

# SCHEDULE OF DIVINE SERVICES

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

CHRISTMAS CRAFT & BAKE SALE, DECEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>-3<sup>RD</sup>

DEANERY NATIVITY GATHERING DECEMBER 10 SCOTSDALE

DECEMBER BIRTHDAY SOCIAL DECEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup> VIGIL DIVINE LITURGY FOR 26<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY  
4:30 P.M. CHURCH AFTER PENTECOST  
+STEVEN RUSH  
REQ.BY:KENNETH BOYLE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup> DIVINE LITURGY SUNDAY FOR THE 26<sup>th</sup>  
8:45 A.M. CHURCH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
+CARL LITMAN  
REQ. BY: LINDA & DALTON PATTERSON  
AND DAUGHETERS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup> VIGIL DIVINE LITURGY FOR 27<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER  
4:30 P.M. CHURCH PENTECOST  
+EDWARD AND MAJORIE SUSA  
REQ.BY:GEORGE, HANNAH AND MICHELLE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup> DIVINE LITURGY SUNDAY FOR THE 27<sup>TH</sup>  
8:45 A.M. CHURCH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
+DANIEL AND DORIS MIHALKO  
REQ. BY:DAUGHTER, DEBBIE MIHALKO



ROSARY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE is prayed Sunday afternoons at St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church at 4:00 P.M.

DEANERY NATIVITY GATHERING, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup> at 2pm at ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST church, Scottdale. Akathist to the Theotokos Searcher of the Lost, a spiritual presentation by Fr. Stephen Wahal. Confessions after the presentation. Social and refreshments will follow.

GIFT FROM ST. NICHOLAS COLLECTION FR. VASYL is once again accepting donations for the seminarians in Mukačevo, Ukraine. If anyone is interested in donating, please use the white envelopes located in the rear of the church and the altar boys' sacristy. Make checks payable to St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church. Please place your collection envelope number on the envelope. Please return by Nov 25-26, 2023

BAKED GOODS NEEDED – Anyone wishing to donate baked goods for the Christmas Craft & Bake Sale, which will be held Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 12 noon - 4PM and Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> from 10AM – 1PM, would be most welcome. Your delicious homemade items are an excellent fundraiser for our church. Baked items may be brought into the social hall on Thurs., Nov. 30<sup>th</sup> ( 10AM – 12PM), to upstairs hall on Fri.. Dec. 1 (10AM – 1 PM), or to the upstairs hall on Sat. Dec. 2 (10AM through sale times listed above) or Sun. Dec. 3 (Before Liturgy), or call 724-438-1382 (M-F 9AM-3 PM -leave message) for other arrangements. Thank You as always for your generosity and supporting our church fundraisers.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE BASKET – St. John Social Ministry has put together a Christmas theme basket to be awarded on Sun. Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> . This basket includes many food and decorative items for the Christmas season. Ticket sales will begin at the November Birthday Social on November 12th, and will be sold December 2&3, during the Christmas Craft and Bake Sale, as well as at Pirohi making and Pirohi sales. Tickets are 7 for \$5.00. To purchase tickets you may see a Social Ministry member. Proceeds benefit St. John Social Ministry. Thank you for your patronage.

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR 11/12/23

OFFERTORY   LOOSE   CANDLES   HOLY DAY   PIROHI   R & B   TOTAL

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CHRISTMAS CRAFT/BAKE SALE – The Ethnic Craft Club of St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church will be having its annual Christmas Craft/Bake Sale on Saturday, December 2<sup>ND</sup> from Noon to 4 PM and Sunday, December 3<sup>RD</sup> from 10 AM – 1PM in the SOCIAL MINISTRY ROOM. The sale will feature decorations, folk crafts, baked goods (including long rolls), candy, parish cookbooks, imported items and many other articles that would make fine Christmas gifts. Your patronage and support are greatly appreciated.

## PIROHI HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Friday, December 1 - Pirohi Sale

Friday, December 8 –Pirohi Sale

Friday, December 15 – Pirohi Sale (Last sale for 2023)

Pirohi Sales for 2024 will be announced

Call: 724-434-5355

2024 BULLETIN COVERS– All bulletin covers have been sponsored for 2024. Thank you for your generosity. May our Lord richly bless you!

LITURGY INTENTIONS will taken by using the envelopes located in the altar boys' sacristy and rear of church

### Children's St.Nicholas and Christmas Activity

All children of the parish are invited to attend the St. Nicholas and Christmas Program on Sunday, December 10, following the monthly Birthday Social. For any child planning to attend and not registered in our ECF program, please contact Marcia Harrer, 724-244-0686, for a reservation so that sufficient materials are available.

