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Eve Sundays & Feast Days

5:00 PM Confessions

6:00 PM Great Vespers

Sundays and Feast Days

8:40 AM 3rd and 6th Hour

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy

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JUNE 30, 2024

1ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ALL SAINTS



The Synaxis of the Glorious and All-Praiseworthy Twelve Apostles of Christ appears to be an ancient Feast. The Church honors each of the Twelve Apostles on separate dates during the year, and has established a general commemoration for all of them on the day after the commemoration of the Glorious and First-Ranked among the Apostles Peter and Paul.

The holy God-crowned Emperor Constantine the Great (May 21) built a church in Constantinople in honor of the Twelve Apostles. There are in-

structions for celebrating this Feast which date from the fourth century. For lists of the Apostles' names, see: Mt.10:2, Mark 3:14, Luke 6:12, Acts 1:13, 26.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Andrew the First-called is also commemorated on November 30. He was the brother of Saint Peter (June 29).

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle James is also commemorated on

April 30. He and his brother John are the sons of Zebedee, and were called “sons of Thunder” (Mark 3: 17).

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle and Evangelist, virgin, and beloved friend of Christ, John the Theologian is also commemorated on September 26 and May 8. He and his brother James are the sons of Zebedee, and were called “sons of Thunder” (Mark 3:17).

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Philip is also commemorated on November 14.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Bartholomew is also commemorated on June 11 and August 25.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Thomas is also commemorated on October 6 and on the Sunday after Pascha.

Saint Stephen succeeded his father, Prince Bogdan II, as Prince of Moldavia on April 12, 1457 soon after the latter was murdered. He defended his country against the Turks, and he also built many churches and monasteries.

Saint Stephen the Great was a spiritual son of Saint Daniel the Hesychast (December 18), who told him that if he built a church after every battle he would be victorious in all his wars. Following Saint Daniel’s counsel, Saint Stephen won forty-seven battles and built forty-eight churches or monasteries. He also built the Putna Dormition Monastery in northern Moldavia in 1466 when Saint Daniel urged him to do so.



In 1476, Saint Stephen lost the battle of Razboieni to the Turks. He went to visit Saint Daniel at the Voronets Monastery to ask whether or not he should surrender the country to the Moslems. Saint Daniel told him not to surrender, because he would soon win a decisive victory. Saint Daniel also told him that after he had saved the nation, Stephen should build a monastery in honor of Saint George at that place. Having faith in Saint Daniel’s prophecy, Stephen went forth with his army and drove the Turks from the country.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle and Evangelist Matthew is also commemorated on November 16.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle James, the son of Alphaeus, is also commemorated on October 9.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Jude is also commemorated on June 19. He is also known as Thaddeus (but should not be confused with Saint Thaddeus of the Seventy, who is commemorated on August 21), and was the brother of Saint James (October 23).

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Simon the Zealot is also commemorated on May 10.

The holy, glorious, all-laudable Apostle Matthias is also commemorated on August 9.

Learn and Play

St. Matthew Orthodox Church

Homeschool Enrichment &
Infant/Toddler Play Group

Fridays 9:30am-11:45am Aug 16-Oct 25

Meet and Greet July 19th 10am
@Memorial Park and Splash Pad
14600 State Road, North Royalton

Contact Olivia Harmon to register
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PRAYER REQUESTS

as of 6/30/2024



Deceased

Danilo "Dan" Arangelovich (*Uncle of
Cindy & Nisi*)

Valentina Zawolowycz (*mother of Paul Z*)

Elizabeth Balasz

Special Intentions:

Paul Epele (*Father-in-law of Lauren*)

Subdeacon Theodore Lentz

Michael Kalinich (*Uncle of Linda Kovach*)

Subdeacon Roger Pinta

Child McKenna Kranek

Subdeacon Leon Felon

Linda Smotzer

Reader Frank Tkacz

Stephan Chwalyk

Horia Dascalescu (*Lavinia's brother*)

Diane Kearsy (*Janice Tkacz's Sister*)

Janice Tkacz

Eleanor Wachovec (*friend of Karen Felon*)

Rachel Ohlin (*relative of Tatiana*)

Erin Zawolowycz

Jeffrey Parhamovich (*brother of Karen Felon*)

Margaret Parhamovich (*sister-in-law of Karen Felon*)

Margaret Peyton (*Cathy's aunt*)

Jean Woycitzky Thompson (*Frank's cousin*)

Anna Marie Luvison (*daughter of Matthew & Katie (Ellis) Luvison*)

Debra Parhamovich (*sister of Karen Felon*)

Grace Mary Parhamovich (*mother of Karen Felon*)

Lonnie Ellis (*Husband to Debra Ellis*)

Robert Martin Prock

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A letter from the Parish Council at St. Andrew Church in Maple Heights...

Father Bless!

Dear Father Jan;

My name is Christine and I am the Parish Council Secretary at St. Andrews. First and foremost you and your family and parish family are in our daily prayers! If you ever are in need of a place to gather, you are always most welcome at our parish.

On behalf of our Council I would like to extend an invitation to your parishioners, and your family to our Parish Picnic. The picnic is being held on Sunday, July 14th. We will have a lot of activities for the children, especially some water activities! We usually aim to serve lunch at about 1:00 pm.

Please extend this invitation to your parish, and if you could let me know, a number that we can expect so that we may prepare for the food. Thank you!

In Christ,
Christine

Please inform Fr. Jan if you plan to attend and how many, so he can pass this on.

St. Andrew Church is at 16029 Maple Park Dr. Maple Heights, Ohio 44137

Sunday, June 30

1st Sunday after Pentecost

All Saints

8:40 AM 3rd and 6th Hours

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Coffee Hour

FOCA meeting to follow

Monday, July 1

Holy and Wonderworking

Unmercenary Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs at Rome (284)

Tuesday, July 2

The Placing of the Honorable Robe of the Most-holy Mother of God at Blachernæ (5th c.)

Wednesday, July 3

Martyr Hyacinth of Cæsarea in Cappadocia (108)

6:00 PM Akathist to St Theodosius

WEEKLY SCHEDULE 2024



Thursday, July 4

St. Andrew, Archbishop of Crete
(712)

Friday, July 5

Ven. Athanasius, Founder of the Great Lavra and Cœnobitic Monasticism on Mt. Athos, and his six disciples (1000)

Saturday, July 6

Ven. Sisoës the Great (429). Ven. Sisoës, Schema-monk, of the Kiev Caves (Far Caves—13th c.)
6:00 PM Great Vespers

Sunday, July 7

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

All Saints of America

8:40 AM 3rd and 6th Hours

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Coffee Hour