

Pastoral Ministry and Sacraments:

Sacrament of Confession: on Sundays and Holy Days one hour before Divine Liturgy and other days, by Appointment;

Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist for the sick: by appointment, anytime;

Anointing of the sick, and hospital visits: by appointment, anytime;

Baptisms: by appointment;

Marriages: by appointment, at least 6 months in advance;

Funerals: by appointment.



SAINT IRENE BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH
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The Nativity of the Most Holy Mother of God
Різдво Пресвятої Владичиці нашої Богородиці
і Приснодіви Марії

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE: September 8—September 15

Sunday, September 8—Sunday before the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. Feast of the Birth of the Theotokos (use handouts)

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For Parishioners, Benefactors and Friends of St. Irene*

Monday, September 9—Postfestive Day of the Birth of the Theotokos. The Holy and Just Grandparents of God Joachim and Anna

Tuesday, September 10—Postfestive Day of the Feast of the Birth of the Mother of God. The Holy Martyrs Menodora, Metrodora and Nymphodora

Wednesday, September 11—Postfestive Day of the Birth of the Theotokos. Our Holy Mother Theodora of Alexandria

Thursday, September 12—Leave-taking (Otdaniye) of the Feast of the Birth of the Theotokos. The Hieromartyr Autonomus

Friday, September 13—Pre-festive Day of the Exaltation of the Cross. The Consecration of the Church of the Resurrection of Christ

Saturday, September 14—Feast of Exaltation of the Holy Cross (253)
 7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy

Sunday, September 15—Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. (use handouts)
 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For Parishioners, Benefactors and Friends of St. Irene*

WELCOME TO ALL PARISHIONERS & GUESTS WHO HAVE JOINED US TODAY

Whether you're searching for a new church home or just visiting, we're glad you're with us today. If you are looking for God, have a prayer request, looking for more information about the Eastern Catholic Church, would like to join our parish, or would like to speak with Fr. Vasyl, we invite you to fill out a visitor's card and drop it in the offering basket as your offering today. Please join us for our coffee hour in the Parish hall following the Divine Liturgy. We want to get to know you! God bless you!

Please remember in your prayers:

For health and salvation: Fr. Frank Knuzel

For repose of the departed: +Kristina Beresh, + Nadia, +Ivan

Please let Fr. Vasyl know if you would like to add new names to the prayer list and also notify him about any sick and/or hospitalized parishioners and family members.

Parish calendar of Birthdays & Anniversaries: If you would like to be included in our Parish Calendar of Birthday and Anniversary celebrations, please send the date to Fr. Vasyl.

7-DAY CANDLE OFFERING:

If you would like to offer the 7-day candle for the intention of your family, friends, or loved ones, please use an envelope marked "7-Day Candle Request" found in the narthex and put it in Sunday's collection basket. Lamps are lit the following week after the Saturday Liturgy and the intention is published in the Parish Bulletin.

ECF (Eastern Catholic Formation) forms for the new school year are available in the parish hall. Dear parents please take one and sign up your children. You can send the form to the parish office or bring it and give it to Fr. Vasyl. This will help us to form a class/classes for the current academic year. Thank you.

Catechetical Sunday: On Sunday, September 22, an important event will take place in our parish: the beginning of the new Catechetical year. To welcome our students and bless our teachers, special prayers and blessings will be included during the Divine Liturgy. All instructors and students are asked to be present.

On Saturday, September 14, is the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. A Divine Liturgy will be held in our temple at 7:00 p.m. on this day. Make a note in your calendar please.

В Суботу, 14 вересня, припадає свято Воздвиження Чесного і Животворящего Хреста Господа і Бога і Спаса нашого Ісуса Христа. У день свята у нашому храмі о 19:00 буде відслужена Божественна Літургія. Зробіть будь ласка відповідну помітку у Вашому календарі.

Please return the registration forms back to Fr. Vasyl. If you would like to be registered in our parish, you can find the registration form in the hall or ask Father. We will update our Parish Directory. Thank you for your support of Irene parish.

Advisory Board: On Sunday, September 15, Father Vasyl would like to hold the first Advisory Board meeting since his appointment as a pastor of St. Irene Parish. Our meeting will take place after coffee hour, in the Parish Hall. Please plan to be there if Fr. Vasyl invited you to join the Board. Thank you.

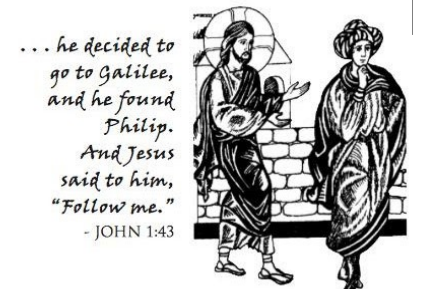
Thank you!: The parish of St. Great Martyr Irene expresses our sincere thanks to Daniel and Becky Gufrey for inviting and accommodating our parish family for Parish Picnic. May the Lord bless you and reward you.

September 1

Tithes: \$440.00
Attendance: 30

Thank you for your generous support and contributions to the Lord's Holy House.

Parish Picnic/Potluck: Today, around 1:00 p.m. will be parish picnic at the Gufrey home located at 18704 NE Cramer Road in Battle Ground, WA 98604. Grilled chicken, Kobasa (ковбаса), and hot dogs, as well as a variety of drinks will be provided. Please bring a small salad, dessert or side dish to share. If you have questions, please call us at (360) 687-2247. We hope to see you there. All are welcome!



WEEKEND OF DISCOVERY

For more info visit <https://www.bcs.edu/2019/09/04/come-and-see-retreat-of-discovery-3/>