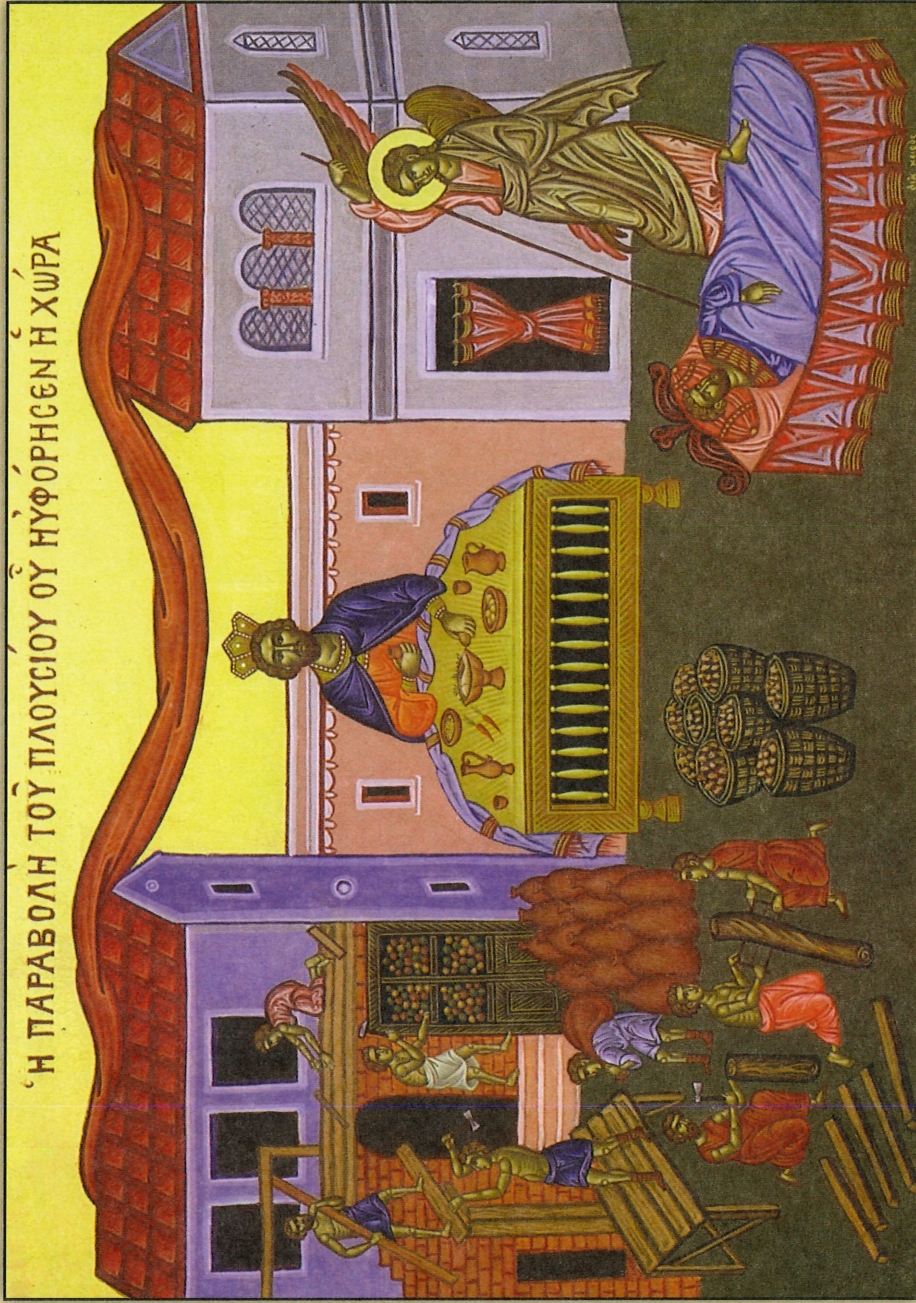


TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of the Parable of the Rich Fool (Luke 12:16-21)

