



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
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Confessions: half an hour before/
after each service or by appointment
Sunday Liturgy: 9.30AM
Sick Calls: As scheduled,
or anytime in case of an emergency
Readings and Music October 30:
Gal 2:16-20; Luke 8:26-39
Tone 4

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 OCTOBER 30-NOVEMBER 6

Sunday October 30th - *Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost*

9.00am - Matins

9.30am - Divine Liturgy, +George Demko, by MaryAnn & Frank Lefferman

Saturday November 5th - *Galaction and Episteme Martyrs*

9.00am - Confessions

10.00am - Healing Service: Divine Liturgy, Moleben, and Anointing

3/4.30pm - Confessions & Private Prayer

4.30pm - Mytery of Christian Initiation (Baptism) of Gabriella Grace Martino

Sunday November 6th- *Twenty Second Sunday after Pentecost*

9.00am - Matins

9.30am - Divine Liturgy, +Richard and Karen Clark, w Panachida, by Elizabeth Shuck

ATTENDANCE AND COLLECTIONS

October 23, 2022: Attendance - 57; Collections - \$2,247.00

Thank you for your faithful attendance and generous support, may God bless you abundantly!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Eastern Christian Formation for Children. The next ECF meeting will take place on Sunday **October 30**, following the Divine Liturgy. Thank you for bringing your children to the church! May the good Lord bless our little ones in many ways and may they find St Johns as their spiritual home where they can meet Jesus.

All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church's in Fort Myers, FL Hurricane Ian Relief. St Johns has collected \$350.00 to help our Byzantine Parish in Fort Myers to face the Hurricane Ian aftermath. Thank you all for your generosity, and may the Lord reward it abundantly!

Healing Service. Saturday **November 5th**, in occasion of the Feast of Saints Cosmas and Damian (Nov 1), there will be the healing service at St Johns with the anointing. It is a prayer service for the healing of soul and body, offered with faith that our Lord is Physician of souls and bodies. All are welcome to attend!

Ladies Guild will meet the next time on Sunday **November 6**. New members are welcome.

Miraculous "Mary, Hepler of Mothers" Icon at St Johns. A miraculous Marian icon will be placed at St Johns **November 13-27**. It is beloved by the mother and grandmothers, and especially by women who struggle with infertility of difficult pregnancies as several miraculous births have been attributed to it. St Johns welcomes everyone to come and pray in front of the icon. Following are the opportunities for the faithful to come and venerate the icon: Divine Liturgies on Sundays Nov 13, 20, 27 at 9.30am, and two special services on Tuesdays Nov 15 and 22 at 6pm.

Liturgy Intentions 2023. If you wish to schedule the Liturgy for the alive or deceased for the upcoming year 2023, please fill out the white "Divine Liturgy Intention" envelope located in the vestibule and hand it to the Father, or simply leave it in the donation basket. We will try to schedule it on the day you request or on another close day. Thank you!

Thanksgiving Service. The Trumbull Interfaith Council will be organizing the Thanksgiving Service at St Johns on Sunday **November 20th** at 3pm. It is a traditional religious event held in Trumbull and it is great this year the Interfaith Council chose St John as the location where to host it. Your attendance is very much welcome and appreciated!

The Giving Tree is already up. St Johns will sponsor some families in need. Please bring the unwrapped gifts & food items by Dec 4th. Thank you very much for your generosity!

Quarterly Financial Report. The Q3 2022 financial report can be found in the church vestibule.

Bishop's Appeal 2022. This year Bishop's Appeal has just begun. By this time, everyone should have received the forms by now. Our parish goal remains the same as the last year: \$15,400.00. If we reach the goal, St Johns will receive %40 of the total. You can pledge by sending check made payable to the Eparchy of Passaic or online: <https://www.eparchyofpassaic.com/bishopsappeal>