

ARCHANGEL MICHAEL ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday, September 20, 2026

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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! Afterfeast of the Elevation of the Cross 16th Sunday after Pentecost. Tone 7.

EPISTLE READING
2 Cor 6:1-10

GOSPEL LESSON
Matt. 25:14-30

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday, September 20

9:30 am Divine Liturgy (Live Stream)
Parastas - Weaver
R Club Bake Sale
12 noon Golf Outing @ Seneca Golf Course (Baldwin 9)

Monday, September 21

10:00 am Prosphora Baking -

Come and join us!



5:00 pm Dinner/Serve @ St. Herman's
7:30 pm Zoom Call – Camp Meeting

Tuesday, September 22 Prophet Jonah

Wednesday, September 23 Ven. Martyr Raissa

7:00 pm Board of Trustees Meeting via ZOOM call

Thursday, September 24 New Martyrs of Alaska – Hieromonk Juvenaly and Peter the Aleut

Prislopsky Dinner / Lecture
6:00 pm Registration
6:30 pm Dinner
7:00 pm Lecture

Friday, September 25 Repose Ven. Sergius of Radonezh

Saturday, September 26 Repose St. John the Theologian

5:00 pm Vespers / Confession

Sunday, September 27

9:30 am Divine Liturgy (Live Stream)
Parastas – 40-day – Anne Kallay

SEPTEMBER COFFEE HOUR SPONSOR

Samaritans

PRAYERS, CANDLES, 7-DAY VIGILS and FLOWERS

FOR THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF:

Dan & Sandy Mehalik (Health)..... by Lynda Kostura
Tim Gaydos-Baker (Birthday) by Dad, Mom & Family
Roman Mindala (Birthday) by John/Kathy Mindala
Alice Mae, Victoria & Greg (Well-being; 7-d)
..... By Fran/Tim Kormos
Robert Lucak (Health; 7-d) by the Pishko Family
Jenna Staikoff (Health; 7-d)..... by the Rolin Family

FOR THE REPOSE AND BLESSED MEMORY OF:

Protinica Ana Stepanov (Departed; Birthday)
..... by the Cook Family
John Shuleva (Departed) by Family
Annette Lapso (Departed; 7-d by Dennis Lapso
Mary Jane Lucak (Departed; 7-d) by the Pishko Family
Protinica Ana Stepanov (Departed/Birthday; 7-d) . by Jackie Sipko
Ken Visocky (Newly Departed; 7-d) by Marty Knop
William & Elizabeth Weaver (Departed; 7-d)
..... by Jeff / Belinda Weaver

The Altar Table Candles are given in honor of Sophia Olga Klembara's 1st Birthday by Pdn. Anthony and Mka. Dianna Kall.

The Highplace Candles are given in loving memory of Betty & John Whitton by the Rolin Family.

Sunday, September 20 – Altar Servers & Readers

Altar Servers: David Visocky, Tommy Visocky, Xavier Visocky, Charlie Herzak, MJ Herzak, Connor Noll, Jacob G Kormos, John Kormos, David Hayes

Reader: Evelyn Lynagh

Sunday, September 27 – Altar Servers & Readers

Altar Servers: Lance Louie, Danny Reilly, Mathias Hoffman, Joseph Zvara, Johnny Mindala, Nicholas Gaydos, Augustin Mindala, Roman Mindala

Reader: Dennis Lapso

Bulletin Information (Deadline)

Deadline for the bulletin is Wednesday - **12/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.

Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sat, Sept 26 – Retreat – ‘Marriage as a Path to Holiness’ @ St. Innocent OC, Olmsted Falls
- Sat, Sept 26 – EOWG Mtg @ Holy Trinity, Parma
- Fri, Oct 2 – HALOS – Down on the Farm Event (see flyer)
- Sat, Oct 10 – Speaker – ‘Book of Revelation’ @ St. Matthew OC, North Royalton
- Sat, Oct 17 – Retreat – ‘Light Streams In’ @ Sts. Constantine & Helen OC, Cleveland Hts.
- Sun, Nov 8 – St. Michael’s Day Banquet
- Sat, Nov 14 – Baba’s Kitchen

St. James Prayer List – September

*“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.*

Month End July 2026 – YTD

	June	July	Year to Date	Budget Deficit	Forecast
Collection	\$ 31,786	25,201	\$ 357,051	398,150	437,150
Required to pay bills	\$ 33,083	39,163	\$ 357,372	469,440	475,902
Surplus/(Short)	\$ (1,298)	\$(13,962)	\$ (321)	\$(71,290)	\$(38,752)

Through July we were very close to break even for the year and have achieved over half of our goal to reduce the \$71,290 budget deficit. Year-to-date, we have generated a small loss of \$321 and are performing approximately \$42,100 better than this time last year. That is quite an achievement!

