ALL SAINTS BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday of the Paralytic Man

Festal Tone Acts 9:32-42 Jn 5:1-15

Schedule of Church Services and Activities

May 12	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church Mother's Day Luncheon in the Social Hall
May 14	Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy + John Jubin
May 15	Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
May 19	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church
May 21	Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
May 22	Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
May 26	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy For the Parishioners of All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church
Ascension of Our Lord (Holy Day of Obligation)			
May 29	Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Great Vespers with Divine Liturgy
May 30	Thursday	9:30 a.m.	Divine Liturgy
May 31	Friday	7:00 p.m.	All Souls Vigil Divine Liturgy

Holy Mystery of Penance - Confessions heard 45 minutes before each Divine Liturgy

CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

All Saints Byzantine Catholic Church is committed to gather in the Lord's name and proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ to all.

We invite you to join us in worship and hope that you will experience the Divine Liturgy as a meeting of heaven and earth.



Spiritual Motherhood: Every Woman's

<u>Calling</u> — I never had the incredible privilege of having children of my own, yet last year I was bombarded with Mother's Day cards and wishes. If you don't have children, *for goodness sake* don't believe that you have to give up motherhood.

Motherhood is not only biological maternity. It is spiritual maternity. There are hundreds of people all around who are desperately looking for a mother. A number of people have come to me to tell me about their problems. I listen to them. And I love them. And I say very little. But they know that I care for them. In this sense, I have become their mother.

Therefore, it's not a matter of either having biological or legally adopted children, or being childless. No! A mother is the very essence of femininity. We have *got* to be mothers! It's interesting that sometimes even little girls already understand this in the way they help their little sister or brother...

Last year, I was kept busy answering all the good wishes for Mother's Day. Your vocation is the same. If you are married that is wonderful. And if you are not married but one day God sends you the right man, gladly and gratefully accept him. But your motherhood should come long before that. Pray to God that he sends you spiritual children...

From now on your daily prayer should be, "God, send me spiritual children and I will never turn any one of them down. The more the better." Simple as that. Pray for the gift of spiritual children. It might very well be that in your beautiful desire to be a biological mother you have overlooked cases where you could have become a spiritual mother...

...You are called to motherhood *right now*. Not next week, not next month. I'm absolutely convinced that God has placed people in your path and called you to motherhood.

By Dr. Alice von Hildebrand. Excerpts from www.plough.com/en/topics/life/parenting/spiritual-motherhood

Remember in Prayer – Rt Rev Mitrat

Archpriest Wolodymyr Woloszczuk, Rev Andrew Krasulski, Rev Michael Krulak, Rev Andrew Marko, Anna, Dorian, Joseph, Nicholas, Michael Balint, Ann Berna, David Brussee, Brenda Conyers, Irene Derr, Joanne Herriven, Janelle (Misamore) Jessie, Pete Johnson, Nicholas Lawson, Jeff Link, Colleen Mallery, Peter Maroon, Emma Patrick, Anne Poole, Karen Schoepe, Leo Schofield, Missy Shapp, Vincent Spanti, Lindsay Anna Webster

Sanctuary Lamp

Charlie Poole & Valerie Poole by Anne Poole

Preparatory Table

Health and blessings for the Medovich Family

Vesting Table

May all women recognize the gift of who they are, beloved daughters of God, and be supported and encouraged in their vocation of motherhood.

Stewardship & Attendance

May 5 total attendance was 59.

Sunday Offering \$935.00
Eastern Catholic Life 134.00
Seminary 50.00
TOTAL \$1.119.00