

## CATHEDRAL OF ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

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### DIVINE SERVICES THIS WEEK

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 23	9:00am 11:00am	<i>Matins is served before the Divine Liturgy beginning around 8:15am</i> +Maureen Herron by Michael Nahay ( <b>Livestream</b> ) +Peter Burčak by daughter Karen Kutlick & Family ( <b>Chapel</b> )
Monday, August 24	8:00am	+Helen & Frank Niewodowski with Panachida by Mary Kovach
Tuesday August 25	XXXX	<b>No Divine Services</b>
Wed., August 26	8:00am	Health & Blessings: Michael & Adele Gimon by their family
Thursday August 27	8:00am	Health & Blessings: Marie, James & Steven Pille by Michael & Adele Gimon
Friday, August 28	8:00am	+Joseph Mihalik by sister, Margaret
Saturday August 29	Livestream 9:00am	<b>BEHEADING OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST (Day of Fast)</b> +Anna Yuhas Kravetz with Panachida by sons, Ronald & Alan
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 30	9:00am 11:00am	<i>Matins is served before the Divine Liturgy beginning around 8:15am</i> +Michael Nahay by son, Michael R. Nahay ( <b>Slavonic</b> ) ( <b>Livestream</b> ) Health & Blessings: Nicole, Nico and Andre by grandmother Eleanore Chabra ( <b>Chapel</b> )

**WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER: *The Ill and homebound:*** Fr. Marcel, Fr. Jody, Sonia Kochbarski, Alex Panzano, Julia Duch, Helen Rock, Marion Beck, Michael Gimon iii, Michael Hrehovčik, Diane Rabiej, RJ Fedor, Lucille Filliman, Eva Croneberger, Donald Milne, Ann Gupta, Deborah Kochbarski, Vilma Babin, Margie Szost, Mary Kovach, Eleanor Chabra, Kenny Dec, Helen Popovich, Julia Lacek, Carson Kenworthy, Joanne Graf, Stella Madey, Conor Haag, Miguel Marrero, Diane Borowski, Gerald Kerzetski, Nancy Salch, Beth Savage, John Mihalecsko. Veronica Durante. **Preparing for Baptism:** Bruce Vanden Assem, Elowyn Violet LoBozzo.

**Preparing for Matrimony:** Scott Berry & Tiffany Russo; Vincent Basile & Mary Rose Curcio. **Expectant Mother:** Carlana Sankel **Vocations:** Subdeacon Timothy Fariss. Please also remember Allen Blehl (RC Archdiocese of Philadelphia) and Christian Francke (Anglican Ordinariate), both regular worshippers here.

**YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR AUGUST 16: \$2763.00 (including \$190.00 in online donations). IT TAKES \$7000.00 each week to fund all our operations. Factoring in the school lease, we need \$3750 in offerings each week.** "Put me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, and see if I do not open the floodgates of heaven for you, and pour down upon you blessing without measure!" (Malachi 3:10).

**ST MICHAEL'S ACCEPTS YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS ONLINE:** Go to [www.stmichaelsarchangel.org](http://www.stmichaelsarchangel.org), click on the "Donate" button, and you will be directed to a safe, encrypted site. All online donations will be recorded for tax purposes.

**VIČNA LAMPA DEDICATIONS:** August 23 – September 5: *At the Cathedral:* +John & Irene Duch by Thomas & Cheryl Duch; *At the Chapel:* +Peter Burčak by daughter, Karen Kutlick.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 29: BEHEADING OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST** is traditionally a day of strict fast, in recognition of his message to "Repent for the kingdom of God is at hand!" (Matthew 3:2). Additionally, we avoid eating head-shaped foods (apples, cabbage, lettuce) and using flat plates as a reminder of how the Baptist's severed head was served up on a platter. Our ancestors were geniuses in making the Gospel real in their everyday lives using only the few resources at their disposal!

**OUR FOOD PANTRY IS SERVING OUR NEIGHBORS THANKS TO YOU!** We always need 1-2lb bags of rice or beans, peanut butter, grape jelly, canned fruit, vegetables, meat, tuna, and soups; spaghetti, cereals, mac and cheese. Leave Food Pantry donations in the Vestibule of the Cathedral or place donations directly in the back of Fr. Jack's car (blue Subaru wagon B11GLY) at the Chapel.

**COVID-19 MEASURES: No one at elevated risk or feeling unwell should attend. No one who cannot comply with these guidelines should attend. Worship via our live-stream Liturgy at 9am.** All worshippers must wear **masks** inside the building. **Pews are marked** for social distance. Those who live together may sit together. Place your **sacrificial offering** in the basket provided at the entrance. Ushers will not take up a collection. Approach for Holy Communion in a **single line**, following distance markers on the floor.

**Take a Green Liturgy** book for your personal use, bring it home, and use it weekly. Once used, books may not be returned. Anything left in pews must be discarded. **Confessions** are heard at the iconostasis. The confessionals are not in use. Approach the iconostasis no later than 20 minutes before start of service for confession. Father is masked to distribute Holy Communion or to hear confessions, limits contact with anything the faithful might touch during the Liturgy, sanitizes before touching the Holy Gifts, and does not drink from the Chalice. The Cathedral and Chapel are completely disinfected each week before Sunday Divine Liturgy.

**Please do not gather in vestibules** upon entering or leaving. Enjoy each other's company outside.

**MATINS, the official morning prayer of the Church,** has been offered at the Cathedral before the 9am Liturgy on Sundays since the COVID outbreak began. Vespers, Matins and Liturgy should be served in every parish every Sunday, but especially in the Cathedral Church. Father's responsibilities in Flanders preclude Great Vespers on Saturday evenings, but you are welcome to come earlier on Sundays and accustom yourself to Matins. Booklets are available but all should certainly be able to make the simpler responses: Lord have mercy, Amen, etc. As the Church's official public worship, Matins takes precedence over any private devotion. **Father is happy to interrupt Matins to hear confessions.** Simply follow the directions found on the confessionals (which are no longer in use) and wait until Father notices you. Confessions are made at the iconostasis.