

ARCHANGEL MICHAEL ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday, February 16, 2025

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Our parish welcomes you and thanks you for joining us in worship this morning.
If you desire any information about our parish, our diocese, or the Orthodox
Church and Faith, please contact Fr. John Memorich. Check us out online or visit
our Facebook Page which is updated regularly!



CHRIST IS IN OUR MIDST!

Sunday of the Prodigal Son

33rd

Sunday after Pentecost - Tone 1

EPISTLE READING
1 Cor. 6:12-20

GOSPEL LESSON
Luke 15:11-32

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 16

9:30 am Divine Liturgy - Live Stream (LS*)
Sunday School

Monday, February 17 GrtMtyr Theodore, the Recruit

5:00 pm Dinner/Serve @ St. Herman's

Tuesday, February 18 St. Leo the Great

11:00 am 55+ - Parastas / Meeting / Lunch

Wednesday, February 19

7:00 pm Board of Trustees Meeting via Zoom

Thursday, February 20

7:00 pm Church Open House

Saturday, February 22

5:00 pm Vespers / Confession

Sunday, February 23 Meatfare Sunday / Sunday of the Last Judgment

9:30 am Divine Liturgy - Live Stream (LS*)
Sunday School – Choir Day
Annual Parish Meeting

3rd of 3 –

Announcement for Annual Parish Meeting –

February 23, 2025

PRAYERS, CANDLES, 7-DAY VIGILS and FLOWERS

FOR THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF:

Kathy Yacobian (Health) by The Cook Family

Mark Herberth (Health; 50th BD; 7-d) by the Family

Kathy Yacobian (Health; 7-d) by Jackie Sipko

FOR THE REPOSE AND BLESSED MEMORY OF:

Ralph Allen (Newly Departed; 7-d) by Paula & Nate

Annette Lapso (Departed; 7-d) by Dennis Lapso

Marie Michaels (Departed; 7-d) by Phil & Judi Wienclaw

Sam Noah (Departed; 7-d) by Marianne Noah

Sbn. John Ressetar (Departed; 7-d) by The Lapso Family

Helen Ropchok (Departed; 3 yr Anniv; 7-d) by Mark, Gabe
and Andrew

Sunday, February 16 - Altar Servers & Readers

Altar Servers: Silas Foster, Isaac Foster, Nikolai Hanchuk, Connor Noll, Jackson Young, Alex Foster, Augustin Mindala, Kai Tesar, Lance Louie

Reader: Pat Hanchuk

Sunday, February 23 - Altar Servers & Readers

Altar Servers: Sam Watts, Jacob Kormos, John Kormos, Danny Reilly, Nicholas Watts, Joseph Deyling, Mathias Hoffman, Lance Louie

Reader: Nick Rolin

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Tues, Feb 25 – Adult Education –
“Making our Lenten Journey Great!”
- Sun, March 9 – Sunday of Orthodoxy – 5pm at
St. Sava Serbian Orthodox Cathedral (Broadview Rd.)
- Mon, March 31 – Prosphora Baking

OPEN HOUSE - Come and See!

Thursday, February 20th – 7PM – 8PM.

St. James Prayer List – February

*"The prayer of the righteous has great power in its affects"
(St. James 5:1)*

*For the complete St. James Prayer List,
please see the most recent issue of the Archangel.*

Stewardship

Thank you for your Stewardship. May God bless you for your generosity.

