

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 28: 2 Corinth 6:1-10; Luke 5:1-11

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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 28 – OCTOBER 5

Sunday September 28 - Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

9.00am - Matins

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

Wednesday October 1 – Protection of the Theotokos

6.00pm – Divine Liturgy

Saturday October 4 – *Hierotheus*, *Bishop-Martyr*

3.00pm – The Office of the Ninth Hour

3.15/5.00pm - Confessions

Sunday October 5 – Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

9.30am - Matins

10.00am – Divine Liturgy, for the health & blessing of the members of the Ladies Guild, Panachida for the deceased members

ATTENDANCE AND COLLECTIONS

September 21, 2025 attendance – 61; collections – \$2,351.00

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.

Pilgrim Vocation Icon Program to begin in one week! The seeds of God's grace are planted in our hearts hoping to find fertile fields that will bear the fruits of the Holy Spirit and, in particular, ministerial service in the Church. Prayer is integral in the process of nurturing Church vocations. On Sunday, 5 October, the entire Byzantine Catholic Church in America is beginning a Pilgrim Vocation Icon Program. Each week, the icon is taken by a household in the parish. Those who accept the icon agree to pray during that time for religious and priestly vocations. Everyone in the parish is invited and encouraged to have this icon in their home for one week. Prayer booklets are provided. Please sign up on the sheet that is posted in the vestibule. For more information or to volunteer to help, please contact 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!

Healing Service. Saturday **October 25**, in proximity to the Feast of Saints Cosmas and Damian, there will be the healing service at St Johns: 9am Confessions, 10am Divine Liturgy, and anointing to follow. It is a prayer service for the healing, offered with faith that our Lord is Physician of souls and bodies. Please join us for this special service!

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 November 23. Two of our parish couples, Nick and Martine Bove, and Tim and Anne Marie Kearns, will lead the group discussion.