

St. Nicholas Orthodox Church

Newsletter

Diocese of Toledo-Orthodox Church in America

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Services: Sunday - 9:30 a.m. Hours 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Wednesday- adult education 11:15 am

Saturday – 5 pm Vespers followed by Confessions

Holydays: Vespers & Liturgy as announced

“May mercy, peace, and love be multiplied to you.” St. Jude 1:1

JUNE 2023

THIRD KNEELING PRAYER OF PENTECOST

O ever-flowing Fountain of life and light, creative power coeternal with the Father, Who has most excellently fulfilled the whole divine plan of the salvation of mankind, Christ our God, who burst the indestructible bonds of death and the bolts of hell, and has trampled down the multitude of evil spirits; who offered yourself as a blameless victim, giving your immaculate body as a sacrifice, unblemished and inviolate of all sin, and through that fearful and indescribable act of sacrifice, bestowed eternal life upon us; who descended into hell and broke down its eternal bars, showing forth the way up to those who sat in the lower world; who with allurements of divine wisdom, enticed the author of evil, the dragon of the abyss, and with cords of gloom bound him in hell and in unquenchable fire, and you confined him in outer darkness by your infinite might, you who are the greatly glorified wisdom of the Father, manifested yourself as a great Helper to the oppressed, and enlightened those that sat in darkness and in the shadow of death, you Lord of eternal glory and beloved Son of the Father most high, Light everlasting of Light everlasting, Sun of righteousness: Hear us who pray to you, and give rest to the souls of your servants, our fathers and mothers and brothers and sisters, who have fallen asleep before us, and our other kinsmen after the flesh, and all your own who are in the faith, of whom we now make memorial, for in you is the power over all, and in your hand you hold all the ends of the earth. Almighty Master, God of the fathers and Lord of mercies, Maker of the race of mortals and immortals, and of every nature of man, of that which is brought together and again put asunder, of life and of the end of life, of sojourning here and of translation there, who measures the years of life and set the times of death, who brings down to hell and raises up, binding in infirmity and releasing to power, dispensing present things according to need, and ordering those to come as is expedient, quickening with the hope of resurrection those that are smitten with the sting of death. Yourself, O Master of all, God our Savior, the hope of all the ends of the earth and of those that are far off upon the sea, who on this last and great and saving day of Pentecost, showed forth to us the mystery of the Holy Trinity, consubstantial and coeternal, undivided and unmingled, and poured out the descent and presence of your holy and life-creating Spirit in the form of tongues of fire, upon your holy Apostles, appointing them to be the Evangelists of our pious faith, and showing them to be confessors and preachers of the true theology; who also on this all perfect and saving feast, deigns to receive oblations and supplications for those bound in hell, and grants to us the great hope that respite and comfort will be sent down from you to the fallen asleep from the grief that binds them. Hear us, your humble and piteous ones who pray, and give rest to the souls of your servants who have fallen asleep before us, in a place of light, in a place of refreshment, in a place of repose, whence all sickness, sorrow, and sighing are fled away; and do you place their souls in the tabernacle of the righteous, and make them worthy of peace and repose. For the dead praise you not, neither do those in hell dare to offer you confession, but we, the living, bless you, and implore you, and offer them propitiatory prayers and sacrifices for their souls. For you are the repose of our souls and bodies, and to you do we send up glory, to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and to the ages of ages. Amen.

FROM FATHER'S DESK

Beloved, Thank you to Father Michael Bassett who shared this quotation from Saint Cyril of Alexandria (died 444 AD) on receiving Christ Jesus in holy Communion – the Eucharist: “If the poison of pride is swelling up in you, turn to the Eucharist; and that Bread, Which is your God humbling and disguising Himself, will teach you humility. If the fever of selfish greed rages in you, feed on this Bread; and you will learn generosity. If the cold wind of coveting withers you, hasten to the Bread of Angels; and charity will come to blossom in your heart. If you feel the itch of intemperance, nourish yourself with the Flesh and Blood of Christ, Who practiced heroic self-control during His earthly life; and you will become temperate. If you are lazy and sluggish about spiritual things, strengthen yourself with this heavenly Food; and you will grow fervent. Lastly, if you feel scorched by the fever of impurity, go to the banquet of the Angels; and the spotless Flesh of Christ will make you pure and chaste.” And before Saint Cyril, Saint Ephrem of Nisibis (the Syrian – died 9 June 373 AD) wrote on Communion, here quoted from *The Harp of the Spirit – Poems of Saint Ephrem the Syrian* translated by Sebastian Brock [Aquila, 2013] (pp 119-123) Armenian Hymns, No. 49.