The end of summer is upon us, and we were required to draw \$15,000 from our reserves during the month of August to meet our financial obligations. We almost made it through the summer without needing to do so!

As we return to the start of the church and school year in September, we are hopeful that contributions will increase. Thank you for your continued generosity and support of our parish. Every contribution makes a difference and helps us meet our ongoing financial commitments.

GIFT FROM GOD

Congratulations to **Victoria (Murphy) & Greg Kormos** on the birth of their daughter, **Alice Mae**, who was born Friday, September 11th.

Raffle – Help support St. Vladimir’s Camp

It’s not too late to join in! Tickets are still available for purchase, and every entry helps support **St. Vladimir’s Camp**. To date, we have raised **just under \$7,000** (before bank fees and raffle prize costs).

Tickets can be purchased **online** or by **check payable to St. Michael’s**. If you prefer to enter by check, please give your check to **Darlene Dimitrijevs**.

Our next drawing will take place today – Sunday, October 11, 2026. Good luck and thank you for your continued support!

50th Wedding Anniversary

Celebrating your 50th Anniversary this year? Please let us know by contacting the church office – 440-526-5192 or email at info@stmichaelscleveland.org

SOLOS Dates

Mon, Sept 28 – Hartville Kitchen Restaurant & Shops
Sun, Oct 11- Weathervane Playhouse “Deathtrap”

*Happy Birthday to you who
are celebrating this week*



September

Roman Mindala	20	Joy Pfeiffer	23
Jeffrey Boyd	21	William Schlekke	23
Michael Bittner	23	Sarah Visocky	23
Sophia Klembara	23	Christine Turk	24
Briella Malinowski	23		

*Happy anniversary to those
celebrating this week*



September

No anniversaries this week.

May God grant you many years!!

HALOS – BACKYARD - A GREAT BIG THANK YOU!

We (**HALOS**) would like to extend a heartfelt **thank-you** to **Mr. Ropchock and Andrew** for so graciously hosting our Halos Backyard Hangout! Your kindness, generosity, and wonderful hospitality made the evening so special for everyone.

We had an amazing time enjoying the bounce house, basketball, pizza, roasted marshmallows and apples, and—most importantly—fellowship with our church family. The children had so much fun, and we made some truly wonderful memories together! May God bless you both for opening your home and helping make this beautiful evening possible. We are so grateful! ♥

Choir Director Position

Archangel Michael Orthodox Church is seeking a **dedicated Choir Director** to lead, develop, and inspire our parish choir. The Choir Director will play an important role in the spiritual and musical life of our parish, helping our community experience the beauty and depth of Orthodox worship.

If you know of someone or would like to participate on the search committee for a new choir director, please reach out to Fr John or Darlene Dimitrijevs.



AMOC SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:30AM: Divine Liturgy Begins

Communion: Teachers and students will line-up for Communion first. Classes will begin in the Church basement immediately following Communion.

Classroom

Changes: There are a few moves for some classrooms this year. Teachers and Students names will be posted on each classroom door.

Amazon Sunday School Supply Wish List: Check out how you can help! Link – (copy and paste) – https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/Y4L3U2W8RSGD?ref=cm_sw_r_apin_ggr-subnav-share_7VD6JWE0ACT7HEXA0V6V&language=en-US

PIEROGI MAKING – Let's start pinching!

More dates to follow for pinching and baking – watch this SPOT!!

Questions, contact Donna Tesar at 216-401-2834 or Sharon Glagola at 440-263-2862.

DESIGNER PURSE BINGO – ST. VLADIMIR'S CAMP

The St. Vladimir's Camp Designer Purse Bingo will be held on **Sunday, October 4, 2026** at Woodside Event Center. Lunch will be served at 1 pm, and the Bingo games will start at 2 pm. Tickets (ages 16 and over) are \$35 and can be purchased at: <https://bit.ly/2026VladsPurseBingo>.

We are looking for donations (get a break on your taxes!) – contact Becky if you would like to donate a NEW designer handbag, a NEW non-designer bag (consolation prizes) or raffle basket. Please contact Melissa Tesar with questions – 216-509-2573 or mjtesar@gmail.com.

