

PATRONAGE OF THE MOTHER OF GOD

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Patronage Church at Abingdon:

Church of St. Francis (Stone Chapel), Sunday Afternoons at 3:00 p.m.

1450 Abingdon Road, Abingdon, MD 21009

Contact: Deacon Anthony and Theresa Kotlar: 410-734-6973

Patronage Church at Hagerstown: (dates to be announced)

Chapel of St. Ann's Church, Saturday Evenings at 6:45 pm

1525 Oak Hill Ave., Hagerstown, MD 21742

Contact: Joseph and Marie Repasi: 301-797-5847

Liturgy Schedule

Day	Date	Time	Location	Intention
Sun	July 14	9:15am	Arbutus	In memory of William Rudy requested by Marge Dulina
Sun	July 14	3:00pm	Abingdon	Living and deceased members of the parish
Sun	July 21	9:15am	Arbutus	In memory of Louise Ruszin requested by Ann Marie Elwell
Sun	July 21	3:00pm	Abingdon	Living and deceased members of the parish

THE ENVELOPE STORY:

Arbutus - 6/30/19 - \$1,516.00

Abingdon - 6/16/19 - \$60.00

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UPCOMING HOLY DAYS

Day	Date	Time	Location	Holy Day
Sun	7/21/19	9:15	Arbutus	Feast of Elijah Great Prophet – Blessing of cars will follow Liturgy
Tue	8/6/19	7:30 pm	Arbutus	Transfiguration of Our Lord - Blessing of fruit
Thu	8/15/19	7:30 pm	Arbutus	Dormition of the Theotokos – Blessing of flowers

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Troparion – Resurrection Tone 4 - page 141

Of the Council Fathers – page 341

Kontakion – of the Council Fathers - page 341 **Prokeimenon** – of the Council Fathers - page 342 **Alleluia** – of the Council Fathers - page 342

"Let us who mystically ..." - version D - page 45

Communiun Hymn – of Sunday, version D – page 79;

and of the Council Fathers - page 201

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Fr. Conan Timoney, Caroline Belensky, Nancy Erdek, Kay Dinko, Andy Turian, Doris Ruszin, Ann Gupman, Ceil Demyan, John Collins (cancer; brother-in-law of Joseph Repasi of Hagerstown), Liz Bukszar, Mary Beth Russell (sister of Jack Russell), Thelma Smolka (mother of Bonnie Bezila), Michael Vitka (cousin of Alex Demyan), Richard Cooley, Anna Martin, Rosa Maria Santos, Fr Sam Lupico, Fr Robert Oravetz, Marge Dulina, Christopher Juba, the 29-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Juba, Darlene Eichelberger from Hagerstown, Dr Victor Haburchak, Fr. Joseph Francavilla, Fr. George Dobes, Gregory Rudy

Pray for Our Suffering Church: The Chaldean Diocese of St. Thomas for the Church in Iraq and Syria requests prayers for the Church in Iraq and Syria. Many clergies, religious and laity have been killed by Islamic radicals.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS (Continued)

ECF MEETING

There will be an organizational ECF meeting **today**, **July 14**th following Liturgy to set up the curriculum and plan for the upcoming 2019-2020 school year. Fr. Conan would like all parents of ECF students to attend along with any interested parishioners wishing to volunteer. A follow-up meeting will take place in August prior to the school year. A sign-up sheet for students and those interested in assisting in the program this coming year is in the rear of the church. Catechetical Sunday is scheduled for September 15, 2019. There will be a Blessing of teachers and students during liturgy.

HOLY BAPTISM AND CRISMATION:

The Baptism and Crismation of Alex Demyan IV, child of Alex and Melissa Demyan took place on 6/23/19. Congratulations to Alex and his parents.

FOOD DRIVE FOR THE POOR

We are collecting non-perishable food items to help the poor in our community. Please leave your donations in the St. Nicholas Chapel. Many thanks for your generosity.

PARISH E-MAIL PROGRAM: If you would like to be notified of events and programs that are taking place in the parish please send an email to patronage.church@gmail.com. Please notify us at this address if your contact information changes.

2019 PATRONAGE GRADUATES

Jessica McClelland, Century High School

Jessica plans to attend University of MD College Park in the fall

Theodore Guba, Archbishop Spalding High School

Theo plans to attend Marion Military Institute in Georgia in the fall

UPCOMING MEN'S CLUB ACTIVITIES:

Baltimore Orioles Game – TBA Annual Crab Feast – TBA

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NEW BYZANTINE PRAYER APP:

Eastern Christian Publications, the supplier of our Sunday bulletin covers, has just announced a new app for smartphones. It includes an icon and the troparia for the Saint of the Day, a short reflection from the book *Java with Jesus*, quotes for the day from a wide range of religious bulletin image and commentary, the monthly electronic version of *Theosis* Magazine, and an educational introduction to Byzantine Daily Prayer. The app is FREE and available in both the Apple Store for iphone and ipads, and from Google Play for Android devices. Search for **ECPubs** and install with a few clicks! Great for enhancing your spiritual reading during Lent.

DAILY EMAIL PRAYERS:

Eastern Christian Publications, supplier of our Sunday Bulletin covers, is now offering their daily email prayer service for Morning and Evening Prayer, The Hours (1st, 3rd, 6th and 9th) and Daily Vespers (not Sundays or Feast days) for FREE! Go to their website http://ecpubs.com/byzantine-daily-office-bdo/ and sign up. This subscription service includes all the changeable parts you need according to the Byzantine Liturgical Calendar in various PDF files viewable on any portable device.

July candle requests in front of the icons:

- Sam Amico- in memory of his birthday
- Louise Dominick in memory of her birthday
- John S. Russell anniversary of his death
- Elizabeth Russell anniversary of her death

Annual Service for the deceased at Holy Trinity Cemetery - Elkridge, MD

A Panachida Service will take place following liturgy on September 22 for those interned at the cemetery.

BAKED GOODS FOR SALE

Plain (\$8.00) or Raisin Pascha (\$10.00) Potato and Cheese Pirohi (\$6.75/dz) Kolachi (\$14.00)

Please see Sharon Kotula after Liturgy if you are interested.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS

EPARCHIAL ALTAR SERVER CONGRESS - 2019

WHEN: Sunday, July 21 – Wednesday, July 24

WHO: Altar servers ages 6 - 17

WHERE: Carpathian Village, Canadensis, PA

If interested, please see Fr. Conan as soon as possible for more details.

EPARCHY OF PASSAIC BYZANTEEN RALLY - 2019

WHEN: Sunday July 28 – Wednesday, July 31

WHO: Youth ages 13 by 11/1/19 and not 18 by 7/10/19

WHERE: Carpathian Village, Canadensis, PA

If interested, please see Fr. Conan as soon as possible for more details.

2019 BYZANTINE CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT CONVOCATION

WHEN: August 1-4, 2019

WHO: Young adults ages 18-35

WHERE: St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church, New York City

This event will coincide with the feast of the Transfiguration and will challenge young adults to recognize their own call to discipleship. This will be a great opportunity for the youth of our parish to share fellowship with other youth from around the Eparchy.

More information for this exciting event can be found on the bulletin boards around the church and parish hall and at the following website: theosisinaction.org/convocation-2019.

If interested, please contact Fr. Conan as soon as possible for submittal of the registration.