1 With feeling let us approach, my brethren,
that Body which the priest offers up;
let trembling reside on our lips
as we receive the Medicine of Salvation.

2 At that moment when the holy Body is broken
we make memory of His sacrifice:
the body's every limb should tremble
at the moment when the Only-Begotten is sacrificed.

3 Although it is His mystery that is distributed,
yet it is right that we should gaze on His death:
greater than all other moments
is this moment of His sacrifice.

4 Let us look with our inner eye,
beholding Him as He hangs from the tree;
let our eyes gaze upon that blood
which flowed from His side.

5 With both awe and love let us draw near in
discernment
to that Medicine of Life;
let our heart hold in awe His death,
let our soul yearn for His Mystery.

6 The Israelite People gloried in that manna
of which even the uncircumcised ate;
how much more should we be exalted by this Bread of
Life
to which even the Watchers do not attain.

7 Samson was exalted, because he drank
from the jaw bone of an ass;
how much more should that person rejoice
who has been held worthy of Christ's precious Blood.

8 For the People water gushed forth from the rock
and they drank and were strengthened,
but from the Tree that was on Golgotha
for the Peoples a fountain gushed forth.

9 With the blade of the sword of the Cherub
was the path to the Tree of Life shut off,
but to the Peoples has the Lord of that Tree
given Himself as food.

10 Whereas Eden's other trees were provided
for that former Adam to eat,
for us the very Planter of that Garden
has become the food for our souls.

11 Whereas we had left that Garden
along with Adam, as he left it behind,
now that the sword has been removed by the lance
we may return there.

12 The People traversed the river and received
circumcision
and took pride because they had eaten unleavened
bread;
how much more splendid are the Peoples
who have been held worthy of the Body of God!

13 The People consumed the lamb in Egypt
and the symbol it constituted sanctified that People;
how much more shall the True Lamb
give sanctification to the Peoples.

14 When the destroyer beheld the blood upon the doors
of the People
he was frightened away,
how much more shall those be put to shame who speak
ill
of the sign of the Beloved Son, the Anointed One.

15 More than all other times should this moment be
held in honour in your minds,
for the Son has descended
to hover over the table of reconciliation.

16 The bones of the dead who are in Sheol
now drink the dew of life when they are named,
being remembered before God
at this moment.

17 And if the dead receive benefit at this time,
how much more shall the living too receive forgiveness.
Blessed is He who was immolated by one nation
for the salvation of all nations.

Love, Fr Matthew

Hours Schedule

<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
4 Calvin	2 Angelo	6 Phil
11 Phil	9 Phil	13 Alexander
18 Alexander	16 Alexander	20 No Hours
25 Lucy	23 Lucy	27 Lucy
	30 Calvin	

If you are unable to make your assigned reading date, please find a replacement.

Reader Schedule

<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
4 Phil	2 Phil	6 Angelo
11 Angelo	9 Angelo	13 Alexander
18 Alexander	16 Alexander	20 Kathy
25 Kathy	23 Kathy	27 Phil
	30 Phil	

If you are unable to make your assigned reading date, please find a replacement.

Candle Stand Attendant Schedule

<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
4 Dennis Goodman	2 Dave Houser	6 Dave Houser
11 Ian & Stephanie P.	9 Dennis Goodman	13 Dennis Goodman
18 Susie Ford	16 Christine Panoff	20 Ian & Stephanie P.
25 Dennis Jernigan	23 Susie Ford	27 Susie Ford
	30 Dennis Jernigan	

If you are unable to make your assigned date, please find a replacement.

ARCHBISHOP ALEXANDER will visit us for Vespers on Saturday, June 10 and Divine Liturgy on Sunday, June 11 to present Protodeacon Luke (Kerry) with the kamilavka and Reader J. Joseph Tome with the Order of St. Romanos.

INQUIRERS'/CATECHUMENS' CLASS led by our parish catechist, Reader Alexander Gonser, takes place on Sundays after the Divine Liturgy. Feel free to join in and let other inquirers know about these classes introducing the Orthodox faith.

