

# St. John the Baptist

## Ukrainian Catholic Church

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### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE:

Saturday, 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (English)  
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. (Ukrainian and English)  
Sunday, 10:00 a.m. (Ukrainian)  
Tuesday - Friday, 8:00 a.m.

### Holy Days of Obligation:

6:00 p.m. (English on the preceding evening)  
9:00 a.m. on the Holy Day  
Other Services as announced.

### OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ; 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### BAPTISM AND CHRISMATION:

Parishioners should make plans to have their children baptized and chrismated in a timely fashion. Please call the rectory before setting a date for the ceremony.

### CONFESSIONS:

Before weekend Divine Liturgies and Holy Days.

### MARRIAGE:

Please call the rectory at least six months in advance. Pre-marital counseling is mandatory.

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

Kindly notify the rectory regarding parishioners who are hospitalized, homebound, or in nursing homes.

### CEMETERY:

Purchase of cemetery plots is a privilege reserved to parishioners. Please contact the rectory before any major improvements are undertaken.

### CHURCH FACILITIES:

Any use of church facilities must be cleared in advance at the rectory. Literature may not be placed in or around the Church without approval.

### BULLETIN DEADLINE:

8:00 a.m. of the Monday preceding the weekend in which the announcement is to appear.

### WEBSITES:

www.stjohnbaptistucc.com  
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### FOOD FOR THE POOR:

Collected at all weekend Divine Liturgies

**SUNDAY, July 16 – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

8:30AM - For Parishioners

10:00AM - In memory of +Anna Kuprowski  
req. Vitaliy and Natalya Onyper**TUESDAY, July 18**8:00AM - In memory of +Thomas Dydyk (9 years)  
req. Family**WEDNESDAY, July 19**8:00AM God's Blessing on the Temnycky Family  
req. Temnycky Family**THURSDAY, July 20 - The Holy and Glorious Prophet Elijah**8:00AM - In memory of +Maria Karpszyn  
req. Petro Patriak**FRIDAY, July 21**8:00AM - In memory of +Sophie Haahr  
req. Mr. and Mrs. William Sawran**SATURDAY, July 22**8:00AM - In memory of +Dr. John Hvozda  
req. Roman and Nadia Iwachiw5:00PM - In memory of +Joseph Metz  
req. daughter Anna Metz-Middleton**SUNDAY, July 23 – Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**

8:30AM - For Parishioners

10:00AM - In memory of +Katarzyna Majkowycz  
req. Walter and Lesia Majkowycz**READINGS (today)****Epistle: Romans 12:6-14****Gospel: Matthew 9:1-8****Tone 5****Festival Bread Baking**

**Apostleship of Prayer** will be baking bread, fruit rolls and other deserts for the festival on **Saturday, July 22 starting at 9AM.** All parishioners and Apostleship members who are able, are asked to please come and help.

**Please note**

There will be **NO Divine Liturgies on Saturday, July 29** during the Ukrainian Festival.

Also, there will be only **ONE Divine Liturgy on Sunday, July 30th at 10:00 AM.**

**Vigil Lights**

**Main Alter:** In memory of +Michael and +Mary Buhai  
req. Helen Sobotka

**Tetrapod:** In memory of +Mary and Edward Meckowski  
req. Helen Sobotka

**Sacred Heart:** In memory of +Irene and +William Mitzo  
req. Helen Sobotka

**Mother of God:** In memory of James Francis  
req. Helen, Patty and Stephanie Woyciesjes

**PRAY FOR US**

Please pray for the souls of the deceased members of the parish and those for whom Divine Liturgies will be offered this week. We ask that you also pray for the following parishioners who are ill or homebound: George Chuposka, Olga Holl, Peter Holl, Andrew Krzywyj, Anastazja Majkowycz, Julia Maliwesky, Walter Melnick, David Michaels, Sophia Mykolajewycz, Konstantyna Mykytyn, Dorothy Onoff-Graser, Julie Pinkasewicz, Lou Pizzuti, Mary Sheremeta, Pavlo Tkach, Carol Werbeck, Gabriella Wicker, Kalina Woloszyn, Anna Wowk, and Nina Wozniak.

**Attention Bakers!!!**

We need your help! Help make the 2017 Parish Festival bake booth a success by **baking your homemade Ukrainian bake goods.**



Your delicious desserts may be brought to the bake booth beginning at 3PM Friday, July 28 and beginning at 11 AM on Saturday, July 29. You can also drop off your bake goods on Thursday, July 27 from 5PM - 6PM.

Please make sure to write down what your bake good is and the main ingredients used.

We can ALL make the festival a huge success! God bless you.

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**Нам потрібна ваша допомога!** Допоможіть зробити Фестиваль - 2017-ть кращим як минулого року. Українська домашня випічка дозволить це зробити. А наш солодкий стіл буде найбільш популярний в часі фестивалю.