**November 22, 2020 – 25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

*Tropar, Kontakion, Prokimenon, Alleluia Tone 8 - Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:16-21*

**Sat. Nov. 21 Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple**

4:00 pm Great Vespers (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Divine Liturgy (Livestream)

**Sun. Nov. 22 25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
9:00 am Rosary – (Livestream)  
9:30 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
11:00 am Divine Liturgy for Our Parish Family (Livestream)  
3:00 pm Vespers (Livestream)

**Mon. Nov. 23 Our holy fathers, Amphilochius, Bishop of Iconium and Gregory, Bishop of Agrigentum**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
8:30 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Vespers (Livestream)

**Tues. Nov. 24 St. Catherine, Great Virgin-Martyr**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
8:30 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Vespers (Livestream)

**Wed. Nov. 25 Our holy father, Clement, Pope of Rome**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
8:30 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Vespers (Livestream)

**Thur. Nov. 26 Our venerable father, Alypius, Stylite – Thanksgiving Day**

8:00 am Matins  
10:00 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Vespers

**Fri. Nov. 27 St. James the Persian, Great-Martyr**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
8:30 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Vespers (Livestream)

**Sat. Nov. 28 St. Stephen, “the Younger”**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
8:30 am Slavonic Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
4:00 pm Great Vespers (Livestream)  
5:00 pm Divine Liturgy (Livestream)

**Sun. Nov. 29 26th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

8:00 am Matins (Livestream)  
9:00 am Rosary – (Livestream)  
9:30 am Divine Liturgy (Livestream)  
11:00 am Divine Liturgy for Our Parish Family (Livestream)  
3:00 pm Vespers (Livestream)

**MASK REQUIRED IN CHURCH BUILDINGS:** Masks are mandatory for anyone attending Divine Liturgies. (Exceptions are those with health issues that prohibit wearing a mask and children ten and under.) We ask that you cooperate with this request. If you are uncomfortable wearing a mask or simply “uncomfortable” being inside the church we continue to provide the services on livestream for you to watch from home ([www.parma.org](http://www.parma.org) or [www.logos.tv](http://www.logos.tv) or YouTube LOGOS TV – PARMA).

**CONGRATULATIONS (CTH):** Congratulations to the winners of the 50/50 Raffle for November. Remember, these numbers are put back into the hopper each month for more chances to win. \$75 Sue Ann Rudolphy, \$25 Joyce Lukerchine, \$25 Linda Primuth.

**The Eparchy of Parma Stewardship Appeal for 2020/21:**

The effectiveness of this faith community and our Eparchy of Parma depends upon the support of our entire parish family. As stewards, we are challenged to show gratitude to God for bestowing us with gifts of time, talent, and treasure. With your financial support, we help build the Kingdom of God. Think of God first. Give your gift to God from the first fruits, not from what is left over.

If you have not already made your pledge or donation, please visit [parma.org/2021appeal](http://parma.org/2021appeal) and consider a donation to the Eparchy to help financially with the many needs we face. Thank you for your generosity!

**PRAY THE HOLY ROSARY (ALL) :** All are invited to join in as we pray the rosary together before



the Sunday, 9:30 am Divine Liturgy each week at the Cathedral. We will pray the rosary together in church as a group. Please plan on joining us, adults and children are encouraged to attend as we will be praying the joyful mysteries!

Those who are at home may pray along with the Livestream.

**SLAVIC FEST 2020 RAFFLE (ALL):** Only a few weeks until the big drawing that will be held after the 11:00 am liturgy at the Cathedral of St. John, on Sunday, December 6, 2020. All are welcome to attend the drawing, however, the winner need not be present. You will be contacted by phone if you are a winner. Tickets are still available until Thursday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> by contacting the parish office at 440-884-8452 or Karen Kupchik at 216-739-0347. Thanks to all and best of luck!