ADULT EDUCATION will continue reading Fr Silviu Bunta's talks on the Liturgy in [*Your Life Will Be Hung Before Your Eyes: Meanings of Our Life in Orthodox Liturgy*](#). The book is available for purchase through [Cherubim Press](#). Adult education will end on June 28 and resume in September.

PRAYERS AT THE GRAVES of our fallen asleep in Christ will take place on Memorial Saturday (Zadušnica - Souls' Saturday), June 3 and Pentecost Sunday, June 4. The schedule is:

Saturday, June 3

- 9:00 am Evergreen Cemetery beginning outside the chapel with a Trisagion service
- 12:30 pm Crestwood Cemetery
- 1:30 pm Sunset Hills Cemetery
- 2:00 pm Gracelawn Cemetery

Sunday, June 4

- 2:00 pm St. Nicholas Cemetery
- 4:00 pm Great Lakes National Cemetery

If there is another cemetery you'd like to be visited, please contact the parish office as soon as possible so that it can be scheduled. If you know anyone who has family buried at the parish cemetery but who are not parishioners of St. Nicholas, please let them know of the date and time for the services at the graves on Sunday, June 4.



PRAYER SERVICE for the sick & suffering at St. Mary Magdalene resumes on June 6th at 6:30 pm.

CONFESSIONS the holy Mystery of Confession is offered on Saturdays after Vespers and by appointment. Call the parish office 810-744-0070 or e-mail stnicholasburtonmi@gmail.com to make an appointment.

MACEDONIAN OPEN GOLF SCRAMBLE **MACEDONIAN OPEN GOLF SCRAMBLE** The Macedonian Open committee & St. Nicholas wants to thank everyone who has already donated money for signs & golf. It is very helpful to get the information for both of these as soon as possible. It keeps us more organized and signs are more expensive for us to print closer to the event, so we need that information as soon as you decide on signs. Money can wait if necessary. Please get gift cards to us as soon as you can. Monetary gifts are always helpful & appreciated. See Christine Panoff if you have any questions or payments for golfers, signs and dinners. Fliers are available in the fellowship hall and on our website.

HOW CAN I HELP? I DON'T GOLF.

- ❖ Donate money for prizes-any amount you can give would be very much appreciated to offset the cost of buying prizes.
- ❖ Donate a gift card-we are looking for gift cards to give as prizes in the amount of \$20 or \$25 similar to these: Visa gift cards, Meijer, Dunham's, Gas Cards, Restaurant cards, or any establishment you frequent.
- ❖ Donate a prize-donate a prize, whether it's golf related or not; or ask a business you frequent to make a donation (such as a gift card).
- ❖ Join us for dinner. See Christine Panoff for the cost of dinner only.

AXIOS! At its spring session, the Holy Synod of Bishops of the Orthodox Church in America bestowed upon PROTODEACON LUKE (KERRY) GONSER the right to wear the kamilavka (liturgical head covering). At the same meeting and the Synod also awarded READER J. JOSEPH TOME the Order of St Romanos. Established by the Holy Synod of Bishops in 2014, the Order is awarded to influential arrangers, composers, teachers and conductors. Past recipients include Archpriest Sergei Glagolev, Archpriest Igor Soroka, Prof. Dr. David Drillock, Walter Shymansky, Archimandrite Roman [Braga], Dr. Vladimir Morosan, Aleksei V. Shipovalnikov, and John Sutko. At the Pontifical Liturgy on Sunday, June 11, Archbishop Alexander will present to Protodeacon Luke the kamilavka and to Reader J. Joseph the Order of St. Romanos. Congratulations to Protodeacon Luke and Reader J. Joseph! Axios! Worthy!



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

Sunday, June 11 we will honor our 2023 graduates at the Divine Liturgy with special petitions for them and a blessing. Graduates, plan on with your families. You are welcome to wear your graduation gown for the Liturgy

HALL/PAVILION RENTAL please make your reservations as soon as possible if you are planning on using St. Nicholas. Call or email the office to see if your preferred date is available.

SEMINARIAN OFFERING On the stewardship envelopes in the envelope box there is a category marked "Seminararian." Through the years these funds have been used to support our seminarians, most recently Father Esteban Vázquez. Reader Alexander Gonser is currently enrolled in classes to be ordained a deacon, God-willing. Your offering to the seminarian fund will help with his class expenses.