	2/9	January MTD
GENERAL FUND		
Pledge **	\$ 5,603.00	11,320.00
PayPal / Pledge	\$ 125.00	150.00
PayPal/Donation	\$ 0	0
Candle Desk	\$ 155.00	268.00
Candles/Vigils–Prayers	\$ 120.00	150.00
Cash Offering/non-Pledge	\$ 40.00	120.00
Children's Offering	\$ 0	1.00
Flowers	\$ 0	0
Loose Cash	\$ 27.00	36.00
Spec Occasion	\$ 0	40.00
OTHER INCOME	\$	
Baptisms	\$ 400.00	400.00
Basement Rental	\$ 100.00	100.00
IMO	\$ 100.00	100.00
Livestream	\$ 0	100.00
Reimb Postage/Woodside	\$ 0	172.50
2023 Pledging Fdn / lost funds	\$ 0	328.65
Weekly INCOME	\$ 6,670.0	13,306.15
Weekly EXPENSE *	\$ 7,082.00	7,082.00
(UNDER) / OVER	\$ -412.00	-857.85
SPECIAL FUNDS INCOME		
Charity	\$ 25.00	25.00
Endowment	\$ 1,500.00	1,500.00
Improvement	\$ 25.00	125.00
Renovation	\$ 25.00	65.00
Liturgical	\$ 0	0
	\$	
Weekly Total / Deposit to Spec Fund	\$ 1,575.00	1,715.00

*Weekly expenses are based on the current year's approved budget, divided by 52 weeks in the year.

**Pledge total may include donations towards the 2024 Pledge Campaign

***Transfer from Special Funds (SF) covers expenses which have been earmarked for payment from the Spec Funds Acct.

Bulletin Information Deadline

Deadline – is Wednesday – 12 pm / Noon

Please forward any information you would like to have added to the bulletin to the church email – info@stmichaelscleveland.org

OR call 440-526-5192, Mat. Lu Timko.

Thank you!

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SUPER BOWL WINNERS

\$20 Board -

1st Qtr. Mat. Lu Timko
Half-time Joe Uhrina
3rd Qtr. Liz (Pishko) Matyas
Final Pat Patrick

\$10 Board -

1st Qtr. Daniel Mehalik
Half-time Chase Speth
3rd Qtr. Mat. Jani Memorich
Final Darlene Dimitrijevs

The Cleveland R Club Thanks all who participated!

"March Madness" squares go on sale Sunday, Feb 23, for \$25 each; for a total of 64 prizes to be distributed.

CHARITY RAFFLE /

BENEFITING ST. THEODOSIUS FIRE RESTORATION

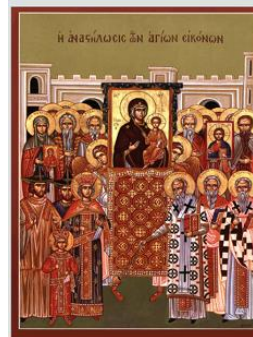
Tickets – 10 chances / \$125; 30 chances / \$250; 70 chances / \$375. **Next drawing is - Sunday, March 9th.**

This winner for our February drawing was – Sharon Glagola – Congratulations!

Lenten Meals

We are looking for groups/individuals to help prepare a Lenten Meal (pot-luck) following Wednesday evening Presanctified Liturgies. If you are interested, please contact Kathy Mindala – 440-263-7427.

Sunday of Orthodoxy



Please, join us for choral rehearsals as we prepare for the Triumph Of Orthodoxy

Rehearsals will be held at 6:30pm Tuesdays:
February 18, 25 and March 4.
(additional dates can be discussed at the 1st rehearsal)

All rehearsals will be held at:

Saint Sava Cathedral
6306 Broadview Road
Parma, OH 44134

Everyone is Welcome!

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT

Tommy Visocky will be joining the ranks of Eagle Scout through his upcoming Project, which will be through Audrey's Outreach in Brook Park, OH. In his effort to achieve this goal, he is asking for donations of



non-perishable food items (rice / jelly / dry pasta / soup); clothing items, such as shoes, coats, new socks / underwear, and linens. A box will be placed in the vestibule for this purpose (2/2 thru 2/23). Please be generous in your donations for this worthy cause.

GREETERS MINISTRY

Although we do a very good job of welcoming guests into our church, we are looking to expand this parish ministry by adding more volunteers, especially families. This would entail not simply opening the door and welcoming, but also taking the time to introduce yourself to our guests, offer to sit with them, help them follow along in our service books, and escort them to Coffee Hour and help introduce them to others in the parish.

