

ST. GEORGE ROMANIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

EPARCHY OF ST. GEORGE IN CANTON

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Schedule for Holy Days of Obligation: Vigil Vespers: 6:00 p.m.

Day of Feast: 10:00am and 6:00 p.m.

Confessions: See calendar or at any time by request.

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February 18, 2024

Sunday of Orthodoxy

1st Sunday of Lent

This Sunday: Epistle Hebrews 11: 24-26

Gospel John 1:43-51

Next Sunday: Epistle Hebrews 1: 10- 23

Gospel Mark 2: 1-12

Weekly Liturgy Schedule

Monday 2/19	No Liturgy
Tuesday 2/20	No Liturgy
Wednesday 2/21	6:00pm Presanctified Liturgy
Thursday 2/22	No Liturgy
Friday 2/23	12:00 Noon Presanctified Liturgy
Saturday 2/24	9:00am Liturgy of the Dead
Sunday 2/25	10:00am Divine Liturgy

Church Bulletin donated in February 2024 by John Puia

Scheduled services will be held and can be viewed and prayed with at <https://stgeorge.click2stream.com/>. Make sure to click on the volume to unmute at the bottom right-hand corner. The obligation to attend Liturgy for Holy Days and Sundays **In-Person** has been reinstated.

All are invited to the Large Hall for the coffee hour. Coffee hour is donated by Aurel and Angie Bosca family. Thank you!

Sunday Collection: February 11, 2024

Sunday envelopes	\$1,102.00
Loose money	\$ 25.00
Candles	<u>\$ 100.00</u>
Total	\$1,227.00

Someone lit a candle and prayed for you last Sunday:

+ All family members	Del and Sandy Schock
H/S All family members	Del and Sandy Schock
In loving memory of daughter + Trisha Schock	Del and Sandy Schock
H/S All family members	Ioan and Maria Marginean
+ Parents and family members	Mihai and Elena Florea
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H/S George Marcu	Maria Marcu
+ Parents and family	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
Special Intention- Our family health	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S Rita and Mircea Cristea	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
H/S Msgr. Gregory Duma birthday	Danny and Cyndi Ardelean
+ Russel Onak	Mark Botean
+ Ed Reichard	Mark Botean
H/S Scott, Happy Birthday	Jaime Parker
+ Fr, Emmanuel Samayoa	Dave and Debbie Murari
+ Linda Margan- Connors	Dave and Debbie Murari
+ Parents, all family members, Fr. Emmanuel Samayoa	Chuck Roska family

H/S Aunt Alice Loop, Sheila Diotale, Anna
Maria Silveri and family, Nick Moldovan,
Melinda Richardson and family
H/S All St. George Cathedral parishioners
H/S Ileana Hotiu

Chuck Roska family

Mircea Cristea
Doug Babb

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Prayer requests: Rita Cristea, Bob Maciag, Ana Marie Wilson, Ann Fosnaught and Baby, Ukraine, Lopez Family, Zedzelensky Family, Ashley Hodkinson, Debbie Maier, Rose Maier, Ray Cockran, Rose Karavolas, Tiffany McCormick, Mary Franchini, Vicky Dash (Doug Babb's sister), Tim Shocksneider, Timothy John, Troy Kilpatrick, Sadie Dexter, Neil Weakland, Edward Sutek, Lanette Fliger, Friedrich Neading, Clore Family, Rodriguez Family, Patron Family, Seesan Family, Suzie Dragos, Virginia Rogers, Bob and Barbara Greavu, Chris English, Ileana Hotiu, Annie Collins, Jean Reinhart, and all who need our prayers.

