

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

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Sick Calls: As scheduled,

or anytime in case of an emergency

Readings and Music Nov 30: Eph 4:1-6; Luke 13:10-17

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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 NOVEMBER 30 – DECEMBER 8

Sunday November 30 – Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

9.00am - Matins

9.30am - Divine Liturgy, +Edward Mulligan, w Panachida, by Irene Mulligan & Daughters

Saturday December 6 - Nicholas of Myra Archbishop

10.00am - Divine Liturgy, +Nick Vrklan, w Panachida, by Martine and Nick Bove

3.00pm - The Office of the Ninth Hour

3.15/5.00pm – Confessions

Sunday December 7 – Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

9.00am - Matins

9.30am - Divine Liturgy, +Mary Sabol, w Panachida, by Steve Sabol

Monday December 8 – Maternity of the Holy Anna

5.00pm - Divine Liturgy, for parishioners' intentions, by Steve Cejkovsky

ATTENDANCE AND COLLECTIONS

November 23, 2025 attendance – 70; collections – \$2,444.00

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

Today we will have our **next catechetical Sunday**: the children will meet for ECF classes and the Bible Study on the Book of Genesis will be offered for adults as part of faith formation in our parish.

St Nicholas celebration. You are cordially invited to St Nicholas celebration on Sunday **December 7**th after the Divine Liturgy. Join us for the time of fellowship and visit of St Nicholas to our children. St Johns will provide some cookies and we also kindly ask you to bring some if you can. We especially look forward to see our children for this special event as St Nicholas would love to visit them.

A **Holiday Soup Tasting Lunch** is being planned for Sunday **December 21** after the Divine Liturgy. A variety of ethnic soups are being prepared by Parish members. This event is to raise money (there will be a basket for free donation) to be sent to the Office of the Caritas of the Eparchy of Mukachevo. The latter is located in South-West of Ukraine and the funds will help the kids displaced by war and those who lost their loved ones in war. Thank you so much for your support of this initiative!

Vocation Icon. Dear All, as we continue to pray for vocations in our Eparchy and Metropolia and the icon continues to journey from home to home, we kindly ask you to consider taking it home and pray daily for vocations. The icon along with the booklet is given on Sunday, and then returned on the following Sunday. The time for the prayer is about 10/15 min daiy and all the prayers can be found in the booklet. Thank you for your prayerful support!

Bishop's Appeal Update. We ask for your prayerful and generous support of the 2025 Bishop's Appeal. Our parish, St Johns, is part of a larger Eparchial (=diocesan) family, and through the Bishop's Appeal, we combine our efforts and resources to support vital ministries that reach thousands across our Eparchy. So far 21 families have pledged 4,475.00 towards our goal of 15,400.00. Thank you so much for your generosity to support Bishop's eparchial and charity initiatives.

Liturgies Book 2026. We are ready now to receive your liturgy intentions for 2026. Having a Divine Liturgy said for a loved one 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!

Calendars and Envelopes for the upcoming year 2026 can be found in the church vestibule.