

# ST. JOHN THE RAPTIST BYZANTINE RUTHENIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Confessions**: half an hour before/ after each service or by appointment

Sunday Liturgy: 9.30AM

Weekday Liturgy: as scheduled in the

bulletin

Sick Calls: As scheduled,

or anytime in case of an emergency Readings and Music March 23: Heb 4:14-5:6; Mark 8:34-9:1

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### WELCOME TO ST JOHN'S

"For my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples" (Isaiah 56:7) We welcome all visitors and new members to our parish family and hope you will become an active part of our parish community by participating fully in our spiritual and social life. We are delighted to welcome you! With faith, hope, and love as we continue our journey together,

Fr Gregory and parish family

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE MARCH 23-30

**Sunday March 23** – Third Sunday of the Great Fast – Veneration of the Cross

9.00am – Matins

9.30am - Divine Liturgy, +Lillian Baron, by Shirley Sedlock

## **Tuesday March 25** – Annunciation of the Theotoko

6.00pm - Vespers with the Divine Liturgy of St John Chrysostom, +Nick Bove, Sr., w Panachida, by Nick and Martine Bove

**Wednesday March 26** – Mid-Lent/Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel

6.00pm – Divine Liturgy of St Gregory Pope of Rome

Friday March 28 - Hilary and Stephen Venerable

12.00pm – Lenten Hours: The Office of the Sixth Hour

Confessions

### **Saturday March 29** – Fourth All Souls Saturday

10.00am – Divine Liturgy with Panachida and Reading of Hramoty/Parish Lenten Retreat

3.00pm – The Office of the Ninth Hour 3.15/5.00pm – Confessions

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**Sunday March 30** – Fourth Sunday of the Great Fast/John Climacus Venerable

9.00am - Matins

9.30am – Divine Liturgy, +Dana Kentosh, by Rose Mary Kentosh

#### ATTENDANCE AND COLLECTIONS

March 16, 2025 attendance – 68; Collections - \$1,500.00

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Parish Lenten Retreat**. One of the significant ways to live the Great Lent is to attend a spiritual retreat. Wer will also have a retreat at St Johns on Saturday **March 29th** with a guest preacher Deacon Steve Russo. We will start with the time for confessions at 9am, All Sould Liturgy at 10am, spiritual reflection and time for prayer to follow. It will all conclude with a light lunch. Please come for this special moment of during our lenten journey.

The next **Catechetical Sunday** will be held on Sunday **April 6th**, following the Divine Liturgy

**Pysanky Class Summary.** Instead of two sessions (April 5th and 12th), there will be one extended session for pysanky class on Saturday April 12th, from 10am through 2pm. For more details please see Denise or Lisa.

**Easter Candy Sale**. The Ladies Guild holds its annual Easter Candy fundraiser featuring Fascia's Chocolates. The Fundraising Catalogue can be found in the vestibule. Thank you for participating in this and your support!

**St Johns Summer Camp** We will be organizing summer camp at St Johns for the children ages 4 and older again this year, on **June 23/26**. By doing this, we would like to offer something to our little ones, spend more time playing and praying, and continue to learn that we are children of God. More information to come in the next bulletins.

**Wedding Anniversarians**. There will be a special Hierarchical Divine Liturgy for Wedding Anniversarians this year as well. Marriage Jubilarians for Connecticut, New York and New Jersey parishes will have the celebration on Sunday October 19<sup>th</sup>, at St Mary's in Hillsborough, NJ, at 3pm. We invite couples celebrating a special anniversary – 5 years increment to submit their names to be included in this year's Jubilarian Celebration.