If you would like to participate, we are hoping to have enough volunteers to make up a schedule which would rotate regularly, perhaps quarterly. If you would like more information, please contact Fr. John or Darlene Dimitrijevs.

OUTREACH – COOKING & SERVING MEALS

We will be cooking and serving dinner at St Herman's the 3rd Monday of every month. If you can donate a few hours each month to cook and/or serve dinner for the men at St. Herman's, please contact Kathy Kovalak, 440-842-6639.

Also we will be starting a list of people willing to cook a meal or 2 for one of our parishioners who might be ill, in hospital, wonderful it would be to help each other. Please contact **Kathy Kovalak** at 440-842-6639 if you are interested.

CANDLES & PRAYERS

Have your loved one(s) remembered or prayed for during the Liturgy by requesting Candles & Prayers. Each request includes a listing in the bulletin, the name read during the service and the specific candle you would like. A \$3 candle burns during the service; a \$15 Seven-Day candle burns all week. There are specialty candles as well (i.e., Tetrapod Candles, High Place, Altar Table, etc.). Prices for those range from \$20-\$30. Call or email the church office to submit your request – or leave your request in the collection basket or at the candle desk. Call the church office with any questions!

Health & Well-Being

Health * Birthdays * Anniversaries * Name Day * Traveling

Repose & Blessed Memory

Newly Departed * Death Anniversary * Birthday of the Departed



Friday, March 7

6:00 pm – Akathist Service

6:30 pm – HALOS Fellowship in the AMOC Gym



CALENDAR

- Feb 23 – Choir Day
- March 2 – Forgiveness Sunday
- March 9 – Sunday of Orthodoxy

Please join our **GroupMe Chat** and check out our Amazon Supplies List, as well! <https://bit.ly/AMOCSSGroupMe>

COFFEE HOUR SPONSORS – 2025

Thank you to those who have sponsored a coffee hour!

February – HALOS	July – Senior 'R' Club
March – Senior 'R' Club	August – Junior 'R' Club
April – Junior 'R' Club	September – Samaritans
May – HALOS	October – HALOS
June – 55+ Club	November – Sunday School
	December – BOT (Board of Trustees)

ST. ANDREW'S FISH FRY SCHEDULE

16029 Maple Park Drive, Maple Hts. Serving 5 pm to 7 pm

February 21	March 7, 14, 21
	April 4 and 11

*Happy Birthday to those
celebrating this week*



February

Lisa Hanchuk	23	Thomas Rigby	26
Michael Sekerak	23	Aiden Farris	27
Hannah Mehalik	25	Robert Chamberlin	28
Kathy Mindala	26		

March

Nikolai Hanchuk	1
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No anniversaries this week.

May God grant you many years!!



Heights

Living Traditions Folk Ensemble

Sunday February 16
6 - 7:30 PM
Church of the Assumption
9183 Broadview Rd, Broadview

Living Traditions Folk Ensemble is a multi-generational performing group that preserves music, song, dance, and tradition of our Eastern European ancestors. They are **now welcoming new members** of any age, at the beginning of this 2025 performing season. If you are interested, please contact Cathy & Tom Katrenich at Katrenich@msn.com or 216-272-2236.

OUR JOURNEY TO PASCHA! 2025

Created by Fr. Jonathan Bannon (ACROD)

