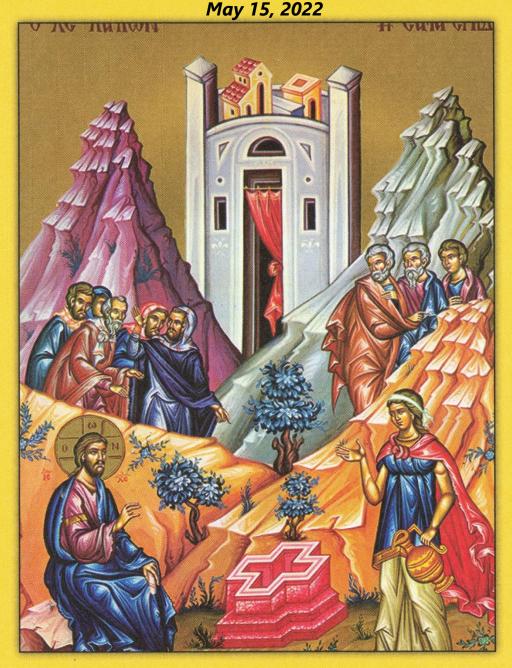
## SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN



Icon of Christ and the Samaritan Woman

### The Gift of Mercy

A story is told about a little boy who was sent to the school principal for misbehaving. After the little boy told him what he had done wrong, the principal took out a piece of paper and wrote the boy's name upon it, as well as the date and the reason for which the boy had been sent to him.

Then, the principal told the boy, "Timmy, I know that you are a good boy and you've never before been sent to me for misbehaving. Therefore, if you are not sent to me again this year for misbehaving, I will tear up this piece of paper and no one will ever know anything about it." The little boy remembered this as the most powerful lesson in mercy that he had ever learned.

The most powerful example of mercy that

we, as Christians, have ever witnessed is our Lord's resurrection, which we still continue to gloriously celebrate. However, earlier this week, on Wednesday, we also celebrated the Feast of Mid-Pentecost. Mid-Pentecost begins to set our sights on the reception of another of God's great gifts of mercy - the Gift of the Holy Spirit, Who will descend upon us on Pentecost Sunday.

Through the Resurrection, we know of God's mercy in that He has given us the gift of eternal life. Through the Descent of the Holy Spirit, we know of God's mercy in that He has not abandoned us. Rather, He sent the Holy Spirit to dwell among us, to dwell within us, and to nourish us, bless us and heal us - especially through the Holy Mysteries.

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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

Liturgy Data & Time	Music in		
Liturgy Date & Time	Green Book		
Sunday, May 15	Pg 186		
Sunday of the Samaritan	Woman	9	
9:45am Paschal Hour			
<b>10:00am</b> Divine Liturgy		•	
Wednesday, May 18		,	
<b>8:45am</b> Akathistos - Divine Liturgy			

**Thursday, May 19 6:45pm** Akathistos - Divine Liturgy

Friday, May 20 6:45pm Akathistos - Divine Liturgy

Sunday, May 22 Pg 189
Sunday of the Man Born Blind
9:45am Paschal Hour
10:00am Divine Liturgy

Liturgus Data & Timas	Music in
Liturgy Date & Time	Green Book
Sunday, May 22	Pg 189
Sunday of the Man Rorn Blind	

Sunday of the Man Born Blind9:45am Paschal Hour10:00am Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, May 25 Pg 191
Vigil for the Ascension of Our Lord

**7:00pm** Divine Liturgy

Thursday, May 26
Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord

**9:00am** Divine Liturgy Pg 191

Friday, May 27 7:00pm Divine Liturgy

Sunday, May 29

Memorial Day

10:00am Divine Liturgy

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Panachida for deceased servicemen at the Flag in front of the rectory following Liturgy

## ST. BARBARA, DAYTON LITURGY SCHEDULE

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



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

Saturday, May 21	Saturday, May 28	Saturday, June 4
Sunday of the Man Born Blind	Memorial Day	5th All Souls Saturday;
		Vigil for Pentecost
<b>4pm</b> Akathistos and	4pm Paschal Hour and	<b>4pm</b> Paschal Hour and
Divine Liturgy	Divine Liturgy	Divine Liturgy
	Panachida for our deceased servicemen	

St. Barbara ECF Class Schedule

**05/14** ECF Classes **05/21** Final ECF Class for year

The next Men's Group will be at 6 PM on Tuesday May 17<sup>th</sup>. 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

#### Readings for the Week of May 15, 2022

Sunday	Epistle, Acts 11:19-26 & 29-30;	Gospel, John 4:5-42
Monday	Epistle, Acts 12:12-17;	Gospel, John 8:42-51
Tuesday	Epistle, Acts 12:25-13:12;	Gospel, John 8:51-59
Wednesday	Epistle, Acts 13:13-24;	Gospel, John 6:5-14
Thursday	Epistle, Acts 14:21-27;	Gospel, John 9:39-10:9
Friday	Epistle, Acts 15:5-34;	Gospel, John 10:17-28
Saturday	Epistle, Acts 26:1-5 & 12-20;	Gospel, John 10:1-9
Sunday	Epistle, Acts 16:16-34;	Gospel, John 9:1-38

### **ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**

#### St. John Chrysostom ECF Class Schedule

05/15 ECF Classes

05/22 Final ECF Class for year

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





Empowering individuals to make healthy life choices consistent with the God-given intrinsic value of every human life.

