

**CATHEDRAL OF ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL**  
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**DIVINE WORSHIP THIS WEEK**

*All services at St Michael's Cathedral unless otherwise noted.*

*Cathedral services are always livestreamed on Sundays and Holy Days.*

<b>SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON FEBRUARY 13</b>	8:15am 9:00am 11:00am	Matins Divine Liturgy for the Faithful; +Charles & Mary Kovach with Panachida by Mary Kovach Divine Liturgy for the Faithful; +Ernst & Erna Fentross ( <i>Chapel</i> )
Monday February 14	<b>XXXXX</b>	<b>No Divine Services</b>
Tuesday February 15	<b>XXXXX</b>	<b>No Divine Services</b>
Wed. February 16	<b>XXXXX</b>	<b>No Divine Services</b>
Thurs. February 17	<b>XXXXX</b>	<b>No Divine Services</b>
Friday February 18	8:00am	+Pauline Chan with Panachida by the Rosary Society
<b>Saturday February 19</b>	9:00am	<b>FIRST ALL SOULS' SATURDAY</b> Divine Liturgy, Panachida and Reading of Hramoty
<b>SUNDAY OF MEATFARE FEBRUARY 20</b>	8:15am 9:00am 11:00am	Matins Divine Liturgy for the Faithful; Divine Liturgy for the Faithful; +Anna & Stefan Makara ( <i>Chapel</i> )

**ACCESS ALL OUR LIVE STREAM SERVICES AND CLASSES VIA OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL:**

<http://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfGN9bRHQ2BbVvjI5sLQPfg>.

**WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER: *The Ill and homebound:*** Fr. Marcel, Deacon William Tizio, Sr. Teresa, Bonaventure Rodeiro, Oksana Hrubec, Adele Petričko, Nadia Szanislo, John Vilchok, Jane Booth, Joseph Napovier, Teresa Onufer, Robert Gelenius, Julian Letchworth, Joan Barat, Julia Duch, Helen Rock, Michael Hrehovčik, Diane Rabiej, RJ Fedor, Lucille Filliman, Eva Croneberger, Ann Gupta, Vilma Babin, Mary Kovach, 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, Michael, Alexis (special intentions), Kathleen and Francis Cunningham. **Vocations:** Subdeacons Timothy Fariss and Bryan Scotton; Allen Blehl, Christian Frank, Joe Muir.

**REGULAR HOURS FOR CONFESSIONS:** Saturdays immediately following Divine Liturgy Sundays during Matins (8:30-8:45); or following Divine Liturgy at the Chapel. Confessions may also be arranged by appointment.

**VIČNA LAMPA DEDICATIONS: February 6 - 19:** *At the Cathedral:* +Anonymous Liver Donor by the Gelenius Family *At the Chapel:* +John & Mary Onufer by Thomas & Cheryl Duch. Dedications \$20.00 for two weeks.

**OUR FOOD PANTRY** always needs rice, beans, 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.

**YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR FEBRUARY 6: \$5,183.00 (including \$524.00 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.* **MAKE YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS ONLINE:** Go to [www.stmichaelsarchangel.org](http://www.stmichaelsarchangel.org), click on the "Donate" button, and be directed to a safe, encrypted site. All online donations are recorded for tax purposes.

**EASTERN CHRISTIAN FORMATION FOR CHILDREN** meets via Zoom **this Saturday at 11am** because of the All Souls' Saturday. For information and to register contact: [ecfpassaic@gmail.com](mailto:ecfpassaic@gmail.com).

**THE PRE-LENTEN SEASON CONTINUES.** Today and for the next two Sundays, at Matins we add Psalm 137, which expresses the sense of exile we invariably feel when sin separates us from God. If you attend Matins, you'll hear the beautiful and unique melody of our Ruthenian chant. In any case, consider praying Psalm 137 (By the rivers of Babylon) part of your daily prayer from now until Clean Monday. If all you know is the Divine Liturgy, you haven't even begun to experience the spiritual depth and richness of our Byzantine Slav tradition.

**THIS SATURDAY IS THE FIRST ALL-SOULS' SATURDAY.** To have your departed included in the service, please make sure we have your envelope with any updated names before next Saturday. Attendance at the All Souls' Saturdays has been shamefully sparse even before COVID. Please spare an hour as an act of charity to offer the Liturgy and Panachida for your beloved departed. It's also a great opportunity to make a sacramental confession before the Fast begins.

**PLEDGES FOR THE ELEVATOR PROJECT** We have heard from 64 of our 160 parish households and have received \$47,000 from other friends of the Cathedral. Thank you to all who have donated! ***Have we heard from you yet?***

**HAVE YOU RESPONDED TO THE BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL?** Our goal is \$25,200.00. If we reach our goal 40% of all pledges will be returned to our parish and will be put toward improvements here. **Make your check payable to "Eparchy of Passaic" and return it to the Eparchy** in the envelope provided. **Please do not make your check payable to the parish and please do not return it here.** Thanks in advance for your generous response!

**LITURGY INTENTIONS FOR 2022: *Both Sunday Divine Liturgies are celebrated for the intentions of all the faithful.*** You may request commemorations of the living or the deceased on Sundays; the suggested offering is \$5.00 per name. ***Weekday Divine Liturgies are offered for your private intentions for the living or the deceased.*** Bishop Kurt has set the suggested Divine Liturgy offering at \$20.00; Panachida or Moleben: \$5.00. Please call the Office between 9:30 and 1:30 weekdays to schedule particular dates. You may also drop your intentions in the collection or mail them to the parish office.

**ST MICHAEL'S SCHOOL ALUMNI: DON'T MISS OUT!** Did you attend St Michael's Parochial School? Then you're invited to join us for a St Michael's School Reunion, Saturday, April 30, 2022. To get on the guest list, please send your contact information to us at [passaiccathedral@gmail.com](mailto:passaiccathedral@gmail.com). **We have no records. We will not know unless you tell us!** Please spread the word to any St Michael's alums you may know. Do you have photos or St Michael's School memorabilia? We'd love to see them. Send photos to us at the same email. Are you willing to help with the organization of this event? Let us know. See you in April!

**OUR COOKS NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE PIROHI** at the Cathedral. **Thursday, February 24** - potato peeling beginning 8 am; **Friday, February 25** - potato scooping, beginning at 8 am; **Saturday, February 26** - pinching, cooking and packaging - any time after 6 am. **DEADLINE FOR ORDERS** is February 21 (\$7.00 per dozen). Send text to 201-370-2656 or email [Vlasta.Berry@gmail.com](mailto:Vlasta.Berry@gmail.com) to place order or if you will volunteer.

Fr. Jack will be away from Sunday afternoon through Thursday evening. The Parish Office is open 9:30 -1:30 weekdays. Outside of those hours, in case of a real pastoral emergency or to schedule a funeral, you may call 973-767-9472. This number does not accept text messages.