PARISH COUNCIL The next parish council meeting is Tuesday, June 13 at 6:30 pm.

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATES

APRIL 25 MEETING *Financial report* the parish finances remain stable. Please continue your contributions as you are able, especially as expenses remain constant through the summer. Gleason Accounting has been providing assistance with Quick Books. *Endowment Fund* has increased slightly since January. *Inquirers class* led by Alexander Gonser have been well attended and are advertised in the bulletin, newsletter, email, and on the electronic sign and will be added to our Facebook page and at the visitor sign-in. Alexander is in the Diaconal Vocation Program and is a certified catechist by the Diocese. *Church School* ends on May 14. The children enjoyed the egg hunt. Stephanie Price is putting together some projects for the children to have during the summer months (coloring projects, take home, etc.). Pan-Orthodox Vacation Church School is scheduled for Saturday, August 12 led by St George Church. *Fundraisers Ham dinner* on May 7 - proceeds will go toward maintenance. *Palm Sunday bake sale* proceeds will go towards maintenance. These funds will help with the May 6 church grounds clean-up. *Saturday, July 22 bbq cook-off* is planned which is also community outreach. *Outreach/Community Events* Saturday, May 20 - family game night. September - plan for a dance (vecherinka). October - community trunk or treat. Charity ministries *North End Soup Kitchen* on Thursday, May 4 prepping lunch beginning at 9 am. *Backpacks* (backpacks with school supplies for children in need) being looked at for one of the schools in Burton. Plan is to know by May 9 how many backpacks we will do. *Church building and grounds* Saturday, May 6 clean-up. Pavilion needs to be cleaned up and some repairs need to be done. When the weather warms the change-over for the thermostat system will take place, it will be an expensive but worthwhile investment in efficiency of the system. The lamb roasting area needs to be repaired and painted. Plans are in the works for this. The plan is to add a Google calendar that provides reminders for indoor and outdoor maintenance. Looking into fertilizing the parish lawn. Bell tower sanding and painting and repair of the small bell - still being looked into. *Old business Burton Memorial Day Parade* is Monday, May 29. We are looking for parishioners to participate. We will meet in the church parking lot. Help is needed to fill bags with candy and cards with our upcoming events that will be tossed out in the parade. Please see Stephanie Price if you would like to help prepare the bags or be in the parade. *Parish Development Forum* sponsored in part by our Diocese, is July 13-15 in Parma, OH. Our parish will be represented by Stephanie & Ian Price. Because of the Diocese's sponsorship, expenses of any diocesan parishioners is reimbursed. *Candle Stand* it would be helpful next year to assign people for the different weeknight services (7 consecutive evenings).

MAY 8 MEETING June 10-11 Archbishop Alexander will visit. *Finances* - Quickbooks (non-profit) program - the license will have to be renewed at a cost of approximately \$200. *Church School* - end of the year is Sunday, May 14. Little crafts are planned to be at church through the summer for our little ones to take home. Michelle Gerzevske will be our parish contact person for the pan-Orthodox Vacation Church School which is hosted by St George Church on Saturday, August 12. In July tentatively will be a meeting to plan the church school lessons for the 2023-2024 school year. *Outreach* - May 20 - family game night. May 29 Burton Memorial Day Parade - please sign up to join us. *Fundraising* - July bbq is canceled. Car show tentatively planned for August. *Charity* Atherton School District will provide us with the number of students in need so we can determine how many backpacks we can provide. The charity plate for May and June is going towards this service project. June 1 is next North End Soup Kitchen. *Church Building and Grounds* - The clean up on May 6 went very well, many people came to help, with work being done on the courtyard garden, trimming of brush, painting of pavilion and picnic tables. A big thank you to everyone who helped! Bell tower - motion approved to paint the bell tower, dome on bell tower and dome on church for approximately \$5,000 +/- . Lawn mowing price increased. Fertilizing of the lawn will take place. Wiring from the lamb rotisserie to the garage - materials will cost approximately \$500. Thanks to Timothy Wiles who dug the trench for the wiring. *Old business* - still looking for a trailer with sides for the Burton Memorial Day Parade. *New business* - Philip Bakousidis resigned from parish council. Christopher Taylor, who received the next highest number of votes, will fill out the rest of the term. Because Pascha is May 5, 2024, the four Orthodox parishes in the county have banded together to order lilies that will be ready for Pascha. Orders had to be placed now and our parish ordered 24 triple plants. Next meeting is Tuesday, June 13 at 6:30 pm.