We are continuing with 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, Father's Day, June 19<sup>th</sup>.

For more information on how PDHC helps women and families or any of their other fundraising activities, please go to PDHC.com.



**GRADUATIONS** - We ask all St John & St. Barbara families to let us know of High School, including Homeschool, 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.

**FROM ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM:** We congratulate Alexandra Frye who graduated last week from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor of Fine Arts, magna cum laude. Well done, Alex!



**SPRING CONCERT TO HELP UKRAINE:** Dublin Wind Symphony will be performing the Ukrainian National anthem at the Spring concert May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at 3pm-Dublin Scioto High School on Hard Rd in Dublin. The concert is free and we will be soliciting donations for the Ukrainian relief fund-for medical supplies.

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 *click on Slavic Celebration* or call Pat Papai at 614-457-0764. Children under 13 are FREE. Please purchase advance tickets before this Saturday, 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!

#### **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. Let's 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.

#### **CATHOLICS FOR LIFE-COLUMBUS**

Our team sidewalk counsels and prays rosaries at the Columbus abortion facilities every Tuesday and 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 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) 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**

Payments on pledges are still welcome through the end of the fiscal year, June 30. Please visit parma.org to make your payment.

Goal for St. Barbara: \$4,700 Received as of 4/30/2022 - \$5,114.40 Goal for St. John Chrysostom: \$10,700 Received as of 4/08/2022 - \$8,163.75

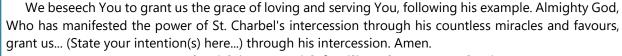
Members of St. John Chrysostom: Please remember that any amount OVER our goal is returned to the parish. Let us at least meet our goal!

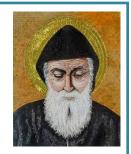
#### FROM THE DIOCESE OF COLUMBUS

<u>CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON CLUB – FRIDAY JUNE 3, 2022.</u> Father Stash Dailey returns and presents the final of his four-part series entitled "RE-BUILDING A CHRISTIAN CULTURE." Please join us Friday, June 3 at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for lunch followed by Fr. Dailey's talk,

#### **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.





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	Hagos
	Will Culver	Deborah Gordon	Christine Leon	Willie Phoenix	L.T. Tekle	Kathy
	Maria Czyrnik	Charlene Grabner	Jessie Madzia	Cathy Pitt	Ruth Turanchik	Steve
	Dominique DeClue	Jeanette Hill	Bill Martin	Keith Pope	Owen Ward	Melissa
	Lori DeClue	Tim Hill	Joe Martin	Maria Rakowsky	Steven Woryk	Carol
	Mike DeClue	Esther Imhoff	Judy Martin	Terry Rasor	Dave Zaroka	Melissa
	Rick DeClue	Tad Imhoff	Angela Merva	Nadia Ritchey	Nicholas Zvansky	



Birthdays& **Anniversaries** 

Ron Doctor Michael Jager Rachel Figler Eugene Kirtos Sarah Frye Connor Koval Veronica Hummel Amelia Kristof

Michael Papai Fiahd Lyons Camilla Pitt Paula Martin Mary Nunnery Ella Pitt Paula Oshinski Dave Ternsaky

James & Rachel Figler Celebrating 3 years Crowned in Marriage Thomas & Patricia Hartung Celebrating 36 years Crowned in Marriage Marty & Dina Hodovanich Celebrating 30 years Crowned in Marriage John & Lisa Leyendecker Celebrating 20 years Crowned in Marriage John & Paula Oshinski Celebrating 42 Crowned in Marriage Jim & Cathy Pitt Celebrating 35 years Crowned in Marriage Tom & Stephanie Smith Celebrating 23 years crowned in Marriage Jim & Irena Wallace Celebrating 51 years Crowned in Marriage

**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.



## St. John Chrysostom

Byzantine Catholic Church 5858 Cleveland Ave. Columbus, Ohio 43231 byzantinecolumbus.com presents

## A Slavic Celebration!

Saturday, May 28, 2022 7:30 - 11:00 pm Doors open at 6:30 pm

Food and drink for sale all evening including;

- Pierogi \*Cabbage Rolls
- Kielbasa & Kraut
- Kolachí and other special Desserts
- Beer, Wine, Coffee and Soft Drinks
- ·And More!

Plus a multiple-prize raffle!

Adults \$10.00 in advance \$12.00 at the door Children under 13 FREE



Dance to the International music of

> Tom Katrenich ORCHESTRA

7:30 to 11:00 pm

With Special Appearance by

Selo Croatian Dance Troup 8:15 pm



> Prepay online at byzantinecolumbus.com Click on Slavic Celebration

ror call Pat Papaí at (614) 457-0764

Buy your Advance tickets (before May 21<sup>st</sup>)