



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

8TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST—THE FATHERS OF THE SIX ECUMENICAL COUNCILS (Tone 7)

Saturday July 14 — No Divine Liturgy —

Sunday July 15 9–9:30AM Mystery of Repentance*
10:00AM Divine Liturgy For the Faithful of Epiphany Parish
Epistle: 1Cor. 1:10-18, & Hebrews 13:7-16; Gospel: Matthew 14:14-22, & John 17:1-13
11:15AM Panachida for the repose of +Daniel Senkiewicz

Friday July 20 **Great Prophet Elijah (Simple Holy Day)**
Simple abstinence from meat, or equivalent penance
7:30PM Divine Liturgy

9TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST—THE HOLY MYRRH-BEARER MARY MAGDALENE, EQUAL TO THE APOSTLES (Tone 8)

Saturday July 21 4:30–5PM Mystery of Repentance*
5:30PM Divine Liturgy For a special intention

Sunday July 22 9–9:30AM Mystery of Repentance*
10:00AM Divine Liturgy For the Faithful of Epiphany Parish
Epistle: 1Cor. 3:9-17; Matthew 14:22-34
11:15AM The Blessing of cars & Hamburger Sunday picnic

*Mystery of Repentance also available by appointment or before and after weekday services

During the month of July, the Altar Lamp burns before our Lord in the tabernacle
In memory of +Michael Tisma by Fr. Dcn. Michael Tisma

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Those who are ill or convalescing: Dan Cunningham, Shirley Spontak and Cameron Fradd. May our Lord Jesus Christ, the Physician and Healer of souls and bodies, grant them peace and good health for many blessed years. Please let Fr. Lewis know if anyone should be added or taken away from this prayer list.

HAMBURGER SUNDAY: Following the 10:00AM Divine Liturgy on July 22, the parish is invited to stay for fellowship and a hamburger, hang out a bit, get to know Father Lewis, and enjoy lunch on us. The parish will provide hamburgers, chips, cookie, and a drink. Parishioners may bring sides or deserts if

so inclined. Volunteers are needed for some quick table and chair setup. See Reader John or Mike Madrigal for details.

BLESSING OF CARS ON JULY 22: It is customary to bless vehicles on (or near) the feast of the Prophet Elijah because he rode into heaven on a fiery chariot. More information about this glorious feast in a separate handout.

WEEKDAY SERVICES: It is Fr. Lewis' intension to begin having a variety of services during the week. However, he will need more time to settle in since the rectory will not be completed until the end of July. After the rectory is complete, and he has been able to settle into his life there and to create

Stewardship 07/01/2018 **Total July: \$5,124.00**

Offertory \$1,844

Stewardship 07/08/2018

Offertory \$3,280

a functioning parish office, we will then begin to add services. Fr. Lewis thanks you for your patience.

RECTORY RENOVATIONS DONATIONS:

Goal \$40,000 :: Offered to date: \$43,048!!!

The incredible generosity you have all shown is overwhelming and ultimately humbling. It is a sign of your deep faith in Jesus Christ and the Church He established. It is also a sign of your faith in the saving effects of the Sacraments. Because without a priest, the faithful will not have access to these methods of healing that bring us closer to God and to His Kingdom. I know that God will bless all those who have given so freely, and will bless our parish for your collective sacrifice. May God grant to all of our parish; peace, health and happiness for many blessed years!
Mnohaja Lita!

BABA'S KITCHEN: A Taste of the Old Country. Be sure to stop by Baba's Kitchen in the narthex after Liturgy for some of our newly arrived



UPCOMING PARISH & EPARCHIAL EVENTS

July 20 Simple Feast of the Holy Prophet Elijah

July 22 Hamburger Sunday! Enjoy lunch and get to know Fr. Lewis & the blessing of cars!

Aug. 4-8 Altar Server Camp at the Carpathian Village in Canadensis, PA

Aug. 6 Solemn Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord

assorted pieroghi or nut and poppy seed rolls. No matter what time of year, these old world delights are always in season! All proceeds go toward the maintenance fund of the church. Be sure to tell all your friends about Baba's Kitchen and let's raise the roof!

ALTAR SERVER CAMP: Yes, Pennsylvania is far away, but the Altar Server Camp is a wonderful experience. If anyone is interested, please let Fr. Lewis know, and he can get you information. August 4-8. The camp is a great time to spend with other altar servers from very young to age 17. It is held at the Carpathian Village in Canadensis, PA.

—Definitions—

Anamnesis of Christ: In accordance with the words of Christ at the last supper, *do this in remembrance of me* (Luke 22:19), the liturgical *anamnesis* (calling to mind) of Christ is the Mystery of the Divine Liturgy. The faithful who participate in the Sacrament of the Divine Liturgy mystically live the life, death and resurrection of Christ. The Divine Eucharist is also the remembrance of God's benefactions for which we offer up hymns of thanksgiving to Christ the Lord.

Anaphora: Another name for the Divine Eucharist referring in particular to the part of the Divine Liturgy which begins *Let us stand aright; let us stand with fear; let us attend that we may offer the holy Anaphora in peace*, and ends with the consecration of the Holy Gifts. The word *anaphora* comes from the Greek verb *anaphero*, meaning to bring or lift up, and the Divine Liturgy is also called the Holy Anaphora because through it we offer up ourselves and the Holy Gifts to God.

Definitions taken from: The Divine Liturgy: A commentary in the light of the fathers, by Hieromonk Gregorios, The Cell of ST John the Theologian Koutloumousiou Monastery, Mount Athos, 2012