



SAINT IRENE BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Schedule of Services July 4—July 11

Sunday, July 4—Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
9:45 a.m. Third Hour
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For parishioners, founders, donors, decorators of our church and for their relatives*
Divine Liturgy (private) *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*

Monday, July 5
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*

Tuesday, July 6
7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*
Moleben
Veneration of the first class relic of St Martyr Maria Goretti

Wednesday, July 7
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*

Thursday, July 8
Divine Liturgy (private) *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*

Friday, July 9
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*

Saturday, July 10
Divine Liturgy (private) *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*

Sunday, July 11—Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
9:45 a.m. Third Hour
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy *For parishioners, founders, donors, decorators of our church and for their relatives*
Divine Liturgy (private) *For + Rodolfo Paracuelles by Delta Santa Teresa*



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. Chris Zuger, Tony and family, Michael Baron, Brenda Washicko, Ed, Dennis, Max, Pani Mary, Mary, Vasyl Zhabko

For repose of the departed: +Bishop Gerald N Dino, +Fr. Frank Knusel, +Frank Sliwinski, Jr.

Please let me know if you would like to add new names to our prayer list.

LITURGY INTENTIONS: you may request a liturgy intention for the deceased or living. Kindly use the envelopes located in the narthex in church and drop the envelope into the Collection Basket or hand it to Father. Please print legibly. Thank You.

ANSWERING GOD'S CALL: "Son, be of good cheer! Your sins are forgiven!" The faith of the friends of the paralytic brought healing and forgiveness. All of us can do the same in our own lives. Priests, deacons, monks and nuns are especially called to do this in the Church for the life of the world. If this may be something God is calling you to consider, contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org



Blessing of cars: The blessing of vehicles will take place on the feast day of the Prophet Elijah (July 20); also, your car can be blessed on Sunday, July 25th. It is our tradition to bless vehicles as a remembrance of the fiery chariot

on which Elijah departed this life. At the end of Liturgies, we will bless cars, trucks, bicycles, skate boards, strollers and anything else with wheels that moves people!

Online Classes from Metropolitan Cantors Institute: These classes are available at no charge to anyone interested in learning about the liturgy and musical tradition of our church. They are offered year-round, and can be taken at any time. For more information: <http://mci.archpitt.org/classes>

Great news for those donating online
Now you can use our new online giving tool to tithe online using your credit card or bank account information. You can also do a one-time donation or set up weekly donations! You will receive a receipt and statement immediately after donating. The software takes a very small percentage of the donation, but its worth it for the ease of the system. You can donate using your computer at: <https://donorbox.org/online-tithing-2> Also, feel free to send in your regular tithe check by mail to
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It is very important that we continue to give a percentage of what Our Lord has given us, and continue to support the structure and ministry of the parish. Thank you!



Eparchial Appeal 2021: We are in a time of Annual collection "Eparchial Appeal 2021". Total Pledged To-Date is **\$1150.00 (15.12% of Goal)**. Our goal is **\$7,607.33**. Some can donate more, some less. Our goal is that everyone in our parish takes part in this collection. Kindly give

what you can to help our Eparchy and our Church. There are few ways to donate: *You can donate online. Please go to ephx.org, then click "Home- Eparchy of Phoenix," then click "Giving". Make sure you note that you are from St. Irene Church, Portland OR *You can ask Father for the 2021 Eparchial Appeal brochure, Pledge / Payment form.* Mail the check to St. Irene. Please write a check to St. Irene and put in memo "The Eparchial Appeal". Thank you for your generosity.



Happy Independence Day

Today, July 4 we observe the 245th anniversary of the Independence of the United States. On this day we will have the thanksgiving Divine Liturgy, and also we will pray for God's blessing for our country.



Feast of Saint Maria Goretti

July 6

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