SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS

MAY 30, 2021

Saints Cyril and Methodius
Byzantine Catholic Church

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Parochial Administrator
908-404-0777

Sunday
9:00 and 11:00 AM Divine Liturgy
(If unable to attend in person, our 9AM Divine Liturgy
is streamed via our Facebook page.)

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Web Site: sscyrilmethodius.org
| Sunday | SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS | SUNDAY | 8:30 AM Confession  
9:00 AM Divine Liturgy  
11:00 Divine Liturgy |
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| May 30 | Heb 11:32-12:2a  
Mt 10:32-33, 37-38 & 19:27-30 | Tone 8 | |
| Monday | MEMORIAL DAY | May 31 | The Apostles Fast begins May 31 and lasts until June 28. The Typikon prescribes strict abstinence on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, with mitigated abstinence (wine and oil) on Tuesdays and Thursday. The Ruthenian Metropolia has identified this period as a penitential season. This fast may be observed voluntarily. |
| | Hermas, Apostle & Hermeas, Martyr | | |
| | Rom 2:28-3:18  
Mt 6:31-34 & 7:9-11 | | |
| Tuesday | Justin and Others - Martyrs | June 1 | |
| | Rom 4:4-12  
Mt 7:15-21 | | |
| Wednesday | Nicephor - Patriarch | June 2 | 6:00 PM Divine Liturgy |
| | Rom 4:13:25  
Mt 7:21-23 | | |
| Thursday | Lucillian and Others - Martyrs | June 3 | |
| | Rom 5:10-16  
Mt 8:23-27 | | |
| Friday | Metrophanes - Patriarch | June 4 | 6:00 PM Divine Liturgy |
| | Rom 3:19-26  
Mt 7:1-8 | | |
| Saturday | Dorotheus - Bishop - Martyr | June 5 | 4:00 PM St. Nicholas Mission Divine Liturgy |
| | Rom 5:17-6:2  
Mt 9:14-17 | | |
| SUNDAY | SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | June 6 | 8:30 AM Confession  
9:00 AM Divine Liturgy  
11:00 AM Divine Liturgy |
| | Rom 2:10-16  
Mt 4:18-23 | Tone 1 | |

Call the parish office (919-239-4877) to make an appointment  
or to speak with Fr. Vasyl (908-404-0777).

SSCM CHURCH/HALL SCHEDULE

The St. Nicholas Mission celebrate their Divine Liturgy in our church every Saturday at 4:00 PM.
The Eritrean Orthodox celebrate their Divine Liturgy in our church from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month.
The Coptic Orthodox celebrate their Divine Liturgy in our church from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Our Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) meets the second Tuesday of every month. If you have any questions or concerns you would like addressed at the next meeting, please contact one of the members: Mike Carpenter, Marie Taylor, Paul Tooley, Lance Morgan, Dan Pope, and Mike Sapsara.
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May 30, 2021

If you are new to our area or just visiting, please stop and introduce yourself. We are happy you are joining us to share in the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. If you do not have a church home, or your church is not a home for you, we warmly invite you to become part of our parish family.

If you wish to register with our parish, please email Michelle Rubush at sscyrilmethodius@gmail.com

GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST!
GLORY FOREVER!
SLAVONIC: SLAVA ISUSU CHRISTU! SLAVA NA VIKI!

Please remember in your prayers:
Jerry and Holly Kingery; Lance Morgan; Sophia Rose; John Patrick Rose; Rachel Blair; David Hoover; Cameron Shuey; Dale Blair; Bernadette’s parents and aunts: Andrew, Etta, Martha and Yolanda; Father Mark and family; Father Vasyl and family.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of our faithful departed:
+Elizabeth Macario; +Luke Morgan, +Natalie and John Morgan, +Rev. Fr. Richard Rohrer, +Gloria Shuey, +Victor Quintero, + Maria Victoria Quintero

In Blessed Repose, Grant O Lord, Eternal Rest to the Soul of Your Departed Servants and may their Memory be Eternal.

In spite of the pandemic, the maintenance of our church continues and bills must be paid. Thanks to all who continue to serve our church with their time, talent, and treasure. We are grateful for those who decorated our church and outdoor cross for the Pascha season and have taken down and stored the decorations.

CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

Many thanks to our church cleaning volunteers which means no one is cleaning more than once every three months. Volunteers may do the cleaning anytime during the week when the church is not in use. Please contact Marie Taylor at marie@8taylors.com if you want to participate in this very important ministry for our church. Thank you to our current volunteers!

