



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
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 Sept 21:

Gal 2:16-20; 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 SEPTEMBER 21-28

Sunday September 21 – *Sunday after the Exaltation of the Cross*

9.00am – Matins

9.30am – Divine Liturgy, +Tim Vrklan, w Panachida, by Nick and Martine Bove

Friday September 26 – *The Passing of John Apostle-Evangelist*

9.00am – Divine Liturgy, parish family

Saturday September 27 – *Callistratus and Other Martyrs*

3.00pm – The Office of the Ninth Hour

3.15/5.00pm – Confessions

Sunday September 28 – *Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

9.00am – Matins

9.30am – Divine Liturgy, +Michal Korytko, by The Štofa Family

ATTENDANCE AND COLLECTIONS

September 14, 2025 attendance – 75; collections – \$3,093.00

We are very grateful for your faithful attendance and generosity. Your generous and continuous support keeps our parish running. May God bless you in many ways

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Ladies Guild** will meet on Sunday **September 28th** following the Divine Liturgy.

80th Anniversary of the Ladies Guild. On Sunday, October 5th, St Johns Ladies Guild will be celebrating its 80th Anniversary. In honor of this special occasion, all are invited to a luncheon following the 10am Divine Liturgy. Please join us as we celebrate this milestone event.

ECF classes. We will be starting the ECF for the year 2025/2026 in September. Please consider enrolling children in our catechetical program. We would like to offer a simple journey of faith to our little parishioners, teach them about our traditions and icons, and make them part of our community. Sept 7th the children's backpacks will be blessed and Sept 14th we plan on having a field trip after church.

Young Adult Eparchial Event. Saint Nicholas Church, Dunellen, in collaboration with Theosis in Action Young Adult Outreach, is hosting another *Evening of Prayer and Conversation* featuring Erin and Christian Liguori on Friday, **September 26**, when they share the story of their journey into the Byzantine Catholic Church. Please see the poster in the church vestibule for more information or ask the Father.

Faith Formation Series/Bible Study. Please join us for the faith formation series on the Book of Genesis. It will run monthly on October 12, November 2, November 30, January 4, February 1, March 1, April 12, May 3. Coffee and pastries will be served. Please join us to learn more about the word of God

Liturgies Book 2026. We are ready now to receive your liturgy intentions for 2026. Having a Divine Liturgy said for a loved is a noble and ideal way to honor a deceased person. The Liturgy is also offered for the health and blessing of a person or family. If you wish to schedule the liturgy, please fill out the white envelope with the details and drop it in the basket. Thank you!

Couples' Group. We will be starting couples' group at our parish. Its main goal is to offer time and space for the journey of faith for couples where different topics can be discussed such as prayer in family, question of faith, relationship, etc. This is meant to strengthen and support the Catholic couples in their journey together as man and woman of faith, and as such, it is one of the means to better serve spiritual needs of our parishioners. The couples of all ages are welcome to join the group. It will meet monthly and the first two meetings are scheduled on October 26 and Nov 23. Two of our parish couples, Nick and Martine Bove, and Tim and Anne Marie Kearns, will lead the group discussion.