

**SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES**

**Sunday, April 12 RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD – PASCHA**  
 7:30 a.m. Resurrection Matins  
 9:00 a.m. For the Parish Family  
 10:15 a.m. Blessing of Easter Food Baskets in the Parking Lot  
 (Church)



**Monday, April 13 BRIGHT MONDAY (SOLEMN)**  
 7:45 a.m. Matins  
 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for the Parish Family  
 (Church)

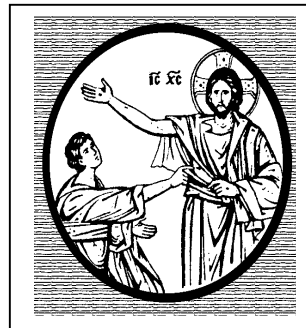
**Tuesday, April 14 BRIGHT TUESDAY (SIMPLE)**  
 7:45 a.m. Matins  
 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for the Parish Family  
 (Church)

**Wednesday, April 15 BRIGHT WEDNESDAY**  
 7:30 a.m. Matins  
 (Church)

**Thursday, April 16 BRIGHT THURSDAY**  
 7:30 a.m. Matins  
 8:30 a.m. +Helen Vensko  
 (Church) Req. by Dave, Kathy, and Family

**Friday, April 17 BRIGHT FRIDAY (FREE FROM FAST AND ABSTINENCE)**  
 7:30 a.m. Matins  
 8:30 a.m. +Rita Jyachosky  
 (Church) Req. by Evelyn, Marie, and Anita

**Saturday, April 18 BRIGHT SATURDAY**  
 5:30 p.m. +Andrew Sr. & Mary Semachko Family -  
 (Church) Mike, Elizabeth Patterson, Andrew Jr.,  
 John, Mary Kokiko  
 Req. by Vincent A. Semachko



**Sunday, April 19 THOMAS SUNDAY**  
 9:00 a.m. For the Parish Family  
 (Church)

**‡ CHOOSE LIFE!** That people of God may realize their responsibility to reach out to struggling pregnant women and those who care for the disabled and the elderly, we pray to the Lord.

**FROM THE METROPOLITAN ARCHBISHOP OF PITTSBURGH**  
 Most Reverend William C. Skurla:

“...Effective immediately, all public Liturgical celebrations are being suspended until further notice. This includes Sunday Divine Liturgy, Lenten Services and Holy Days. The faithful of the Archeparchy are dispensed from the obligation of attending Sunday and Holy Day Divine Liturgies, but you should keep holy the Lord’s Day through prayer and support of those in need in your Church.”

All other activities are cancelled, except baptisms, weddings, and funerals. Parishioners are encouraged to “attend” any live streaming or radio broadcasts of Byzantine Divine Services. These are listed below.

**BLESSING OF EASTER FOODS** – While the Church is closed for Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday Divine Liturgy, Easter Foods will be blessed after the Divine Liturgy at the following times: on Holy Saturday at 7:00 p.m. and on Easter Sunday at 10:15 a.m. in the parking lot. Place your Easter baskets on the hood of your car and Father Ron will bless them.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** – During the Covid-19 situation, Father Ron asks if you want to go to the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) to please call him at 724-438-6027 to arrange a time. He will hear your confession in your automobile.

**DIVINE LITURGIES ON YOUTUBE** - St. John the Baptist Byzantine, Uniontown, will video and then post on YouTube the Divine Liturgies for both Palm Sunday and the Resurrection. To view them, go to YouTube on either your computer or phone and search for stjohnthebaptistbyzantine. Then click on the Divine Liturgy you wish to view. These can be viewed at your time convenience, even multiple times; they are not live streamed.

**SYMPATHY OF OUR PARISH FAMILY** -We extend our condolences to sister Dorothy and family and the many nieces and nephews on the death of William Petruska. May the Lord grant him repose among the Saints and may He console those whom he left behind.

**EASER SUNDAY VIGIL CANDLES** - Since we are not gathering in church and some of you like to light candles for your various intentions, I will light candles on **this Sunday** for you. The offering of \$3.00 per candle can be brought to church when you return. This is on the honor system. Please **DO NOT** send me cash or checks for candle intentions. You **DO NOT** have to tell me your intention. Say a prayer, mentioning your intention to God, Who hears all prayers wherever they are offered. Please call me at 724-438-6027 and tell me how many candles you want me to light **this Sunday**. Stay healthy and well by listening to the authorities and their recommendations and restrictions

**PRAYER FOR OUR WORLD, COUNTRY, AND PARISH –**

Lord, Our God, we praise you, we thank you, and we glorify you.  
We know that you love us, your creation, and that you have empowered us in your image and likeness in those who believe in you and fulfil your commandments.  
Look upon all your creation and guide your people in this time of crisis and those you have given talents to and a vocation to bring healing in this time of pandemic.  
Give your authorities who possess knowledge and wisdom to fulfil your will and help the people of this world.  
Lord, Jesus, you gave suffered and died for us. We ask you to bless those who are suffering with faith in you. Relieve those who have contracted this virus in your healing power and for those you have called to yourself, grant them eternal memory and console those who are in need in their death.

**THANK YOU** – Father Ron thanks all those who thought of him with prayers, gifts, and Easter wishes, especially during this time of world and national crisis.

**A SPECIAL THANK YOU** – At this Paschal Season, a note of sincere gratitude is extended to all the dedicated people who have worked so hard to make all of our services and projects at St. John the Baptist a success, our cantors, ECF teachers, various committees, Pirohi workers, decorators, cleaners. We really appreciate your hard work and dedication to our parish!

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY – 4/12/2020**

Offering = \$1646.00 Candles = \$28.00 Holy Day = \$150.00 Pirohi = \$380.00  
Palm Sunday = \$384.00 Flowers = \$60.00 Easter = \$480.00 Holy Week = \$205.00  
Seminary = \$10.00 Loose Cash = \$50.00 Reimbursement = \$400.00  
Bulletin Covers = \$200.00 Freezer Donation = \$600.00 Bright Monday = \$35.00  
TOTAL = \$4689.00 R&B = \$290.00

**Divine Liturgy at Various Times:**

**Cathedral of St. John**

[www.stjohnbyzantinecathedral.com](http://www.stjohnbyzantinecathedral.com)

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, Friday, Pre-Sanctified 7:00 p.m.

**Holy Ghost, McKees Rocks**

[www.holyghost-byzantinecatholic.org](http://www.holyghost-byzantinecatholic.org)

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, Friday, Pre-Sanctified 7:00 p.m.

WEDO Radio 810 AM

**St. John Chrysostom:**

[www.sjbcc.com](http://www.sjbcc.com)

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

St. Gregory Upper St. Clair:

[www.facebook.com/stgregoryusc](https://www.facebook.com/stgregoryusc)

Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday Pre-Sanctified 7:00 p.m.

St. Michael Campbell:

[www.facebook.com/st.michaelbyz.campbell](https://www.facebook.com/st.michaelbyz.campbell)

Saturday 6:00 p.m. & Sunday 11 a.m.

***CHRISTOS VOSKRESE! VOISTINNU VOSKRESE!  
CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!***

This response is used during the Paschal Season and for Holy Anointing after the Divine Liturgy.