

## Holy Ghost Byzantine Catholic Church

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**Christ is Born!  
Glorify Him!**

**Christos Razdajetsja!  
Slavite Jeho!**

**January 5, 2024**

### Schedule of Liturgical Services at Holy Ghost

#### **Sunday, January 5: Sunday before Theophany**

*Divine Liturgy:* 11:30 am. Liturgy offered for health and healing of Bernadette Gaudio by the Genzano Family

[Tone 8](#), page 161, Sunday before Theophany page 310  
Epistle: 2 Timothy 4:5-8 Gospel: Mark 1:1-8

#### **Monday, January 6: Theophany of our Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ**

*Divine Liturgy:* **6:30 pm**. Liturgy and Blessing of the Water with Father Joseph Loya

[Theophany](#), page 313  
Epistle: Titus 2:11-14 & 3:4-7 Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17

#### **Sunday, January 12: Sunday after Theophany**

*Divine Liturgy:* 11:30 pm with Father Andriy Kovach (Choir Liturgy)

[Tone 1](#), page 123, Sunday after Theophany, page 316  
Epistle: Ephesians 4:7-13 Gospel: Matthew 4:12-17

#### **Sunday, January 19: Thirty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost.**

*Divine Liturgy:* 11:30 pm with Father Andriy Kovach

[Tone 2](#), page 130  
Epistle: 1 Timothy 1:15-17 Gospel: Luke 18:35-43

For more information on the Liturgical Calendar visit the Metropolitan Cantor Institute's website at: <https://mci.archpitt.org/>

**Confessions** - Fr. Andriy is available after Liturgy every Sunday, for any **Sacramental Emergencies or Funerals** please contact Father Andriy at (610) 933-2819.

**Intentions** for Sunday Divine Liturgies are being accepted. Please place an envelope with your intention in the collection basket in the back of church. Liturgical stipend is \$20.

**Contributions** - please make sure all contributions for the year 2024 are received by January 5<sup>th</sup>. Contributions after this date will be applied to 2025.

**Candelabrum reservations** - Offering is \$35. Please place an envelope in the collection basket at the back of church with CANDELABRUM on the front of the envelope.

**Cookbook** - Holy Ghost will be refreshing and re-printing our cookbook, an effort of love from the 1980's. If you have any Eastern European\Slavic recipes you'd like to share, please email them to us at [info@holyghostbyzantine.com](mailto:info@holyghostbyzantine.com) or see Helene or Cherise.

**Envelopes and Calendars for 2025 are labeled and in the stairway hall. Please collect the labeled bag to start your new year! If you need envelopes for the 2025 year, see Nancy Licisyn.**

**Parish Advisory Board Meeting** - Sunday February 2<sup>nd</sup>, after Liturgy. Board members will meet in the lower hall.

**Woman in Prayer fundraiser** - Thanks to St. Michael's, Holy Ghost and Blessed Virgin Mary churches, we have collected \$1,960 that will be given to the "Baby's Breath" organization in Phoenixville, PA

**A special Thank You** - to all our parishioners who remembered Fr. Andriy and his family this Christmas season with cards, gifts, and good wishes. May God bless all of you.

**Kindly remember in your prayers the members of our parish family who are confined to home, in a health care facility or in the hospital. May Our Lord, Physician of souls and bodies, extend His healing hand to ease their pain and suffering.**

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**Attendance:**  
December 22: **28**  
December 25: **20**  
December 29: **16**



(Next distribution January 19<sup>th</sup>)

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