ANGEL TREE SERVICE PROJECT AND TOY COLLECTION - Our ECF Staff, and students are sponsoring an Angel Tree Service Project and Toy Collection for City Mission service project during this Christmas season. This project helps us better understand and participate in almsgiving as a part of the Nativity Fast, as well as following the example of Saint Nicholas in giving to those less fortunate than we are. We are hoping for the support of our parish family to help with this need in our local community. If you would please take a tag from the tree located in the altar server sacristy, purchase a gift and return that unwrapped gift along with the tag attached (NO LATER THAN DEC. 10 ) The Salvation Army suggests actual gifts (not gift cards) in the \$15-\$25 price range and to avoid toys such as guns and knives for the children. It was suggested that an item from each of the 3 categories be donated. If you are unable to get a tag from the Angel Tree, and would like to purchase an individual toy for a child, there will also be a Toy Collection bin for items to be donated the City Mission. If you purchase a toy, it should be targeted for children between the ages of 3 and 18. If you are not able to attend church at this time and would like to be apart of these projects, you may send a monetary donation and a gift will be purchased with your money. Please return these items by December 10 and indicate to which place your gift should be donated. Please direct any questions to Marcia Harrer at 724-244-0686. Your generosity is very much appreciated!!

ST. JOHN PARISH FAMILY extends its sympathies to the family and friends of former parishioner, ROBIN SEVACHKO, who recently fell asleep in the Lord.

ECF Food Drive

Monetary donations and non-perishable food items will be accepted through November 26. Bins and collection receptacles are located in the vestibule and altar server side sacristy for collection of food items both Saturday and Sunday, November 25 and 26. Your donations are greatly appreciated

### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### WEEK OF SUNDAY NOVEMBER 19, 2023

Diana, Emil, Riley, Haley, Tim Elaine, +Robin, Scott, Eszter, Pio, Peter, Joann, Eric, Maryann, Susan, Judy, Dana, Sammie, Linda, Chris, Gloria, David, Dave, Barb, David, Marla, Ted, Melissa, Lauren, Ian, Bob, Bill, Patty, Eugene, Kevin, Rachel, Dan, Butch, Michael, Tammy, Daniel III, Anthony, Hannah, Cash, Mike, Marcia, Tom, Ellen, Toni, Haley, Dave, Linda, Gloria, Chris #1, Jamie, Chris #2, Mike, Cindy, Dianne, Helen, Bryan Donnie, Donna, Mike, Robert, Velma, Debbie, Dan, Danny, MaryAnn, Marcia, Colleen, Lisa, Dan, Joan, Cheryl, Danny, Rita, Susan, Kara, Michael, Nicholas, Claire, Charlie, Emma, Lucas, Father Vasyl, Edward, William, Cash, Riley, Haley, Tim, Elaine, Chris, Gloria, Linda, Dave, Hannah, Michelle, Angelia, Dennis, Gloria, Michael, Mike, Ken, Jason, Mike, Conner, Kris, Jim, Mark, Nikki, Ron, Bill, Barbera, Neal, Rusty, Melissa, Tom, David, Andy, Brad, Sarah, Gloria, Dennis, Jason, Mike, Michael, Ken, Tammy, James, Ashley, Patrick, Michelle, Fran, Olivia, Ashley, Jameson, Dennis, AgnesRose, Barbara, Dolores, Patty, Ida, Mike, Joe, Tyler, Bernard, Jim, Sam, Marian, Herb, Bob, Bernie, Bennett, Ed, Eileen, Chris, Christopher, Alice, Anthony, Karen, Joyce, Jean, Mason, Melanie, William, Mark, Jean, George, Hannah, Michelle, Paul, Mike, Kathy, Melanie, Christopher, Linda, Michael, Joan, Darlene, Zowwie, Veronica, Dorothy, Dolly, Gloria, Nicholas, Nadine, Robert, PJ, George, Marge, Carolyn, Eileen, Butch, Carl, Janet, Cathy, Kay, Tom, Libby, Alice, Monica, Jack, Charlene, Bob, Josephine, People of Ukraine, Arlene, Johnny, Kay, Bonnie, Janice, Danny, Heidi, Maryann, Linda, Paul, Shirley, Pat, JA, Lydia, Cesar, MaryLou, Fr. Eugene, Beatrice, Alice, Rose, Mary, Patty, Judy, Dorothy, Patty, Paulette, Georgia, Vince, Gerry, George, George Jr., Janet, Dolores, Alice, Michael, Sharlene, Barbara, Mia, Jennifer, Nicole, Allison, Jacob, Dave, Scott, Faith, Victims of mass shootings in the U.S., Kathy, Carmen, Olga, Myteia, MaryJo, Dorothy, Milan, Synthia, Isabella, Natalie, Mike, Debi, Bob, Melba, Chris, Connie, Rosemary, Dominic, Stanley, Evelyn, Louis, Ron, BA, Otho, Kitty, Joan, David, Kathleen, Ronald, Mark, Bertie, Helen, Melissa, Wanda, Ivan, Debbie, Maryanne, + Ruthann, Dianna, Mickie, Patty, Ted, Betty, Ann, Marcia, JT, Ron, Vera, Phyllis, Mark, Joseph, Christopher, Helen, Ann, Peggy, Sr. Theodosia, Fr. Russell, Fr. Jim, Abbot Leo, Norbert, Gloria, Andrew, Donna, Donnie, Wayne, Louis, Chuck, Bobby, Shelby, Morgan, Connie, Gene, Micki, Marian, Rose, John, Donny, Mary Dorothy

