

SUNDAY OF THE MYRRH-BEARING WOMEN  
May 1, 2022



*Icon of the Myrrh-bearing Women*

***The Best Role of All***

The church school was getting ready for the annual Easter pageant and all the children were asked to choose which part they wanted to play. One child chose to play Mary Magdalene, other children chose to play Saint Peter, or Joseph of Arimathea, and so forth. But, when it came time for Johnny's turn to choose, he happily wanted to be the angel who rolls away the stone that sealed the tomb of Our Lord.

After the pageant was over and Johnny was going home with his parents, his mother expressed how disappointed they were that he didn't choose a larger, more prominent role in the play. Johnny, however, was bouncing excitedly all over the back seat, obviously thrilled with his performance in the pageant. Finally, his mother turned to him and asked, "Tell me, Johnny, why are you so happy about just being

the angel who rolls away the stone from the tomb? Wouldn't you have liked to have had a bigger part to play?" Johnny replied quite innocently, "Oh, no, mom, just think! I'm the one who gets to let Jesus out! What role could be better than that?"

"The myrrh-bearing women arrived just before the dawn at the tomb of the Giver of Life and found an angel seated on the stone who spoke these words to them: 'Why do you seek the living among the dead? Why do you mourn the Incorruptible among those subject to decay? Go announce the good news to His disciples!'" (From *Resurrection Matins*) Let us continue to announce the good news and joyfully sing out: "Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!"

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**Mission Statement of St. John Chrysostom Byzantine Catholic Church**  
*To give thanks to God continually, as Byzantine Catholics, through our spirituality, our service, and preaching the Risen Christ through our everyday life.*

**LITURGY SCHEDULE**  
**ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, COLUMBUS**

***Confession/Spiritual Counseling is offered one hour before any Liturgy***

<i>Liturgy Date &amp; Time</i>	<i>Music in Green Book</i>
<b>Sunday, May 1-Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearers</b>	
<b>10am</b> Divine Liturgy; Bishop Milan is the celebrant and will be conferring the Mystery of Chrismation	
<b>Wednesday, May 4</b>	
<b>8:45am</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy +Donald Krofcheck by Tom Marco & Myroslava Mudrak	
<b>Thursday, May 5</b>	
<b>6:45pm</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy +Bernard Turanchik by Tom Marco & Myroslava Mudrak	
<b>Friday, May 6</b>	
<b>6:45pm</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy +Julia Fedeczko by Tom Marco & Myroslava Mudrak	
<b>Sunday, May 8- Sunday of the Paralytic Man</b>	
<b>Mother's Day</b>	<i>Pg 181</i>
<b>9:15am</b> Paschal Hour	
<b>9:30am</b> Divine Liturgy – Fr. Robert is substituting for Fr. Ignatius @ Holy Resurrection following our Liturgy	

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<b>Wednesday, May 11</b>	
<b>Sts. Cyril &amp; Methodius, Apostles to the Slavs</b>	
<b>8:45am</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy +Lillian Marco by Tom Marco & Myroslava Mudrak	
<b>Thursday, May 12</b>	
<b>6:45am</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy	
<b>Friday, May 13</b>	
<b>6:45pm</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy	
<b>Sunday, May 15</b>	
<b>Sunday of the Samaritan Woman</b>	<i>Pg 186</i>
<b>9:45am</b> Paschal Hour	
<b>10am</b> Divine Liturgy	

**ST. BARBARA, DAYTON**  
**LITURGY SCHEDULE**

Celebrating at: St. John Bosco Chapel  
Wright State University  
3650 Colonel Glenn Highway Fairborn, Ohio 45324



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**Saturday, May 7**  
*Sunday of the Paralytic Man;*  
*Mother's Day*  
**4pm** Paschal Hour and Divine Liturgy

**Saturday, May 14**  
*Sunday of the Samaritan Woman*  
**4pm** Paschal Hour and Divine Liturgy

**ST. BARBARA ECF CLASS SCHEDULE**

**04/30 NO ECF-Social with Bishop Milan**      **05/14** ECF Classes  
**05/07 NO ECF-Parish Social for Mother's Day**      **05/21** Final ECF Class for year

Please continue to pray for the youth and their families and for the catechists.

ECF Coordinator - Emma Ricketts - contact via email at [emma.ricketts1@icloud.com](mailto:emma.ricketts1@icloud.com)

**APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup> - Bishop Milan** confers the Mystery of Reconciliation and Parish Social with Bishop Milan following the Liturgy.

**Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> is the next Men's Group at 6 PM.** We'll be discussing the third chapter of Orthodoxy by G.K. Chesterton, which you can find here: <https://tinyurl.com/2p8rxj4r>. Please feel free to attend even if you don't read the material. As always, we will have a virtual option for those who wish to join virtually. For more information, contact Chris Wagner at [cwagner22587@gmail.com](mailto:cwagner22587@gmail.com)

**May 7<sup>th</sup> – Parish Social for Mother's Day**

### Readings for the Week of May 1, 2022

<b>Sunday</b>	Epistle, Acts 6:1-7;	Gospel, Mark 15:43-16:8
<b>Monday</b>	Epistle, Acts 6:8-7:5 & 47-60;	Gospel, John 4:46-54
<b>Tuesday</b>	Epistle, Heb 13:7-16;	Gospel, Luke 6:17-23
<b>Wednesday</b>	Epistle, Acts 8:18-25;	Gospel, John 6:35-39
<b>Thursday</b>	Epistle, Acts 8:26-39;	Gospel, John 6:40-44
<b>Friday</b>	Epistle, Acts 8:40-9:19;	Gospel, John 6:48-54
<b>Saturday</b>	Epistle, Acts 9:19-31;	Gospel, John 15:17-16:2
<b>Sunday</b>	Epistle, Acts 9:32-42;	Gospel, John 5:1-15

## ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

### ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM ECF CLASS SCHEDULE

**05/01 No ECF-Social with Bishop**

**05/08 NO ECF Mother's Day Social**

**05/15 ECF Classes**

**05/22 Final ECF Class for year**

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**PRAYER FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE:** *We thank You, Master and Lover of mankind, King of the ages and giver of all good things, for destroying the dividing wall of enmity and granting peace to those who seek your mercy. We appeal to You to awaken the longing for a peaceful life in all those who are filled with hatred for their neighbors, thinking especially of those at war or preparing for war. Grant peace to your servants. Implant in them the fear of You and confirm in them love one for another. Extinguish every dispute and banish all temptations to disagreement. For You are our peace and to You we ascribe glory: to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

**TODAY, WE WELCOME BISHOP MILAN** as he confers the Mystery of Chrismation, First Confession and Solemn Communion. There will be a social following Liturgy with Bishop Milan.

**GRADUATIONS** - We ask all St John & St. Barbara families to let us know of High School and College graduations so that we may congratulate them as well. Please get them into the office by May 15<sup>th</sup> by either email or phone.

### NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>

**1. PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE! Sunday services begin at 9:15am** as Father Robert is substituting for Fr. Ignatius at Holy Resurrection immediately following our Liturgy.

**2. We will have a coffee social for Mother's Day**

**3. We also begin the PDHC Baby Bottle Fundraising Campaign.** The Baby Bottles will be in the vestibule for you to pick up and place your donation to PDHC inside. It will run through Father's Day, June 19<sup>th</sup>. You may fill the bottle with change, bills or place a check to PDHC inside during this time. You can return the bottle to church anytime during this campaign, but please make sure all bottles are returned by June 19<sup>th</sup>.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup>** is our Slavic Celebration Dance Fundraiser. The doors open at 6:30pm and the dance is from 7:30 until 11:00 pm. Admission is \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door; prepay online at [byzantinecolumbus.com](http://byzantinecolumbus.com) *click on Slavic Celebration* or call Pat Papai at 614-457-0764. Children under 13 are FREE. Please purchase advance tickets before May 21<sup>st</sup>. Music by TKO, Tom Katrenich Orchestra and a special appearance by Selo, a Croatian Dance Troup at 8:15pm. Food and drink for sale all evening and a multi-prize raffle!

We still need volunteers for various aspects of the dance, please either sign-up on the sheets that are in hall during the social or contact Pat Papai at 614-457-0764 to offer your help.

### COMING UP IN JUNE

**Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup> is our Parish Picnic following Divine Liturgy.** The Ladies Guild will supply the main dishes and drinks. We ask everyone to bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share. Everyone is welcome to celebrate Pentecost and our parish!

**Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> – Project Day.** The fence on the side of the rectory is in need of some maintenance and repair. More details will follow later.

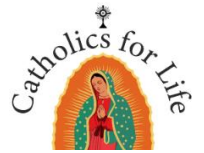


**MOTHERS' PRAYERS:** An online prayer group, where members meet every week and obey the strict rule of confidentiality. During the meetings a mother may share her worries without the fear of anything being repeated outside of the meeting. The other mothers support her in her prayer and she will feel supported by thousands of mothers around the world who are also part of Mothers' Prayers. Mothers experience a great peace with the blessing of this wonderful prayer support.

If you are interested in joining, please contact the office to put your email on the contact list to get the link to join in the online meeting.

## CATHOLIC FOR LIFE-COLUMBUS

Our team sidewalk counsels and prays rosaries at the Columbus abortion facilities every Friday. The mill is open from 8:30-4:00, but patients arrive earlier and leave later. Catholics for Life has representatives there or we have at least made sure that someone is praying and counseling every hour the mill is open. Contact us if you are interested in joining at any time!



For more information or to RSVP please email Gabriel Vance at [gabriel@catholicsforlife.us](mailto:gabriel@catholicsforlife.us) or you can call or text him at 740-972-2570.



## EPARCHY OF PARMA

**THE BYZANTEEN YOUTH RALLY** will take place June 30 – July 3, 2022 at Mount St. Mary's University in Emmitsburg, MD. The target group are teens from 13 to 20 y.o.\* The cost of the rally will be \$350 per attendee with an early bird price of \$325 (registration received before May 1, 2022). The registration for the Rally is available online on our website. Please follow the Facebook page of the Eparchy of Parma and our website ([www.parma.org](http://www.parma.org)) to find the link.