BACKPACKS & SCHOOL SUPPLIES for students in need in Burton will be purchased with donations collected in the Charity Plate in May and June.

OUR CHARITY MINISTRIES

NORTH END SOUP KITCHEN we serve on Thursday, June 1 from 9 to 12:30 pm.

HOPE IN A BOX is collecting Laundry Soap & Jeans for the month of June. Place the items in the Blue Box in the hall. Catholic Charities Community Closet will distribute the items.

FOOD DRIVE Place non-perishable food items in the other blue box in the hall.

MAKE YOUR FAITHFUL GIVING EASY AND CONVENIENT WITH GIVELIFY
 Go to the website and on the home page click on the box Give now with Givelify which will walk you through the donation process; this is a secure site. (2.9% + \$0.30 of your donation goes to Givelify as a fee). If you do not wish to donate online, you may write a check to St. Nicholas Orthodox Church and send it to the parish address: 2143 S Center Rd, Burton, MI 48519.

<div> <div> <div>HOPE</div> <div>IN A BOX</div> </div> <div>HOPE IN A BOX</div> </div>	
June	Laundry Soap & Jeans
July	Toilet Paper & Travel Size Toiletries
Aug	Razors & Shaving Cream/Lotion

June Coffee Social Volunteers & Sponsors	
4	
11	
18	Father’s Day
25	

SPRING CLEAN UP was very productive! Thank you to everyone who participated.



Dr. Jacob Abu-Aita, son of Mary Abu-Aita, graduated from Logan University with a doctoral degree in Chiropractic. He will be practicing in our area.

Kristina Adkisson, daughter of Tammy & Russell Adkisson and granddaughter of John & Fanny Popoff graduated from Indiana University of Pennsylvania with highest honors. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in Human Resources & General Mgt. with a minor in Marketing & Digital Marketing. She will continue her education for a Master’s Degree.

Samantha Kilbourne graduated from Grand Valley University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Social Work. She is the daughter of Matt & Marianne Kilbourne & granddaughter of Alex & Menka Nedanis.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, & NAMESDAYS

BIRTHDAYS

2 Dakota Selmi
Michael Serra
4 John Todorovsky
5 Dennis Jernigan
6 Kate Stevens
8 Adam George
Elijah George
10 Angelo Panoff
14 Joshua Brucksch
15 Jonathan Sfetkides
18 Philip Bakousidis
20 Eileen Branoff
21 Dennis Goodman
22 Izis Helal
Luke Borkovich
24 Joshua Vuckovich
27 Ralph Neely



NAMESDAYS

3 Paula Zelenko
11 Calvin (Barnabas) Conrad
14 Nancy Nevena Tasevski
27 Jennifer Shann (St. Joanna)
29 Brandon Paul Conover
Colin Paul Panoff
Paul Brayan
Paul Ellis
Paul Panoff
Paul Yosheff
Peter Biggs
Peter Branoff
Peter Economou
Petro Ahejew

If your name is missing or has the incorrect information in the birthday, anniversary or namesday list please call the office: (810) 744-0070

ANNIVERSARIES

2 Angelo & Christine Panoff (1968)
4 Joe & Susan Oginsky (1983)
6 Alex & Menka Nedanis (1971)
8 Paul & Luba Yosheff (1975)
10 Protodeacon Kerry & Katherine Gonser (1990)
12 Paul & Olesya Childs (2018)
23 Gabriel & Suzanne Paul (2018)
Jim & Sandra Grossi (1974)



DAILY INTERCESSION FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND

VISITATION TO THE SICK If you would like Fr. Matthew to make a visit to home, hospital, or nursing home, please contact the office 810-744-0070.

DAILY INTERCESSION FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND

The following are our brothers and sisters of St. Nicholas who are currently homebound, suffering from chronic illness, in recovery or in need of special prayers. Please remember them in your prayers and reach out to them with a card, a phone call or a visit! Please call the office to schedule a visit for Holy Communion.