Ваші смачні печені десерти можуть бути принесені до "солодкого столу" у 3-й годині після обіду в П'ятницю, 28-го Липня; і в 11-й ранку в Суботу, 29-го Липня. Як також ви можете залишити своє печиво у Четвер, 27-го Липня, з 5-ї до 6-ї години вечора.

Будь ласка, також, напишіть назву випічки, які інгредієнти ви використовували, та ваше ім'я.

Ми всі можемо зробити наш парафіяльний фестиваль більш успішним! Нехай Господь Благословить нас усіх.

*Festival Committee  
Фестивальний Комітет.*

*Hymns*

**Saturday, July 15**  
**5:00PM Divine Liturgy**  
**Lector: Adria Ripka**

**Sunday, July 16**  
**8:30AM Divine Liturgy**  
**Lector: Steve Suche**

Opening: "Almighty God" Pg. 41 Vs. 1 & 2  
 "Благослови всім"

Communion: "Welcome Lord Jesus" Pg.44 Vs. 1 & 2  
 "Витай між нами"

Closing: "In Our Midst" Pg. 47 Vs. 1 & 2  
 "Назарета любий цвіте"

**Holy Dormition Pilgrimage at Sloatsburg**  
**63rd Holy Dormition Pilgrimage**  
**August 13, 2017**

This year we are looking to get a bus for the pilgrimage to Sloatsburg. **If you are interested in attending, please contact the rectory on Tuesday's during business hours at 315-478-5109 or drop a note in the collection basket.**



The popular Holy Dormition Pilgrimage has been held on Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate property in Sloatsburg, NY since 1954. It is always held on the weekend before the Feast of the Dormition (Assumption), August 15 (rain or shine). Usually attracting some 4,000 pilgrims, it is the largest annual religious gathering of Ukrainian Catholics in the US.

The highlight of the pilgrimage is the Sunday morning Pontifical Divine Liturgy, which is preceded by a procession to our outdoor grotto. Also on Sunday is the Akathist to the Mother of God sung by the sisters, a youth Liturgy, Stations of the Cross, Moleben, and a healing service. There is the blessing of religious articles, holy water, flowers and herbs (traditional on the feast of the Dormition), and the blessing of the cars and buses of departing pilgrims. There are food concessions each day. Confessions are heard all day Sunday in Ukrainian and English."

**His Beatitude Sviatoslav Shevchuk, Major Archbishop of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, is anticipated to be in attendance and will offer a blessing to all the faithful.**

**Our sympathy for the passing of:**

**+Bronislawa Melnyczuk**  
 who passed away on July 1, 2017  
*May her memory be eternal.*  
*Vitchanaya Pamyat!*

**Dome and Cupola Donations**

In memory of +Bronislava Melnyczuk  
 Roman Szul \$1,000.00  
 John Melnyczuk \$ 40.00

**SAVE THE DATE:****Ukrainian Festival**

Friday, July 28, 2017  
 Saturday, July 29, 2017

***(only 2 weeks till the festival)*****Festival Check List**● **Sign Up To Volunteer**

Volunteers are need for the festival. If you are available to volunteer, and have not already signed up, please contact Nick Fruscello at [blunick@gmail.com](mailto:blunick@gmail.com) or call 315-882-2560. **We need volunteers in all areas, especially to help with set-up and clean-up work.**

● **Purchase Your Raffle Tickets**

If you have not done so, please do so as soon as possible. They can be dropped in the collection basket during the weekend Liturgies, or dropped off at the parish rectory on Tuesdays during office hours. Also, if you would like additional raffle tickets to buy or sell, please contact the rectory office.

● **Make a Donation**

Donations are used to help defray the cost of kitchen and festival expenses. Please place your donation in an envelope with your name and "Festival Donation" written on top and either drop it off at the rectory or put it into the collection basket. All donations made will be listed in the festival program and they can be in memory or honor of a loved one.

● **"Every Penny Counts" Donation**

Donation container will be set up in the front of the church, and will be there until the festival. So please continue to save your pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters and drop them in the donation jar.

● **Advertisement**

If you own a business, or you know someone who does, please encourage them to advertise in our Festival Program. It is a great way to promote the business and help the parish at the same time!

● **Spread The Word**

Email, call, write, text or tell your friends, family, co-workers and neighbors about the up coming festival. Let people know the date and times and invite them to come. Flyers are also available in the back of the church. Take a couple and hang them around town.

● **Don't forget to bring your Address Labels.**

They will help cut down on the writing when purchasing your Basket Raffle Tickets, when trying to enter for a chance to win a beautiful oil painting donated by Mr. Revutsky or any of the beautiful baskets being raffled.

**Most important come to the festival and have good food, fun and support the church.**



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