COFFEE HOUR SPONSORS – 2026

Thank you to those who have sponsored a coffee hour!

October - HALOS

November – Sunday School

December – BOT (Board of Trustees)



HELP US KEEP IN TOUCH

We kindly ask all parishioners to help us keep our records up to date by providing any changes to your **phone number, home address, or email address**. We strongly encourage you to include your **cell phone number**, as it greatly helps us communicate important announcements and updates in a timely manner.

CALLING All Book Lovers!

If you are a reader and would like to take an hour or two every other month to discuss a book with other book lovers, please join us! We typically meet at church starting at 7pm and end by 9 (annual luncheon in January and summer meeting at Fr. John and Jani's house). Our schedule will be listed in the church calendar but if you want to get on our email list, please provide your email address to Matushka Jani.

- November 20th book –
"The House Maid's Secret" by Freida McFadden

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 it 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

St. Nicholas – Mogadore – Car Show

Sunday, Sept 20 - This CRUISE-IN event starts at 1 pm, but cars may arrive starting at noon. Potato pancakes, pierogi, Friday Night Lights ice cream truck, Hometown Beverages mobile truck, raffle baskets, 50/50 and more! Cars will be parked on pavement. No registration or fee, just show up for the fun. Event hours 1-4pm.

Thursday, September 24

16th Annual

Fr. Prislopsky Memorial

Dinner Lecture

The Lord is My Shepherd:

An in-depth explanation of the most-beloved and well-known Psalm of King David.

Keynote Speaker: V. Rev. Fr. John Memorich



Thursday, September 24, 2026

ARCHANGEL MICHAEL ORTHODOX CHURCH
Woodside Party Center
5025 E Mill Road
Broadview Hts., OH

6:00 PM - Registration
6:30 PM - Dinner
Shepherd's Pie
7:00 PM - Lecture
Cost: \$15 per person

RSVP Required Through Church Office
by Friday, September 11, 2026
Call - (440) 526-5192 or email at
info@stmichaelscleveland.org



Saturday, September 26



Theotokos of Vladimir

EASTERN ORTHODOX WOMEN'S GUILD OF GREATER CLEVELAND UNITY THROUGH PARTICIPATION

"MEMBERSHIP DRIVE"

As we closeout the year and get ready to begin a New Church Year, the EOWG is also in full gear to reunite our friends from our neighboring Orthodox churches and make new friends who join us along with opportunities to deepen our faith.

In order to further unite the Orthodox Churches of Greater Cleveland and to continue to grow in Christ as One Church, the month of August has been declared to begin our "Membership Drive" month.

Please consider joining our ministry and come to our FIRST meeting in September and bring a friend.

WHEN: Saturday, September 26
TIME: 10:00 AM

Holy Trinity Orthodox Church
6822 Broadview Road
Parma, Ohio 44134



SEE YOUR CHURCH REPRESENTATIVE TO RENEW OR TO JOIN

Saturday, Sept 26 – Sunday, Sept 27

† TWO DAYS OF FAITH, LEARNING & FELLOWSHIP †

MARRIAGE AS A PATH TO HOLINESS

WITH DRs. DAVID AND MARY FORD

ENRICH YOUR FAITH AND DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING
OF A GREAT MYSTERY OF THE CHURCH.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

10:00 AM	AKATHIST TO ST INNOCENT OF ALASKA
11:00 AM	SESSION WITH DR. DAVID Q&A AFTERWARD
12:30 PM	LUNCH (PROVIDED) RSVP to priest.paisios@gmail.com by SEPT 19
2:00 PM	SESSION WITH DR. MARY Q&A TO FOLLOW
5:00 PM	VESPERS

**ST. INNOCENT
OF ALASKA**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

11:30 AM

DR. DAVID WILL GIVE
A PRESENTATION
**ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM:
Glimpses into his
Life and Wisdom**

HELD AT
ST. INNOCENT ORTHODOX CHURCH
8526 Usher Road
Olmsted Twp, OH

ALL ARE
WELCOME!

"The glory of God is man fully alive, and the life of man is the vision of God."
— ST. IRENAEUS

Sunday, October 4

Saturday, October 17

GET READY FOR FUN!

DESIGNER PURSE BINGO

Each of our 10 BINGO games will feature a different designer purse for the winner.

