

Liturgical Schedule Thirty-third Week after Pentecost -- January 15, 2023

Thirty-second Sunday after Pentecost

Saturday January 14, 2023

Dunlo **5:00 PM** Vigil Divine Liturgy

Sunday January 15, 2023

Portage **9:00 AM** Sunday Divine Liturgy [+Ron Yuhas, by Mickey & Bonnie Zajorsky]

Wednesday January 18

Portage 7:45 AM The Third Hour
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy [+Marian Simala]

Friday January 20

Portage 7:45 AM The Third Hour
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy [+Kathryn Malley, by Dr. & Mrs. John & Carol Lynch—40th Day Observance]

Saturday January 21, 2023

Portage 3:00 PM Mystery of Repentance [Confessions]
Beaverdale 4:30 PM Mystery of Repentance [Confessions]

Sunday of Zacchaeus

Saturday January 21, 2023

Beaverdale **5:00 PM** Vigil Divine Liturgy]

Sunday January 22, 2023

Portage **9:00 AM** Sunday Divine Liturgy [+Paulette Fedorko, by Bob, Holly, Abrielle & Arabella]

Mysteries of Christian Initiation: *Holden James Kinback* receives the **Mysteries of Christian Initiation** – Baptism, Chrismation, and Eucharist—today, Sunday, January 15. He is the son of Cody and Kacey Kinback. ***Many happy years!***

O Lord, our Master and God, call your servant to Your holy enlightenment, count him worthy of this great gift of Your holy baptism. Wash away his old self, and give him a new birth into everlasting life. Fill him with the power of Your Holy Spirit that he may be one with Your Christ..."

Blessing of Homes: To request the blessing of your home, please fill out this form, and place it in the offering box or return by mail. Fr. Jim will call to schedule a day and time for family members to be at home and to participate. Have a lighted candle and an icon on the table. Copies of the service for the blessing of the home will be provided for you.

I/we would like to have my/our home blessed:

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Remember in Prayer: Please pray for the health of ***Shawn Crum***, and for his family.

Archeparchial Synod Assembly: In preparation for the **“2023-2024 Synod for a Synodal Church”** to be held in Rome, the Archeparchy of Pittsburgh is hosting a gathering to review the responses to the parish survey taken in 2022. This survey had requested replies and comments to the Synod topics and questions. The Assembly will include responses from parishes in the Archeparchy of Pittsburgh, and the Eparchies of Passaic Parma, and Phoenix.

This **“Archeparchial Synod Assembly”** will be on Saturday, April 29, 2023 at Saint John’s Cathedral in Munhall. The **Assembly** will not only be an opportunity to hear the responses to the reports. Its aim is also to explore what it means to be “Church” in our time and call us to reflect on **“Participation, Mission and Communion,”** These are considered to be key elements of the Synod and its process.

Additional details on this event will be provided in coming keeps.

All Souls Commemoration for 2023: The first **All Souls Commemoration** is Saturday, February 11 [Meatfare Saturday]. Since we have not yet received offering envelopes, you may use an ordinary envelope to enter names of deceased family members to be remembered at the Divine Liturgy and Panachida on the **All Souls Saturdays**.

Please indicate if the names listed are in addition to previous years’ lists or to replace the previous years; and return the envelope at your earliest convenience to help in maintaining All Souls listing.

2023 Church Offering Envelopes: Church Budget Envelopes, hopes to have the envelopes printed and shipped by mid-January, 2023. Until the envelopes are available, use a plain envelope for your contributions. **Write your name and the amount** on the envelopes to insure that the donation is properly recorded and credited to you. **Thank you** for your cooperation and patience.

Pre-Cana for 2023: The dates for the **Pre-Cana Program** offered by the Archeparchy are Saturdays, March 4 and March 18. For those planning marriage in 2023, the **Pre-Cana Program** is a required part of the marriage preparation. Contact Father Jim for more information and details

Sanctuary Candle... is offered this week for the health of **Shawn Crum**, by Steve Fleck.

“Troitsja” Candle & Carillon Bells; Bulletins:

January 15	<u>Candle & Bells:</u>	Abby Koban	<u>Bulletins:</u>	Abby Koban & Bella Koban
January 22	<u>Candle & Bells</u>	Easton Slanoc	<u>Bulletins:</u>	Lexie Slanoc & Easton Slanoc
January 29	<u>Candle & Bells:</u>	Lexie Slanoc	<u>Bulletins:</u>	Abby Koban & Bella Koban

Remember in Prayer: The Health of: *Shawn Crum; Katie Czapp; Darlene Shaner; Angeline Pieraccini; Shawn Crum; Steve Paluch; Jason Thornton; Charlett Thornton; Catherine McGough; Carol Slifko; Deacon Daniel Perich; Donna Block; Holly Pawvluk; Michael & Pauline Barelick; and all the ill, homebound.*

HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS: SS Peter & Paul (Portage): Dorothy Billy; Louise Halovich; Joseph Mandichak; Michelle Maskal; Dorothy Majer; Stella Raptosh; Cathy Walters;. **Saint Mary, Beavertdale:** Catherine McGough; **NURSING & CARE FACILITIES: Rebekah Manor,** Portage: Helen Zaher; **Maple Winds:** June Nezeski; **John Paul II Manor, Cresson:** Kathryn Mackovyak; **Cambria Care,** Ebensburg: Dorothy Resconich.

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Mysteries of Christian Initiation: There is to be **preparatory instruction** for parents and godparents prior to the celebration of the **Mysteries of Christian Initiation – Baptism, Chrismation, and Eucharist**. Christian Initiation may be celebrated with the Sunday Divine Liturgy. Those selected to be sponsors must be persons who are qualified to be a sponsor according the norms of Church law and practice.

Crowning in Marriage: A **six month period of preparation** is to precede the marriage. Couples are to meet with the pastor before other arrangements are scheduled. The **Pre-Cana Program** offered by the Archeparchy in the spring of each year is a **required** part of the marriage preparation for all couples.

Holy Anointing & Pastoral Care of the Ill: Please contact the pastor prior to surgery or in the event of illness to require the **Mystery of Holy Anointing**. When you or a family member are hospitalized or enter a nursing home or other facility, **please inform the pastor**.

Mystery of Repentance (Confessions): **Saturdays: 3:00 p.m. (Portage) and 4:30 pm (Beaverdale/Dunlo)**. Also, **½ hour before services [except Sunday]**, and by appointment.

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