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SUMMER MARKET - SATURDAY, JUNE 26th

Please save some time during the week prior to the market to help with food preparation. The day of the market we also will need help cooking pierogis, grilling kielbasa, filling orders, parking assistance, etc. More details and job descriptions will be announced soon.
Mt. 10, 32-33; 37-38; 19, 27-30

He that confesses me before men, him will I confess also before my Father in Heaven. To understand why the Church offers this teaching on the first Sunday after the Descent of the Holy Spirit, we need to go back a little, to the feast of Pascha. The Resurrection of Christ and the whole Easter season each year reminds us of two important things about the basic conditions necessary to be happy in God. To do this, the Lord must become the foundation of the life of every Christian and the main goal to which all his life's efforts must be directed. For this you need to show your faith in God to other people by word and example in your own life. If God is the basis of human life, then love for Him must prevail over love for all of God's other gifts and creatures. For every Christian who sets an example by showing others that God is the foundation and purpose of his life, Jesus will confirm that choice in heaven, giving such a soul that hour of life the riches of the Kingdom together with God's other gifts and creatures.

Almost every century has been different from each of the others. Each century has had its own architecture, music, style of painting, fashion, etc. In each of them there were also prominent saints. Although the fashion of certain things changes from time to time, the sanctity of life never loses its value. Reflections on the words of the present Gospel raise the question: Is holiness in fashion today? In human life there is always a demand for the fruits of holiness. We constantly feel the need for each of them there were also prominent saints. Although the fashion of certain things changes from time to time, the sanctity of life never loses its value. Reflections on the words of the present Gospel raise the question: Is holiness in fashion today? In human life there is always a demand for the fruits of holiness. We constantly feel the need for love, mutual respect, courtesy, kindness, mercy, gentleness, understanding, and compassion. Where do we get this holiness today? Who should bring it? I leave these questions open. Let everyone think about it in their hearts and answer those questions. The saints speak to us by the example of their lives: Christians, do not put off in your life for tomorrow what can be done today. Today, as we honor the memory of all the Saints, let us offer our sincere prayers to them. Ask that they be our intercessors before the throne of God, and that we, following their example, may also receive a wreath of unfading glory! Amen.


In keeping with advice from the CDC, and the local authorities, the following guidelines replace previous Covid rules.

1. A mask should be worn by anyone distributing communion or assisting to distribute communion.
2. The celebrant should use precautions when handling the gifts or singing or speaking near the gifts. These precautions may include wearing a mask, keeping the gifts covered, standing at a distance from the altar, and sterilizing the hands before touching the gifts.
3. The clergy should not drink out of the same chalice that is used for distribution before distribution. They may use a separate chalice, or receive by intinction.
4. Distribution of communion should continue using single-use spoons, either individual metal spoons that are sterilized, or spoons that can be burned.
5. Beginning Friday, May 28, people in the congregation are not required to wear a mask. People are free to wear a mask for personal protection or as a courtesy to the vulnerable.
6. People are still encouraged to practice safe distancing in the pews.
7. No one should ask whether or not someone is vaccinated.
8. Your local laws may supersede these. Your pastor will inform you if that is the case.


1. Keep in mind, the bishop cannot dispense from Divine Law. The Ten Commandments require us to keep the Lord’s Day holy. From the beginning, Christians have obeyed this commandment by attending the Eucharist on Sunday, the day of the Resurrection. We are also required by Divine Law to refrain from work if possible and to avoid commerce if possible.
2. Beginning on Sunday, June 6, the dispensation from attending the Divine Liturgy is revoked within the Eparchy of Passaic. Watching a livestream does not fulfill the obligation to attend the Eucharist.
3. Just as before the pandemic, anyone is relieved of the obligation for a serious reason such as sickness, immobility, fear, caring for someone else, to protect your own health or the health of others.

SAINTS CYRIL AND METHODIUS BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
REQUESTS FOR THE DIVINE LITURGY - 2021

It is a beautiful part of our Byzantine Catholic tradition to have the Divine Liturgy celebrated for a special intention or for health and God's blessing's upon a LIVING person, or for the repose of the soul of a DECEASED person. Liturgy requests are now available for the remaining months of 2021. A donation or stipend is an offering made to the priest for the Divine Liturgy for such a request. The suggested donation or stipend for the Divine Liturgy or for a Panachida is $15 and is given to the priest. (Please know that if you are unable to pay the stipend, Father will honor your request.) If your donation or stipend is by check, do not make the check payable to the church, but rather to Father Vasyl Sokolovych. After the request is received, it will be recorded in the church liturgical calendar. Special dates may be requested, but they may not always be available. If this is the case, you will be notified of a rescheduled date and time. If you would like to request a specific date, please do so now. Please know that we will work to provide the dates requested, but we cannot guarantee it. The dates are assigned on a first come first served basis and are reserved upon receipt of the offering.

To make your request, please fill out the form below, include your check and drop it in the collection basket.

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TOTAL ENCLOSED: $______________ (Please make checks payable to "Father Vasyl Sokolovych.")
Our Eparchy will be hosting monthly Byzantine Gatherings. Mark your calendars for each date. Gatherings will begin at 6:00 PM. Email contact: FrDeaconTom@gmail.com