

# St. John Chrysostom Byzantine Catholic Church

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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.

## Liturgical Schedule

## Intention

**Confessions:** one hour before liturgy or by appointment

Sun	May 4	<b><u>Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearers</u></b>		
		<b>10:30am</b>	Divine Liturgy	<i>For the faithful</i>
		12:00pm	Ge'ez Divine Liturgy	
Sat	May 10	6:00pm	Vigil Divine Liturgy w/Fr. Ty Carter	
Sun	May 11	<b><u>Sunday of the Paralytic Man – Mother's Day</u></b>		
		10:00am	Typika Service w/Communion	
		12:00pm	Ge'ez Divine Liturgy	
Sun	May 18	<b><u>Sunday of the Samaritan Woman</u></b>		
		9:30am	Third Hour	
		10:00am	Divine Liturgy	<i>For the faithful</i>
		12:00pm	Ge'ez Divine Liturgy	



## Readings

## Epistle

## Gospel

Sun	May 4	Acts 6:1-7	Mark 15:43-16:8
Mon	May 5	Acts 6:8-7:5 & 47-60	John 4:46-54
Tue	May 6	Acts 8:5-17	John 6:27-33
Wed	May 7	Acts 8:18-25	John 6:35-39
Thu	May 8	1 Jn 1:1-7	John 19:25-27 & 21:24-25
Fri	May 9	Acts 8:40-9:19	John 6:48-54
Sat	May 10	1 Cor 4:9-16	Matt 13:54-58
Sun	May 11	Acts 9:32-42	John 5:1-15

## PRAYER FOR PEACE IN THE WHOLE WORLD

*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.*

## Parish Activities

Sun	May 4	11:30am	Parish Social; ECF
		2:00pm	Geez social
Sat	May 10	4:00pm	Ge'ez Women's Club Meeting
Sun	May 11	11:15am	Parish Social; ECF
		2:00pm	Geez social



**MAY 4<sup>TH</sup> – 16<sup>TH</sup>** - Father Robert is out of town. If you have a pastoral need or emergency, please contact Fr. Ty Carter of Holy Resurrection parish at 614-654-1064.

## **TEMPORARY SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR MAY**

**NO** Weekday Liturgies between May 4<sup>th</sup> and May 16<sup>th</sup>

- Sun, 05/04 10:30am Liturgy begins
- Sat, 05/10 6:00pm Vigil Liturgy
- Sun, 05/11 10:00a Typika Service with Communion
- Sun, 05/18 Regular schedule resumes

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## **PILGRIMAGE TO JUBILEE CHURCH COLUMBUS**

On May 31 we would like to continue our pilgrimages to special churches. This year we will visit St. Joseph Cathedral Columbus Downtown, which is assigned as a jubilee church. Last year we had a great time at St. Mary of Assumption Basilica in Lancaster.

10:00 am Welcome & intro by Fr. Jan Sullivan, Rector of the Cathedral

10.30 am Moleben to St. Joseph & Divine Liturgy

12:00 pm Potluck lunch at the Cathedral followed by tour (relics included)

Confessions will be available during the Moleben and Liturgy.

### **Pregnancy Support Resources**



**Pregnancy Decision Health Center: 614-444-4411**

**Birthright: 614-221-0844**

**Mommies Matter: 614-723-9308**

**Option Line: <https://optionline.org/> 1-800-712-4357**

**Women's Care Center: 614-251-0200**

**Stowe Mission, Columbus: 614-445-8400**

**Pregnancy Resources of Delaware County: 740-417-9358**





### 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:***

Abby	Schimmoeller Family	Christine Leon	Charles Roddy
Carol	Jack Figel	Jeanne Lombardi	Sandra Roddy
Hagos	Sarah Frye	Christine Long	Justin Rogers
Kathy	Christopher Gehman	Jessie Madzia	Lillian Rogers
Mara	Deborah Gordon	Ilya Mandebur	Mary Beth Rogers
Melissa	Charlene Grabner	Bill Martin	Trey Shearon
Steve	Nataly Grace	Joe Martin	John Sikora
Hussein Abdi	John Griffen	Mary Ann McCallister	Kathy Slonka
William Brake	Evelyn Hoechstetter	Joy Mersch	Kim Snow
Charles Branham	Eddie Hospodar	Angela Merva	Helen Stephens
John Brown	Esther Imhoff	Katie Nann	Dennis Stinich
Vernal Brown	Mech Intention	Ed Nyahay	Josh Taylor
Mary Carroll	Charyton Intentions	Anne O'Halloran	L.T. Tekle
Cindy Cox	DeClue Intentions	Mic O'Halloran	Ruth Turanchik
Will Culver	Special Intentions	John Oshinski	John Wagner
Maria Czynnik	Dora Johnson	Paula Oshinski	Owen Ward
Ron Doctor	Gordon Kaercher	Beauetta Parks	Curtis Weber
Dock Family	Susan Kaiser	Maksym Popadyn	Nicholas Zvansky
Jackson Family	James Kester	Maria Rakowsky	Sandra Zvansky
Lippert Family	Kathy Krofcheck	Terry Rasor	
Mazon Family	Regina Lee	Nadia Ritchey	

