



Epiphany of Our Lord Byzantine Catholic Church

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—Schedule of Divine Services—

24TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST—OUR VENERABLE FATHER JOANNICUS THE GREAT (Tone 7)

Saturday Nov. 3	4:30–5PM	Mystery of Repentance*
	5:30PM	Divine Liturgy For a Special Intention
Sunday Nov. 4	9–9:30AM	Mystery of Repentance*
	10:00AM	Divine Liturgy for the Faithful of Epiphany Parish Epistle: Ephesians 2:14-22; Luke 8:41-56
	11:45AM	ECF classes in the rectory basement classrooms & Adult Education in the Nave

Monday Nov. 5 **THE HOLY MARTYRS GALACTION AND EPISTEME**
9:00AM Divine Liturgy for the repose of +Julie Leggin by Michael Leggin

Tuesday Nov. 6 **OUR FATHER PAUL THE CONFESSOR, ARCHBISHOP OF CONSTANTINOPLE**
9:00AM Akathist to the Theotokos

Wednesday Nov. 7 **THE HOLY THIRTY-THREE MARTYRS AT MELITENE; OUR VENERABLE FATHER LAZARUS**
9:00AM Divine Liturgy for a special intention

Thursday Nov. 8 **SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL AND ALL ANGELS (Solemn Holy Day)**
7:30PM Divine Liturgy for a special intention

Friday Nov. 9 **THE HOLY MARTYRS ONESIPHORUS AND PROPHRYIUS (simple abstinence from meat)**

25TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST—THE HOLY MARTYRS MENAS, VICTOR, & VINCENT (Tone 8)

Saturday Nov. 10	4:30–5PM	Mystery of Repentance*
	5:30PM	Divine Liturgy For a Special Intention
Sunday Nov. 11	9–9:30AM	Mystery of Repentance*
	10:00AM	Divine Liturgy for the Faithful of Epiphany Parish Epistle: Ephesians 4:1-6; Luke 10:25-37
	11:45AM	ECF classes in the rectory basement classrooms & Adult Education in the Nave

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

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

Stewardship 10/07/2018	Total October: \$9,588.00
Offertory \$1,717.00	October budget: \$8,640.00
Stewardship 10/14/2018	
Offertory \$3,762.00	Month of November Budget
Stewardship 10/21/2018	Operating Expenses \$10,490
Offertory \$1,132.00	
Stewardship 10/28/2018	
Offertory \$2,977.00	

LET US REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Those who are ill or convalescing: Dan Cunningham, and Patricia Rabayda. 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.

CHANGE IN MORNING DAILY SERVICE TIME: Because of the request of some who attend the morning services, we will change the morning service time to 9AM and see if that will work better for area traffic. It has also been requested to have one Divine Liturgy on a weekday evening, so we will be offering this for a while and see how it meets the parish's needs.

PARISH MEETING: We had a very important and eye-opening meeting about the financial state of the parish as well as future events and parish activities. This week, the summary of the meeting will be mailed to all current parishioners. Thank you to all who attended and contributed to the healthy outcome.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR: The parish liturgical calendar is now on our website under the "Services" tab. You may subscribe to the calendar via the link just above the calendar on our website, or you can also scan this QR-code and subscribe to the calendar on your mobile phone.



ADULT EDUCATION: Deacon Michael will resume his classes on the Pillars of Byzantine Spirituality on Sunday, November 4, when the topic will be, "How to experience God."

2018 ANNUAL BISHOP'S APPEAL: The new Bishop's Appeal has already begun. As stated in the packet, this drive is the major sources of funds that help to sustain the Eparchy's many projects that help to build-up our churches—seminary expenses being one of them. Please prayerfully consider your pledge to the Eparchy because whatever our parish donates over our goal of \$10,800, we will receive a 40% rebate of that

UPCOMING PARISH & EPARCHIAL EVENTS

Nov. 4	Daylight Savings Time Ends, go back 1 hour
Nov. 8	Saint Michael and All Angels Solemn Holy Day
Nov. 10	Regina Caeli Academy Priest Talent Show
Nov. 15	Beginning of the Phillips Fast—the 40 days of preparation for the Nativity of Our Lord
Dec. 1	Church Cleaning and Decorating Day
Dec. 9	Saint Nicholas Celebration

amount. It is suggested that if each family donates \$200, then we will reach our goal. Please remember that checks are to be made out to the **Eparchy of Passaic**, and not to the parish. Extra pledge forms are available in the narthex.

CHURCH DECORATION AND SAINT NICHOLAS

CELEBRATION: Saturday, December 1 will be our annual Church cleaning day and decorating for the Feast of the Nativity. Please set aside some time to help us clean and make our church festive and beautiful for the Nativity Season. Also, we will be needing many volunteers to bring food and to setup and clean up after our annual Saint Nicholas luncheon and celebration. These events cannot occur without your generous participation.

THE NUTCRACKER IN ROSWELL: Parishioners Elizabeth and William Parnaby will be appearing in the Roswell Dance Theatre production of The Nutcracker at the Sandy Springs Performing Arts Center at City Springs from November 23 to December 2. Tickets are on sale now at RoswellNutcracker.com or at the City Springs box office and range from \$20-\$33.

REGINA CAELI ACADEMY BENEFIT: Come out and join us and Fr. Lewis as he entertains us at the 13th Annual Fabulous Fathers Priest Talent Show on Saturday, November 10th at Regina Caeli Academy in Roswell, GA. Doors open at 5:30pm. Join us for an evening of dinner, entertainment and auctions with emcee, Dr. Ray Guarendi, host of the Doctor is In on EWTN! Enjoy the talents of our local priests including Fr. Neil Dhabliwala, Fr. Lewis Rabayda and Fr. Jack Durkin. Catering by Outback Steakhouse. Tickets are on sale now at www.RCAhybrid.org. For more information please call 678-878-2500.

READER RECRUITMENT: Subdeacon John Reed is accepting more applicants to read the Epistle for Divine Services. Anyone may apply: men, woman, mid-teens, and older. If

you are interest in this role, please see Subdeacon John Reed.
A Saturday training workshop will be held at a later date for
new readers.

–Definitions–

Antimension: A consecrated cloth usually imprinted with an image of the entombment of Christ upon which the Divine Eucharist is celebrated. If the Altar has not been consecrated, the *antimension* must have sewn into it a fragment of a holy relic. It symbolizes the sheet in which the modest Joseph wrapped the all-holy Body of the Lord. According to the prevailing view of its etymology, the word comes from the Greek *anti* (in place of) and the Latin *mensa* (table).

Consecration: The changing of the Holy Gifts into the Body and Blood of Christ which takes place during the Divine Liturgy. The term in English (in Greek *εγκαίνια*) is also used for the solemn rite of setting apart Altars, churches and eucharistic vessels exclusively for the service of God.

Eucharist, Divine: The Divine Liturgy is also known as the Divine Eucharist because it is, par excellence, the Mystery in which we give thanksgiving (*eucharistia*) to God for the infinitude of His benefactions to us.

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