Deacon John Bocek
Linda Branoff
Mary Abu-Aita

Paul Ellis
Bill Haw
Mary Karayanis

Nick Karayanis
Macy Lemmen
Ron Salhany

Bill Tadrack
Wendy Tadrack
Dave Vuckovich

To aid in your outreach, here is a listing of the addresses and phone numbers of our Homebound:

Paul Ellis 2360 Stonebridge Dr
Dave Vuckovich 9352 Morrish Rd

Flint, MI 48532
Swartz Creek, MI 48473

Please join us for our 42nd

MACEDONIAN OPEN



\$125 PER GOLFER INCLUDES:

- 18 HOLES OF GOLF W/ CART
 - GOLF SCRAMBLE FORMAT
 - FULL USE OF DRIVING RANGE
 - FLINT CONEYS FOR LUNCH
 - LONG DRIVE CONTEST
 - CLOSEST TO THE PIN CONTEST
 - BUFFET DINNER
 - PRIZES & AWARDS AT DINNER
- *ASK ABOUT THE SKINS GAME AT CHECK-IN*

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT:

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Angelo Panoff (810) 423-6020 angelo.panoff@stifel.com	Peter Branoff (810) 877-8773 ptb704@yahoo.com	George Branoff (810) 252-5395 gabman24@charter.net

GOLF SCRAMBLE

MONDAY, JUNE 19, 2023

LUNCH & REGISTRATION @ 11 AM

SHOTGUN START @ **12 NOON**

Dinner & Prizes following golf

FLINT ELKS GOLF CLUB

FLINT ELKS LODGE 222 BANQUET FACILITY
7177 E. Maple Rd. (810) 743-9440
Grand Blanc, MI 48439 flintelks222.com

SPONSORSHIP INFO:

HOLE SPONSOR \$125

includes a sign on the course; plus recognition in our thank you flyer and Church newsletter

CONTEST SPONSOR \$200

includes a sign sponsoring one of the contests (example: closest to pin) plus recognition in our thank you flyer and Church newsletter

BIRDIE SPONSOR \$500

includes a sign on the course; plus recognition in our thank you flyer, at dinner and in our Church newsletter

EAGLE SPONSOR \$1,000

includes (2) golfers, a sign by the putting green; plus special recognition at dinner, in our thank you flyer and Church newsletter

PLATINUM SPONSOR \$1,250

includes (4) golfers, a sign by the putting green; plus special recognition at dinner, in our thank you flyer and the Church newsletter

GOODIE BAG SPONSOR \$500

will be used to purchase items for goodie bag that each golfer receives; business card and/or company name will be included inside goodie bag; special recognition in our thank you flyer and the Church newsletter

Individuals, families and businesses are all welcome and encouraged to become a sponsor or make a cash donation

Please return this portion by June 2nd

GOLFER #1:

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

GOLFER #2:

GOLFER #3:

GOLFER #4:

Note: if you do not have a foursome we can place you in one

REGISTRATION & SPONSORSHIP FORM

☐ _____ Golfer(s) (\$125 per Golfer)

☐ _____ Sponsor a Hole (\$125)

☐ _____ Contest Sponsor (\$200)

☐ _____ Birdie Sponsor (\$500)

☐ _____ Eagle Sponsor (\$1,000)

☐ _____ Platinum Sponsor (\$1,250)

☐ _____ Goodie Bag Sponsor (\$500)

☐ _____ Cash Donation (amount) _____

(contact a committee member if
you wish to donate a gift basket)

= **TOTAL AMOUNT DUE**

Please write Name/Logo/Info to put on sign in box below:

Note: if you have .jpg file (or another format) of your logo
please email it to Chris Nedanis at: cned77@gmail.com

Make Checks Payable to:

St. Nicholas Orthodox Church

'memo' to read: Macedonian Open

Mail Entry Form & Payment to:

ATTN: Macedonian Open

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2023 Vacation Church School



SAVE THE DATE

Pan-Orthodox Vacation Church School Day Camp

Saturday, August 12, 2023

ALL DAY EVENT

Great Vespers 5:00pm

St. George Orthodox Church

(5191 Lennon Rd | Flint, MI 48507)

Details & Registration TBD

Hosted by
St. George Orthodox Church

*The Pan-Orthodox Churches
of Genesee County*

Holy Assumption Greek
Orthodox Church
(2343 E. Eastman Rd Grand Blanc, MI)
St. George Orthodox Church
(5191 Lennon Rd Flint, MI)
St. Mary Magdalene Orthodox
Church
(2439 S. Long Lake Rd Fenton, MI)
St. Nicholas Orthodox Church
(2143 S Center Rd Burton, MI)



















