. Mary parking lot in Trenton **July 9-11, 2025** – Vacation Bible School (kids age 5-10) (Roebling, NJ)

Monday, July 14, 2025 – Memorial Liturgy for Bishop Milan Šašik. Bishop Kurt will preside at the Liturgy. (St. Mary)

Sunday, August 17, 2025 – Assumption Feast Luncheon (St. Mary)

Readers – Assumption of the Virgin Mary

Date	Day	Reader
June 7	Saturday	Christopher Hoare
June 8	Sunday	Andrew Skitko
June 14	Saturday	Anna Jane Petty
June 15	Sunday	Stephanie Hennessey
June 21	Saturday	Gregory Embley
June 22	Sunday	Andrew Skitko
June 28	Saturday	Christopher Hoare
June 29	Sunday	Stephanie Hennessey

