

CATHEDRAL OF ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL
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DIVINE WORSHIP THIS WEEK

All services at St Michael's Cathedral unless otherwise noted

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 8	8:15am 9:00am 11:00am	Matins (<i>Livestream</i>) Divine Liturgy +Viera Barna by Vlasta Berry; Health & Blessings Julian Letchworth (<i>Livestream</i>) Divine Liturgy: Teresa Onufer; +Karen Hrina (<i>with Panachida by Michael Hrina</i>) (<i>Chapel</i>)
Monday August 9	8:00am	+John & Eleanore Vassel by son Bob
Tuesday Aug 10	8:00am 7:00pm	+Paul Kozmoski with Panachida by Michael Kravec Paraklis Service to the Theotokos (<i>Chapel</i>) (<i>Livestream</i>)
Wed. Aug 11	XXXXX	No Divine Services
Thursday, Aug 12	XXXXX	No Divine Services
Friday August 13	XXXXX	No Divine Services
Saturday, Aug 14	8:00am	Health & Blessings: Mary Kovach
DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS AUGUST 15	8:15am 9:00am 11:00am	Matins (<i>Livestream</i>) Divine Liturgy: Nisha Bhavsar, Maria Oravecová (<i>Livestream</i>) Divine Liturgy: Michael Hrina; +Paul Vasil (<i>Chapel</i>) <i>Blessing of flowers and herbs at each Liturgy</i>

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER: *The Ill and homebound*: Fr. Marcel, Sr. Teresa, John Goida, Joseph Napovier, Teresa Onufer, Barbara Frazier, Robert Gelenius, Loretta Sagan, Michael Lysak, Alex Panzano, Julian Letchworth, Joan Barat, Julia Duch, Helen Rock, Michael Hrehovčik, Diane Rabiej, RJ Fedor, Lucille Filliman, Eva Croneberger, Donald Milne, Ann Gupta, Deborah Kochbarski, Vilma Babin, Mary Kovach, Eleanor Chabra, Kenny Dec, Helen Popovich, Barbara MacDonald, Carson Kenworthy, Joanne Graf, Stella Madey, Conor Haag, Diane Borowski, Gerald Kerzetski, Nancy Salch, John Mihalecsko. Veronica Durante, Beth Savage, Michael, Alissa (special intentions), Kathleen and Francis Cunningham.
Preparing for Matrimony: Scott Berry & Tiffany Russo. **Preparing for Chrismation:** Bryan Perez. **Vocations:** Subdeacons Timothy Fariss and Bryan Scotton

YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR AUGUST 1: \$3613.00 (including \$919.00 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).

MAKE YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS ONLINE: Go to www.stmichaelsarchangel.org, click on the "Donate" button, and be directed to a safe, encrypted site. All online donations are recorded for tax purposes

VIČNA LAMPA DEDICATIONS: August 8 – 21: *At the Cathedral:* +John Chanda by wife, Mary. *At the Chapel:* +Karen Hrina by Michael, Steven, Joseph & Lauren.

THE SPASOVKA FAST CONTINUES through August 14 to prepare us spiritually for the feast of the Dormition of the Theotokos. In our Metropolia the fast is voluntary but it's that time of year when gardens are overflowing with fresh produce and avoiding meat and dairy is so easy! Please consider adding at least Mondays and Wednesdays to your weekly Friday fast for the next two weeks. The Paraklis service to the Theotokos is the prayer that accompanies us through this Fast. Composed in the 11th century by St Theosteriskos, it asks the Mother of God to intercede for our physical and spiritual healing. Join us on Tuesday for this special prayer service and bring your intentions for spiritual and physical healing.

AUGUST 15 IS THE FEAST OF THE DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS As is our custom, you may bring flowers and herbs to either Sunday Divine Liturgy for the blessing.

REGULAR CONFESSION TIMES: following the Saturday Divine Liturgy (around 8:45-9am). Confessions at the Cathedral may also be heard during Sunday Matins (around 8:30am). Simply approach the iconostas at the right corner of the Cathedral and wait to be noticed. At the Chapel, Confessions can always be heard after the 11am Divine Liturgy. Schedules and privacy make it impossible to hear confessions before the Liturgy at the Chapel. Confessions can also be heard by appointment. Simply call the parish office. The confessionals are not in use.

LIFTING UP OUR ELDERS IN LOVE: THE CATHEDRAL ACCESSIBILITY PROJECT: So far, 4 parish households have found it in their hearts to offer \$10,000.00 or more toward making our Cathedral accessible. Are there at least 6 more? Have a prayerful look at your finances and let the Lord lead you to the right response for your household. Until further notice, all funerals will be served at the Chapel but otherwise liturgical services at the Cathedral will not be affected. **On weekdays, please always use the parking spaces behind the Cathedral** and leave the front lot for construction vehicles. **PLEGGED SO FAR: \$ 163,500.00**

YOU MAY PAY WITH A CREDIT CARD. Go to our webpage: stmichaelsarchangel.org, hit the "Donate" button and pull down the drop box in the online giving site by choosing "Giving." "Cathedral elevator project" is an option.

TWO OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHARITY: OUR FOOD PANTRY is surviving week to week. We need lots of rice, beans, cereal, canned meats, tuna, canned veggies, peanut butter, grape jelly, canned fruit, hearty soups, mac and cheese, spaghetti and tomato sauce. You may leave donations in the Cathedral vestibule; at the Chapel, please place them in Fr. Jack's trunk (blue Subaru).

CLIFTON BACK TO SCHOOL OUTREACH: Bring your donations of new pencil cases, glue sticks, kids' scissors, twelve-packs of #2 pencils, pencil sharpeners, pink erasers, packs of 24 crayons. There are collection boxes for these items in the vestibules of both the Cathedral and the Chapel. **Donations accepted until Sunday August 22 only!**
Please don't come to worship empty-handed!

THE SLOATSBURG OTPUST IS BACK! Make plans to spend Saturday, August 14 as a pilgrim on the beautiful grounds of the Sister Servants' monastery in nearby Sloatsburg NY for Akathist (1pm), spiritual talks (2pm), Divine Liturgy (5pm), Panachida (7:30pm) and Moleben (8pm). Featured clergy include Fr. Ed Cimbala, Fr. Joseph Bertha, and Bishop Kurt.

SAVE THE DATE! TAKEAWAY SLAVIC FOOD SALE, Saturday September 18; 11am – 4pm. Walk in or drive by service available for all our home cooked and home baked specialties. Watch for details and spread the word. We'll be selling all the foods and baked goods people enjoyed at our Festivals.