PAN-ORTHODOX SERVICES & EVENTS

Wed, June 28	6 pm Vespers and Liturgy for Ss Peter and Paul <u>at our church</u>
Sun, July 9	3 pm Softball game <u>at St Pius X ballfield - 3139 Hogarth Ave, Flint</u>
Sat, July 22	5 pm Great Vespers & Lity <u>at St Mary Magdalene Church</u> for their altar feast
Sat, Aug 6	5 pm Great Vespers & Lity for Transfiguration <u>at St Mary Magdalene Church</u>
Sat, Aug 12	Vacation Church School <u>at St George Church</u>
Mon, Aug 14	6 pm Great Vespers for Dormition <u>at Assumption Church</u>
Tues, Aug 15	9 am Orthros & 10 am Liturgy for Dormition <u>at Assumption Church</u>
Mon, Aug 28	6 pm Vespers & Liturgy for the beheading of St John the Baptist <u>at Assumption</u>
Fri, Sept 8	10 am Divine Liturgy for the Nativity of the Theotokos <u>at Assumption Church</u>
Wed, Sept 13	6 pm Vespers and Liturgy for Elevation of the Cross <u>at St George Church</u>

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>✠ Fast</p> <p> Wine & Oil Permitted (no meat)</p> <p> Fish Permitted (no other meat)</p>				<p>1 9 am to 12:30 pm North End Soup Kitchen</p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>2 </p>	<p>3 Souls' Saturday</p> <p>9 am Evergreen (outside the chapel) Trisagion service</p> <p>12:30 pm Crestwood</p> <p>1:30 pm Sunset Hills</p> <p>2 pm Gracelawn</p> <p>5 pm Vespers</p>
<p>4 Pentecost</p> <p>9:30 am Hours</p> <p>10 am Divine Liturgy</p> <p>Vespers w/Kneeling Prayers</p> <p>2 pm St. Nicholas Cemetery</p> <p>4 pm Great Lakes Cemetery</p>	<p>5 Father in Toledo</p>	<p>6 Father in Toledo</p>	<p>7</p> <p>9:30 am Divine Liturgy</p> <p>11:15 am adult ed.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p> <p>5 pm Vespers</p> <p>Confessions</p>
<p>11 Archbishop</p> <p>Alexander visits</p> <p>9:45 greet the bishop</p> <p>10 am Pontifical</p> <p>Divine Liturgy</p>	<p>12 ✠</p> <p><u>APOSTLES' FAST</u></p> <p><u>BEGINS</u></p> <p>Father in Toledo</p>	<p>13 </p> <p>6:30 pm Parish Council</p>	<p>14 ✠</p> <p>No Liturgy</p> <p>11:15 am adult ed.</p>	<p>15 </p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>16 ✠</p>	<p>17  </p> <p>5 pm Vespers</p> <p>Confessions</p>
<p>18 All Saints  </p> <p>Father's Day</p> <p>9:30 Hours</p> <p>10 am Divine Liturgy</p>	<p>19 ✠</p> <p>MACEDONIAN OPEN</p> <p>AT FLINT ELKS CLUB</p>	<p>20 </p> <p>Father in Toledo</p>	<p>21 ✠</p> <p>9:30 am Divine Liturgy</p> <p>11:15 am adult ed.</p>	<p>22 </p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>23 ✠</p>	<p>24  </p> <p>Nativity of</p> <p>St. John the Baptist</p> <p>10 am Liturgy</p> <p>5 pm Vespers</p> <p>Confessions</p>
<p>25  </p> <p>All Saints of North America</p> <p>9:30 Hours</p> <p>10 am Divine Liturgy</p>	<p>26 ✠</p> <p>Father in Toledo</p>	<p>27 </p>	<p>28 No Liturgy ✠</p> <p>11:15 am adult ed.</p> <p>6 pm pan-Orthodox Vespers & Liturgy at our church for Ss Peter and Paul</p>	<p>29</p> <p><u>Ss. Peter & Paul</u></p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>30 ✠</p>	<p>July 1</p> <p>5 pm Vespers</p> <p>Confessions</p>