Glory to Jesus Christ! Please join us in our campaign for St. Mary Byzantine Catholic School. We are so proud to be the ONLY preK-8 Byzantine Catholic Grade School in the United States! Please help us raise money to continue the faith enriched education for these students! All donations go directly to the school to improve the experience for students, families and the community! You can donate anytime now through Dec. 1st by mailing a check or dropping off cash to the school.



Northeast Ohio's Online  
Day of Catholic Giving

Donations can be mailed to the school office or dropped off at anytime from now until December 1<sup>st</sup>. Your donation will be entered online on the day of giving with the following information. Please fill out the offline donation form below and include it with your donation. Donations can be mailed or dropped off at the school office between 9 AM and 1 PM:

**St. Mary Byzantine Catholic School**  
**4600 State Road**  
**Cleveland, Ohio 44109**

\*Follow along with us on December 1<sup>st</sup>, starting at midnight to watch the day of donations!  
<https://www.wegivecatholic.org/organizations/st-mary-byzantine-school>

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**PRAY DAILY** - have a keep able rule of prayer that you do by discipline. Say the Lord's Prayer several times a day. Any time you have an opportunity to say a prayer, take advantage of it.

The devil tries to eliminate your prayer since the prayer eliminates the devil.

- For courage to repent (to go to confession) - **St. John Forerunner, pray for us!** (40x)
- For Peace in the World – **Lord, have mercy!** (40 times)
- For Our Children – **Holy Father Nicholas, pray for us!** (40 times)
- For the Sick and Those in Need – **O Most Holy Trinity, save us!** (40 times)
- For Our Parish – **O Most Holy Theotokos, pray for us!** (40 times)
- For the courage to sing in church – **Holy Father Roman, pray for us!** (40 times)
- For the departed – **Psalm 51, 91, 119 (50, 90, 118 in LXX)**
- Jesus Prayer – **“Lord Jesus Christ,\* Son of God,\* have mercy on me\* a sinner!”**



Every evening before you go to bed, simply go through the whole day and think what you have done right or wrong, do the examination of conscience, and ask the good Lord for forgiveness. Make a sign of the cross over the place where you sleep and say: **“Into your hands, O Lord, I commend my soul and body. Do You Yourself bless me, have mercy on me, and grant me life eternal. Amen.”**

**A MESSAGE FROM THE PARISH OFFICE (ALL):**

Parishioners of all 4 parishes (Cathedral, Holy Spirit, St. Mary, St. Nicholas Croatian) may continue to mail their donation envelopes to the Parish Office, 5500 West 54th Street, Parma, OH 44129 or simply drop them in the black locked mail box outside the office door. They will then be deposited into the proper church account. ***Please also continue to use your church envelopes when turning in your donations and print your full name on the outside of the envelope, on the line provided. This will help with the recording of your donations in the computer.*** Thank you.

-OR-

**ONLINE GIVING IS AVAILABLE (ALL):** Giving made easy! We now offer electronic giving for all with Churches-GivePlus. You can contribute anywhere, anytime right from your computer, smartphone or tablet. Give online by visiting the website <http://stmarybyz.com/> and clicking on the **Give OnLine Link**. Or download the free GivePlus mobile app from the App Store or Google Play.

Giving online is fast, easy and secure. You can set up single donations, recurring donations and how frequently you wish to give. Online giving can be done either by credit card or a bank account. The first time going to the GivePlus application, create your profile; then login, follow the easy to read screens and make your donation.

Watch the livestream at [www.parma.org](http://www.parma.org) or [www.logos.tv](http://www.logos.tv) or YouTube LOGOS TV - PARMA

If you know of someone that does not have access to the internet, reach out to them by phone to keep them informed with updates and encourage them to continue their daily prayer at home.