SUNDAYS		THEMES / GOSPEL READING	HOW TO PARTICIPATE:
Fast - Free Week FEBRUARY 9th		TRIODION WEEKS Publican and the Pharisee Epistle: 2 Timothy 3:10-15 Gospel: Luke 18:10-14	Show compassion on the poor and distressed. Trust in God, not yourself and ask for His help before every task this week.
Normal Fast Week FEBRUARY 16th		The Prodigal Son Returns! Epistle: 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 Gospel: Luke 15:11-32	Schedule a Confession. Every morning say, "Today I will be humble." Use up/freeze meats this week.
Meatfare FEBRUARY 23rd FAREWELL TO MEAT TODAY		The Last Judgement Epistle: 1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2 Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46	Pray facing East this week. Christ is returning from the East and we wait for Him! Use up/freeze dairy this week.
Cheesefare MARCH 2nd FAREWELL TO CHEESE TODAY		Adam and Eve are cast from Paradise! FORGIVENESS SUNDAY Epistle: Romans 13:11-14:4 Gospel: Matthew 6:14-21	Ask each other for forgiveness each evening this week before bed.
1st Sunday of Lent MARCH 9th		GREAT LENT BEGINS WITH FORGIVENESS VESPERS SUNDAY of ORTHODOXY Epistle: Hebrews 11:24-26, 32-12:2 Gospel: John 1:43-51	Bring an icon to church for a procession.
2nd Sunday of Lent MARCH 16th		ST GREGORY PALAMAS Epistle: Hebrews 1:10-2:3 Gospel: Mark 2:1-12	Bring a prayer rope to be blessed today! Use it and pray the Jesus Prayer each day this week.
3rd Sunday of Lent MARCH 23rd		VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS HALF WAY TO PASCHA! Epistle: Hebrews 4:14-5:6 Gospel: Mark 8:34-9:1	Wear your cross to church and kiss the cross each morning with a bow!
4th Sunday of Lent MARCH 30th		ST JOHN of the LADDER Epistle: Hebrews 6:13-20 Gospel: Mark 9:17-31	Every time you climb stairs this week ask St. John to help you reach Paradise with the sign of the cross!
5th Sunday of Lent APRIL 6th		ST MARY of EGYPT Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14 Gospel: Mark 10:32-45	Ask the Theotokos to offer you and the world pure thoughts and ideas this week.
FLOWERY (PALM) SUNDAY! APRIL 13th GREAT WEEK BEGINS		GREAT AND HOLY WEEK ENTRY OF OUR LORD INTO JERUSALEM Epistle: Philippians 4:4-9 Gospel: John 12:1-18	Place your palm branches and pussywillows behind an icon at home and in your car!
GREAT AND HOLY FRIDAY APRIL 18th		GREAT AND HOLY FRIDAY JESUS DIES ON THE CROSS CHECK WITH YOUR PARISH FOR ROYAL HOURS AND VESPERS SCHEDULE	Refrain from TV, Internet & Phones to honor Christ's Death.
FEAST OF FEASTS! APRIL 20th NO FASTING!		BRIGHT WEEK HOLY PASCHA! (CHRIST IS RISEN!) Epistle: Acts 1:1-8 Gospel: John 1:1-17	Greet everyone with "CHRIST IS RISEN!" & say it before good morning and goodnight!

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February 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 5pm-Vespers – CANCELLED
2 Zacchaeus Sunday Meeting of the Lord in the Temple 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School	3 Righteous Godbearer Simeon and Anna the Prophetess	4	5	6	7 6pm-HALOS – Drop-Dash & Dine	8 3pm-Baptism – Michael Rolin 5pm-Vespers/Confession
9 Publican & Pharisee Fast Free 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School	10 Fast Free Hmtr. Haralambos 10am-Prosphora Baking	11 Fast Free 10am-Deanery Meeting @ Holy Trinity	12 Fast Free 9:30am-Molieben / Samaritans	13 Fast Free 6pm-Woodside Bd Mtg	14 Fast Free	15 Fast Free 5pm-Vespers/Confession
16 Prodigal Son 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School	17 5pm-Dinner/Serve @ St. Herman's	18 St. Leo 11am-55+ - Parastas / Lunch	19 7pm/BOT Meeting (Zoom)	20 7pm-Open House	21	22 5pm-Vespers/Confession
23 Meatfare Sunday / Sunday of the Last Judgment 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School Parish Annual Meeting	24 Meat Fast	25 Meat Fast 7pm-Adult Ed – “Making our Lenten Journey Great”	26 Meat Fast	27 St. Raphael, Bhp of Brooklyn Meat Fast	28 Meat Fast	