Always in our prayers: Esther Dershaw (Sprenger Health Care Rose Lane Nursing and Rehabilitation), Alex Gonyias (The Inn at Whitewood- memory care Rm/ 307) and Theresa Gonyias (The Inn at Whitewood- assisted living Rm. 213), Sr. Agnes Scalero (St. Joseph Center Room B-5), Ann Stimer (Aviva Hills Assisted Living, 4550 Hills and Dales RD NW, Rm. 119), Doris Rotar (home in Florida)

Altar Candelabrum for February 2024 is donated by **William Galida** in memory of + **Patricia Galida**

Left Iconostasis Candelabrum for February 2024 is donated by **Mircea Cristea** in memory of the parents.

Right Iconostasis Candelabrum for February 2024 is donated by **Barbara Smith** in memory of + **Kenneth Baird(father)**

The Blessed Virgin Mary Candelabrum for February 2024 is donated by **Dave and Debbie Murari**, in memory of our mothers and grandmothers.

Prescura for 2024: Annie Collins, Esther Dershaw, Suzie Dragos, Elena Florea, Ann Fosnaught, Mariana Greavu, Ana Heim, Grete Heatherly, Ileana

Hotiu, Nancy Maciag, Maria Marcu, Debbie Murari, Virginia Rogers, Kathy Walsh, P-sa. Patricia Wendt, Dodi Zbuka and P-sa. Gabriela Marginean

Parish events:

As a new year has started, **we need sponsors for our Social Hour.** Please, consider sponsoring this social event. It is a lot of fun, and everybody enjoys the time spent together. **The sign-up sheet is in the Large Hall.** Thank you and God bless.

The Stewardship Committee will meet in person on Tuesday, **February 20th at 6.00 pm.** Because we have to conduct our semi-annual internal audit. If you want to participate, please contact Fr. Ovi. Thank you.

On Thursday, **February 22nd at 6.30 pm,** we will have the **Pastoral Committee** meeting, The meeting is in person, and it takes place in the Small Hall. Everybody is invited. Thank you.

The Saturdays of the dead will start on February 24, 2024. Please update your lists for the deceased. You'll find envelopes on the Narthex table. You can give them to Fr. Ovi or P-sa Gabi.

Rice Bowl collection is starting up in Lent. Enclosed please find Bishop's letter on this collection as well as the rice bowl to set them up and place your donations at home in it until the end of Lent when they'll be collected back.

Announcements

Our sister church, **St. George Romanian Orthodox Church,** is hosting their traditional **Reverse Raffle Dinner,** on Saturday, February 24, 2024 at 6.00pm. The ticket is \$ 65, and all food and drinks are included in the price. The Grand prize is **\$ 2,000.00.** For tickets and reservations please contact the parish office at 330-492-4592 or email stgeorgeroc@gmail.com.

The Pregnancy Support Network is currently prayerfully seeking qualified individuals to fill the following positions:

Executive Director- APS

Accountant- Central Operations

Office Manager- Central Operations

For more information on these positions, please email Angela at aharrison@psnneo.com

Tickets are now available for the **Annual Eastern European Month Celebration Dinner**, taking place on Saturday, April 20th, 2024, at our new venue – The Cretan Banquet Center. Tickets can be purchased for \$ 70.00 by sending a check to “Eastern European Congress of Ohio” and mail to 1500 Seneca Blvd., Suite B201, Broadview Heights, OH 44147. The last day to purchase tickets is April 8th, 2024.

Happy Birthday! *La mulți ani !*

Chandler Crown – February 21st

Maximus Murari – February 21st

Serena Emanuela Dumea – February 21st

Stephen Edward Fodor – February 23rd

Amy Crown – February 24th

Lisa Cammel – February 24th

David Gallagher – February 25th

Cyndi Ardelean – February 25th

Wisdom of the Saints by Matthew Kelly

“Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach and your actions speak.” ***St. Anthony of Padua***

Tickle Your Funny Bone

In Scotland there have been times when collection plates were rarely full. One of those dry periods, an old Presbyterian cleric looked down at the returned receptacle plate and prayed, "Well, Lord, we thank you for the safe return of the plate."

Advertising Opportunity – business card size:

Kate Sima: kate@brightwisecandles.com



See the bulletin board for more information about upcoming events!