**OUR WEEKLY OFFERINGS**  
**November 15, 2020**

Total

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|--------------------|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| Cathedral Parish   | - | <u>\$ 372.00</u>  | <u>\$ 110.00</u> Online Giving |
| Holy Spirit Parish | - | <u>\$ 362.00</u>  | <u>\$ 175.00</u> Online Giving |
| St. Mary's Parish  | - | <u>\$1,051.00</u> | <u>\$ 150.00</u> Online Giving |

*Have you remembered Your Church in your Will and/or Trust?  
Thank you and may God reward your generosity!*

**St. Mary Church 250 Club Winner – 11/8/2020**

#209 James Satterfield - Captain, John Trompak

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND CONFINED:** St. Mary's – John Krenisky, Kathleen Miller, Mary Ann Ridilla; Ray Yasenchak; Esther Morganosky; John Anitas; Pat Asmondy; Goldie Barvinchak; Pearl Beningo; Mildred Bobick; JoAnn Chaky; Eva Cook; Seleema Corrigan; Sally Csejpes; Lois Deighton; Dolores Furda; Mary Grauel; Ruthann Hodar, Margaret Huges, Rosemary Kennick; Larry Lantz; Barbara Miterko; Eleen Monoc; Carl Panko; Sue Peterchalk; Joseph Popik; Art Pordash; Eleen Reese; David Starling; Isabelle Sweeney; Bob & Mary Zelenka.

**Cathedral** – Theresa Dorony; Phil Nechvatal; Joe Kaltner; Helen Fredericks; Frank Lizanich; Carol Morin.

**Holy Spirit** – Margaret Girman, Samuel Basalla, Jim Neitzel, Elizabeth Loya; George Hapker; Ken Kalas; Ann Yorko; Janice Misch; Richard Onderak; Elizabeth Sheppard; Helen Sawchak; Carol Vasil; Helen Alpine; Andrea Seman; Carol and Richard Bub.

Helen Jeris; Marge Kordic; Walter Badovinac; Mary Ann Zubovich; Michelle Zubovich-Simon.



*Keep Fr. Marek in your prayers as he recovers from Covid*

Call Fr. Bruce Riebe at (440) 526-1818 for **Emergency Sick Call Visits**

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[www.stmarybyz.com](http://www.stmarybyz.com)

St. John's Cathedral, 1900 Carlton Rd, Parma (CATH) Phone: 216.661.861

Holy Spirit Church, 5500 West 54<sup>th</sup> St., Parma (HS) Phone: 440.884.8451

Most Rev. Milan Lach, SJ, Bishop of Parma

Very Rev. Mitred Archpriest Marek Visnovsky, Pastor

Deacon Joseph Hnat (St. Mary Parish), Deacon Gregory Loya (Cathedral Parish)

Deacon Robert Cripps (Holy Spirit Parish)

**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES held at the Cathedral and Livestream at parma.o**

Saturday: 7:30 am Matins; 8 am and 5 pm Divine Liturgy; 4 pm Great Vesp

Sunday: 8 am Matins; 9:30 am and 11 am Divine Liturgy; 3 pm Vesper.

**HOLY DAY SERVICES:** 7 am Festal Matins; 8 am Divine Liturgy (6 pm Great Vesp  
Litija the evening before the holy day)

**DAILY SERVICES:** 7:30 am Matins; 8 am Divine Liturgy; 5 pm Vespers

***Surrounded by Wealth, Blind to Charity***

What does the rich man do, surrounded by a great supply of many blessings beyond all numbering? In distress and anxiety, he speaks the words of poverty. He says, "What should I do?" ... He does not look to the future. He does not raise his eyes to God.

He does not count it worth his while to gain for the mind those treasures that are above in heaven. He does not cherish love for the poor or desire the esteem it gains. He does not sympathize with suffering.

It gives him no pain nor awakens his pity. Still more irrational, he settles for himself

the length of his life, as if he would also reap this from the ground. He says, "I will say to myself, 'Self, you have goods laid up for many years. Eat, drink, and enjoy yourself.'" "O rich man," one may say, "You have storehouses for your fruits, but where will you receive your many years? By the decree of God, your life is shortened."

"God," it tells us, "said to him, 'You fool, this night they will require of you your soul. Whose will these things be that you have prepared?'"

*Saint Cyril of Alexandria*