**PRE-RALLY** – Since everyone does not have the same distance to travel, we decided to organize a Pre-Rally on June 29 at St. John Chrysostom in Columbus, OH, as it's the halfway point to Maryland for most of us. We hope to have everyone arrive in Columbus around 6 p.m. and then we will have prayer and then some relaxing activities like icebreakers, a bonfire or movie. Everyone will then sleep over (bring yourself a sleeping bag) and the next day, after breakfast, we will all go together in our vans to Emmitsburg.

**SIBLING DISCOUNT** – The Eparchy of Parma will be providing a sibling discount which means that every two or more children from the same family will pay \$100 less.

## STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2021/22

**This weekend marks the end of this year's Eparchial Stewardship Appeal.** Payments may continue to be made through the end of this fiscal year, June 30, 2022. Visit [parma.org](http://parma.org) to make your donation. Thank you to everyone who participated with their **time, talent, and treasure**. Your participation has allowed our Eparchy of Parma to continue to provide funds to support four important needs in the Eparchy: Development of Parishes; Vocations and Seminarian Education; Works of the Apostolate; and Retired Priests. God Bless you!

**Goal for St. Barbara: \$4,700**

**Received as of 4/08/2022 - \$3,314.40**

**Goal for St. John Chrysostom: \$10,700**

**Received as of 4/08/2022 - \$7,463.75**

## From the DIOCESE OF COLUMBUS

### CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON CLUB – FRIDAY MAY 6, 2022

**Father Stash Dailey returns and presents the third of his four-part series entitled "RE-BUILDING A CHRISTIAN CULTURE."** Please join us Friday, May 6 at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for lunch followed by Fr. Dailey's talk, "Our Lady as Mother and Queen: Living the Life of the Church." If you missed either of Fr. Dailey's first two talks in the series each are available along with information about Catholic Men's Luncheon Club on the web at <https://www.catholicmensministry.com/about-cmlc>.

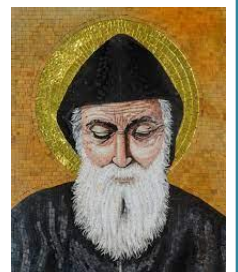
The entire series is sponsored by Nos Lumine & Attollo (<https://noslumine.com/>), AM 820 St. Gabriel Radio (<https://stgabrielradio.com/>), Egan-Ryan Funeral Service (<https://www.egan-ryan.com/>), and Bottoms Up Diaper Drive (<https://www.bottomsup.life/>). Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 am followed by lunch at 12:10 pm and Fr. Dailey's talk. Free parking available in the Columbus State Grant Avenue parking lot (25-S) across the street from St. Patrick. No reservations are necessary. \$12 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend!

**Our final luncheon before our summer break is June 3, 2022 when Fr. Dailey will complete his series with the fourth of his talks, "Sacred Heart of Jesus: Frequent encounters with Jesus in Scripture, in Adoration, in the Holy Mass."**

### Prayer to Saint Charbel Makhlouf

Lord, infinitely Holy and Glorified in Your Saints, You have inspired Charbel, the saint monk, to lead the perfect life of a hermit. We thank You for granting him the blessing and the strength to detach himself from the world so that the heroism of the monastic virtues of poverty, obedience, and chastity, could triumph in his hermitage.

We beseech You to grant us the grace of loving and serving You, following his example. Almighty God, Who has manifested the power of St. Charbel's intercession through his countless miracles and favours, grant us... (State your intention(s) here...) through his intercession. Amen.



### **For the sick in our parish families, please remember in your prayers:**

Hussein Abdi	Ron DeClue	Jackson Family	Rosemary Nyahay	Stephanie Salerno	Sandra Zvansky
Paula Balcarcel	Shayna DeClue	Gordon Kaercher	Mic O'Halloran	Justine Schwenk	Intentions of C. Charyton
Charles Branham	Ron Doctor	Susan Kaiser	John Oshinski	Trey Shearon	Intentions of Fr. Robert
Anna Brown	Aimeé Evans	James Kester	Paula Oshinski	John Sikora	Abby
Mary Carroll	Joseph Evans	Kathy Krofcheck	Carol Osifchin	Dennis Stinich	Adrian
Garey Conley	Weyni Girmay	Regina Lee	Beauetta Parks	Josh Taylor	Dave
Will Culver	Deborah Gordon	Christine Leon	Willie Phoenix	L.T. Tekle	Hagos
Maria Czyrnik	Charlene Grabner	Jessie Madzia	Cathy Pitt	Ruth Turanchik	Kathy
Dominique DeClue	Jeanette Hill	Bill Martin	Keith Pope	Owen Ward	Steve
Lori DeClue	Tim Hill	Joe Martin	Maria Rakowsky	Steven Woryk	Melissa
Mike DeClue	Esther Imhoff	Judy Martin	Terry Rasor	Dave Zaroka	Carol
Rick DeClue	Tad Imhoff	Angela Merva	Nadia Ritchey	Nicholas Zvansky	