

St. John Chrysostom Byzantine Catholic Church

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LITURGY INTENTIONS

- Sunday, December 1** 10:30 AM Divine Liturgy
+Mark and +Helen Brandon offered by Debbie Goodnight
- Friday, December 6** 10 AM Divine Liturgy (SJB)
Our Holy Father Nicholas the Wonder-worker, Archbishop of Myra in Lycia
+Nicholas Fuga offered by Barb and Bev Rebovich
7 PM Divine Liturgy (SJC)
+Eleanor Ann Rodrigues offered by the Rodrigues Family
- Saturday, December 7** 9 AM Emmanuel Moleben (SJB)
- Sunday, December 9** 10:30 AM Divine Liturgy
Feast of the Maternity of Anna
+William Sopira offered by the Bittner Family

Sunday Propers 12/1: p.135-137; 12/6: p. 274-276

Confession: Fr. Tyler will hear Confessions after services when there is no social; and 30 minutes prior to weekday services.

Gospel Reflection (Lk 18: 18-27) - St. John Chrysostom

"Abraham indeed possessed wealth for the poor. And all they who righteously possess it, spend it as receiving it from God, according to the divine command, while those who have acquired wealth in an ungodly way, are ungodly in their use of it; whether in squandering it on harlots and parasites, or hiding it in the ground, but sparing nothing for the poor. He does not then forbid men to be rich, but to be the slaves of their riches. He would have us use them as necessary, not keep guard over them. It is of a servant to guard, of a master to dispense. Had he wished to preserve them, he would never have given them to men, but left them to remain in the earth."

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

- Readers' Schedule:** 12/1: Thomas B. 12/8: Butch B.
- **COLLECTION FOR 11/24: \$1688 ONLINE: \$170.06 TOTAL: \$1858.06**
Includes \$50 Holy Day
Attendance: 11/24: 69
 - **Special Collection of 11/24: \$188**
 - **Counters: 12/1:T3 12/8: T1 12/15: T2**
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Pray for fellow parishioners – Vera; Maryann; Mary; Joanne; Brett; Joan; Betty; Peter; Marion; Tim, Becky, Betty; Isaac; Rich; Pam; Beverly; Robert; Justin; JJ; Dorothy; the Parkers; Daisy & Sally; Marie; Kitty

Happy Birthday to
Violet Wiesemann (12/1) and Eric Schultz (12/3)

May God grant you many more happy, healthy & blessed years!

January Strip Tix are available!

Strip Tix make great stocking stuffers! See Donna Bittner

Christmas Social and Visit from St. Nicholas: Sunday, December 8 following Divine Liturgy

Join fellow parishioners and guests for lunch, carols, treats, and presents for the children! All are invited, so please sign-up so we may adequately prepare for lunch! Sign-up sheet in the narthex.

Saturday, December 14 from 9:30 AM -1 PM Fr. Stephen Wahal will offer a **Christmas Preparation Retreat** at **Mount St. Macrina House of Prayer** 510 W. Main St. Uniontown, PA. Conference, reflections, prayer service & the Mystery of Reconciliation will be offered. Lunch is included. \$45 Registration due by Dec. 9 To register call or email: 724-438-7149 or hpmsm@verizon.net Judy Gula has offered a seat in her car for anyone interested.

(First come; first served) Please see Judy.

PBAC Christmas Program – Sunday, December 22 @ 2 PM

The Pittsburgh Byzantine Catholic Archeparchial Choir invites you to experience the joy of the Nativity season on **Sunday, December 22** as they present "Joyfully We Sing!", a choral showcase of beloved music of the Holy Birth of our Lord. The program will begin at 2:00 pm at St. Elias Church in Munhall. The Choir's signature "Cookie Reception" will be held in the church social hall following the program. All are warmly welcome!

Liturgies can be viewed on a smart TV through Youtube Live; Facebook; & through St. John Chrysostom Church website www.sjcbcc.com Liturgies are “stored” on Youtube so that you can go back anytime to watch and pray.