



**St. John the Baptist
Byzantine Catholic Church**

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The Propers for today: Troparion of Resurrection, Tone 8 (page 161), Troparion of the Exaltation of the Cross, Tone 1 (page 254); Kontakion of the Exaltation of the Cross, Tone 4 (page 255); Prokeimenon of the Exaltation of the Cross, Tone 7 (page 256); and Alleluia of the Resurrection, Tone 8 (page 163), then Alleluia of the Exaltation of the Cross, Tone 1 (page 256).

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory to him forever!

Scripture readings: Epistle: Gal 2:16-20 Gospel: Mk 8:34-9:1

Sunday, Sept. 20 Sunday after the Exaltation of the Cross
8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Sunday, Sept. 27 18th Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 a.m. +Shirley Kalynych, by Mary Sass

Today's Gospel reflections (Mk 8:34-9:1) . . .

What word or phrase struck me as I heard the reading?

What idea or image came to mind?

What story did I hear being told, in my own words?

What really touched me in this reading?

In the coming week, reflect on why it is important to not be afraid to proclaim our faith in Jesus.

Thank you: Thanks to all who helped with our nut roll baking process Friday and yesterday. God bless you for your generosity of time and talent for this important parish fundraiser.



You can now donate online directly to St. John Parish using the QR code above.

Welcome to new parishioners and visitors: The faithful of St. John the Baptist Parish would like to welcome new parishioners and visitors. We are happy that you have joined us on our spiritual journey and we hope that you feel welcome.

Please remember in prayer all parishioners of St. John Parish, especially sick and shut-in parishioners and friends: Christine Boros, Steve Boros, Bob Dirda, Chris Hannes, Daryl Hannes, Linda Hritz, Mike Hritz, George Homa, Father Michael Huszti, Frances Koleszar, Lynn Ann Lepole, Mark Lepole, B.J. Lysic, Mary Jane Molnar, Jonna Nesbella, Linda Parker, Allen Potoma, Mitzi Sauvinsky, Pat Schabel and Bunny Stanislaw. And please pray for Bishop Robert Pipta and our administrator, Father Jan Maturkanic.

PRAYERS TO OUR BEATIFIED BISHOPS: Please use the handout prayer cards in the bookrack for text.

Nut roll baking dates: The dates for our next fall nut roll bakings are Saturdays, Oct 10 and 31; Nov 21; and Dec 5. Help is needed all day from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Offertory 9/6 +13/21	
Offertory	\$445.00
Holy days	\$165.00
Candles	\$41.00
Hall rental	\$75.00
Gift	\$500.00
Total	\$1,226.00
Thank you to the generous supporters and benefactors of our parish.	

Eastern Churches Seminar:

The **41st Eastern Churches Seminar** will begin with a keynote lecture by **Father Radu Bordeianu**, Ph.D., professor of theology at Duquesne University, titled **"Yours or Mine: Why Do We Have Different Dates for Easter?"** The opening session will take place from **5-7 p.m.** at **St. Francis Chapel** on the John Carroll University campus and will be followed by a complimentary pizza reception in the **Lombardo Student Center Atrium**.

The seminar will continue the following morning at **St. Joseph Byzantine Catholic Church** in Brecksville, beginning at **10 a.m.** with a [moleben](#) liturgical service followed by Father Bordeianu's presentation, **"Virtual Community? The Parish in a Technological Age,"** exploring the opportunities and challenges of cultivating Christian community in an increasingly digital world.

The seminar is presented by the **Tuohy Center for Interreligious Understanding** at **John Carroll University, St. Joseph Byzantine Catholic Church**, and the **Catholic Diocese of Cleveland**. The program is **free and open to the public**. Registration is requested at jcu.edu/easternchurches.

EASTERN CHURCHES SEMINAR

A COLLABORATION OF ORTHODOX, EASTERN AND ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES



Yours or Mine?
Why Do We Have Different Dates for Easter?
September 25, 5 pm,
St. Francis Chapel at
John Carroll University

Virtual Community?
Parish in a Technological Age
September 26, 10 am
St. Joseph Byzantine
Catholic Church
Brecksville

Fr. Radu Bordeianu, Ph.D.
Professor at Duquesne University
Priest at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church



Free and open to all. Registration welcome at: jcu.edu/easternchurches