WOODSIDE Event Center
5025 E. Mill Rd
Broadview Heights

Mimosas & Wine for purchase

Raffles & Prizes



OCTOBER 4, 2026
WOODSIDE EVENT CENTER * LUNCH 1PM * GAMES 2PM
Tickets \$35 - 16 & older please
Purchase tickets at:
<https://bit.ly/2026VladsPurseBingo>
Questions: Melissa Tesar - 216-509-2573 - mjetesar@gmail.com
BENEFITS THE MISSION OF ST. VLADIMIR'S CAMP & RETREAT CENTER

Saints Constantine & Helen Cathedral, Cleveland Heights, Ohio
St. Makrina Bible Study presents

Fall Retreat Light Streams In
Saturday, October 17, 2026 9:00 am- 3:00 pm

"In turbulent times, how are Christians to engage with this modern world? We look to St. Porphyrios who teaches us to let Christ's light stream into the darkness, and challenges us to radiate light".

Elissa Bjeletich Davis
Orthodox Christian author, podcaster, and speaker



Checks to: Sts. Constantine & Helen Cathedral / "Retreat" in memo
3352 Mayfield Rd / Cleveland Heights, OH 44118 (Attn: Anna Warren)
More Information Toni Madden 440-840-1276
<https://pci.jotform.com/form/262124886813159>

Name _____

Church _____

Phone: _____ Email _____

Tickets include breakfast and lunch \$15 (\$20 after 10/10)
Students free (registration required)

Additional Donation _____
Total Enclosed _____

Saturday, October 10



St. Matthew Orthodox Church
Presents
Dr. Jeannie Constantinou
Professor, Biblical Scholar,
Author & Speaker
Dr. Jeannie Constantinou
will speak about the
Book of Revelation

Saturday, October 10
10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Lunch will be provided

Please register by October 5:
stmatthewregistration@gmail.com

St. Matthew Orthodox Church
10383 Albion Rd., North Royalton

Free Will Offering Greatly Appreciated!!

Saturday, November 14

**ARCHANGEL MICHAEL
ORTHODOX CHURCH**

FOOD FAIR

Baba's Kitchen

FEATURING

BEEF STROGANOFF
CABBAGE & NOODLES
AND ETHNIC PASTRIES / PIES

Chicken Paprikash Stuffed Cabbage

Pierogis



TAKE OUT OR DINE IN

**BASKET RAFFLE - WINNERS
NEED NOT BE PRESENT**

NOVEMBER 14, 2026 - 11AM TO 4PM
AT WOODSIDE EVENT CENTER
5025 E MILL ROAD
BROADVIEW HTS., OH



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SEPTEMBER - 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		CHURCH NEW YEAR 1	2 8pm-BOT Mtg via ZOOM	3	4	Prophet Zachariah & Righteous Elizabeth 5 3pm-Baptism-Johnson 5pm-Vespers/Confession
Commemoration of the Miracle of the Archangel Michael at Colossae 6 9:30am-Divine Liturgy	7 LABOR DAY	Nativity of the Most Holy Theotokos 8 9:30am-Divine Liturgy 12pm-Pierogi making	Righteous Joachim & Anna 9 9am – Pierogi making 9:30am-Molieben / Samaritans	10	11	12 5pm –Vespers/Confession
Sunday before the Exaltation of the Cross 13 9:15am-Molieben / Church School 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School Starts Charities Committee Mtg / In the Vestibule Pizza Party 7pm-Vespers	Exaltation of the Cross 14 STRICT FAST 9:30am-Divine Liturgy 11am-55+ Meeting / Lunch	15 12pm-Pierogi making 7pm-Adult Ed – Seven Signs in the Gospel of St. John	16 9am-Pierogi making	Martyr Sophia, Faith, Love 17 10am-Adult Ed – Seven Signs in the Gospel of St. John	18 7pm-Book Club	19 5pm-Vespers/Confession
Sunday after the Exaltation of the Cross 20 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School Parastas – Weaver R Club Bake Sale Golf Outing	21 10am-Prosphora Baking 5pm-Dinner/Serve @ St. Herman's 7:30pm-Camp ZOOM Mtg	Prophet Jonah 22	23 7pm-BOT Meeting	New Martyrs of Alaska Hieromonk Juvenaly and Peter the Aleut 24 Prislopsky Lecture 6pm-Registration; 6:30pm-Dinner; 7pm-Lecture	Repose Ven. Sergius of Radonezh 25	Repose St. John the Theologian 26 5pm-Vespers/Confession
27 9:30am-Divine Liturgy Church School 40-day Parastas–Anne Kallay	28 SOLOS - Hartville	29	30			