### **FROM THE EPARCHY OF PARMA**

**STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2024/25:** Those who practice stewardship have a keen sense of what it means to give back to God. A good steward has gratitude and knows everything is from our Lord. We need to reflect on what we have done with our life, our time, our talent, and our opportunities. How did we care for God's blessings we have received?

If you have not donated yet, please prayerfully consider how you can help the Eparchy financially this year. Visit <https://parma.org/stewardship-appeal> to donate. Thank you for your generosity!

**St. John Chrysostom's goal for this year is \$13,050. Amount contributed to date: \$14,920. Remember,** any amount over the assigned goal for our parish is returned to us.



# EIGHTH MIRACLE OF MARIAPOCH GALA

SATURDAY, MAY 17, 2025

6-9:30 P.M. VENUE 81 ELEVEN

ST. JOSEPH BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH  
8111 BRECKSVILLE ROAD, BRECKSVILLE, OHIO

Small plate buffet; wine and beer included

Raffle baskets and silent auction

\$40 per person; \$220 table of six

For tickets call (216) 272-6790 or order online at

[www.parma.org/shrine-of-mariapoch](http://www.parma.org/shrine-of-mariapoch)

Proceeds benefit capital improvements at the Shrine of Our Lady of Mariapoch, Burton, Ohio



Vision  
2024 in  
progress

*We are a center of prayer for peace in the world and in each life,  
offering the healing refuge of Our Lady of Mariapoch.*

## 2025 BYZANTINE ASSEMBLY; ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS!

Are you looking for an opportunity to deepen your faith, connect with like-minded young adults, and enjoy a vibrant weekend of Community, worship and faith filled fun? Join us for the 2025 Byzantine Assembly (July 17-20) in Whiting, Indiana—an inspiring gathering that celebrates our enduring faith and commitment to God's presence and a courageous faith in Christ! This is your chance to be part of a Synodal Church, where faith and fellowship come together, and spend some time with our bishops, priests and fellow Byzantine Catholics. Discounted registration rates and special housing available! See your pastor about a sponsorship! Visit us at **[ByzantineAssembly.org](http://ByzantineAssembly.org)**. See you in July!

# St. John Chrysostom Calendar for May 2025

*Please see current week's bulletin for any changes to this schedule*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b> <b>9a</b> Divine Lit	<b>2</b> <b>9a</b> Office <b>9a</b> Divine Liturgy	<b>3</b> <b>4p</b> Young Mother's mtg w/Fr. Weldit <b>6p</b> Vespers
<b>4</b> <b>10:30a</b> Divine Lit <b>11:15a</b> Social; ECF <b>12p</b> Ge'ez Lit <b>2p</b> Social	<b>5</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>10</b> <b>4p</b> Ge'ez Women's Club mtg <b>6p</b> Vigil Divine Lit w/Fr. Ty Carter
<b>11</b> <i><b>Mother's Day</b></i> <b>10a</b> Typika Srvc w/Communion <b>11:15a</b> Social <b>12p</b> Ge'ez Liturgy <b>2p</b> Social	<b>12</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>17</b> <b>2:30p</b> Wedding
<b>18</b> <b>9:30a</b> Third Hr <b>10a</b> Divine Lit <b>11:15a</b> Social; ECF <b>12p</b> Ge'ez Lit <b>2p</b> Social	<b>19</b> <b>9a</b> Office	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> <b>9a</b> Divine Lit <b>9a</b> Office	<b>22</b> <b>6p</b> Divine Lit	<b>23</b> <b>9a</b> Office <b>6p</b> Divine Lit	<b>24</b> <b>10a</b> Hall in use <b>6p</b> Vespers
<b>25</b> <b>9:30a</b> Third Hr <b>10a</b> Divine Lit <b>11:15a</b> Social; ECF <b>12p</b> Ge'ez Lit <b>2p</b> Social	<b>26</b> <i><b>Memorial Day</b></i> <b>OFFICE</b> <b>CLOSED</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <b>9a</b> Divine Lit <b>9a</b> Office	<b>29</b> <i><b>Ascension</b></i> <b>6p</b> Divine Lit	<b>30</b> <b>9a</b> Office <b>6p</b> Divine Lit	<b>31</b> <b>10a</b> Pilgrimage to St. Joseph Cathedral