

Saint Stephen Byzantine Gatholic Church

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Glory to Jesus Christ! Dicsőség Jézus Krisztusnak! Слава Ісусу Христу! Welcome to St. Stephen!

You are welcome here. Join us in prayer and worship of almighty God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

LITURGICAL SERVICE TIMES

Monday, September 15, 2025

& Post-festive Day of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Great Martyr Niceta (372). Our Venerable Father Symeon, Archbishop of Thessalonica. Galatians 2:11-16. 5,24-34

7:00pm Byzantine Book Club – online: meet.google.com/xuc-eiuo-sia

Tuesday, September 16, 2025

© Post-festive Day of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Great Martyr Euphemia (303). Galatians 2:21-3:7. Mk 6,1-7

7:30pm Parastas for Douglas Kropp at Voran Funeral Home

Wednesday, September 17, 2025

Post-festive Day of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Martyr Sophia (Wisdom) and her three Children, Faith, Hope, and Charity (c. 137). Galatians 3:15-22. Mk 6,7-13

10:00am Douglas Kropp Funeral Service at St. Stephen church 5:30pm Confession/ 6:00pm Divine Liturgy

Friday, September 19, 2025

Post-festive Day of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Martyrs Trophimus, Sabbatius, and Dorymedont (c. 227). Galatians 4:8-21. Mk 6,45-53

5:30pm Confession/ 6:00pm Vespers

Saturday, September 20, 2025

Saturday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. *& Post-festive Day of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Martyr Eustace.* 1 Corinthians 1:26-29. John 8:21-30.

10:00am Divine Liturgy for the 50th wedding anniversary Bob & Jane Semak 5:30pm Confessions/ 6:00pm Great Vespers for Sunday

Sunday, September 21, 2025

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. Tone 6 SUNDAY AFTER THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS. Leave-taking of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. The Holy Apostle Quadratus of Magnesia (c. 130). 4th Resurrectional Matins Gospel: Luke 24:1-12. for the Cross: Galatians 2:16-20. Mark 8:34-9:1.

2:00PM Hierarchical Divine Liturgy

Prayer Intentions: For the Sick

"Prayer is the gentle embrace of those who suffer, even from afar." (Pope Francis)

Please remember the following members of our parish in your prayers:

Chris Lauffer, Dan Lauffer, Victor Jlompkowski, Deacon Laurence Hendricks, Abigel Egressy,

Gregory Hendricks, Nancy Patterson, Remisoski Lance Michael

Events

Spaghetti Dinner at St. Basil Church-Saturday, September 20th

Dear Parishioners.

All parishioners are warmly invited to a Spaghetti Dinner at St. Basil Church, Sterling Heights, MI. 4pm - Divine Liturgy, then dinner served by clergy in parish hall. All are invited.

70th Anniversary of Saint Stephen Byzantine Catholic Church Sunday, September 21th

Dear Parishioners,

All parishioners are warmly invited to a Our celebration. We will begin with Hierarchial Divine Liturgy at 2pm, celebrated by His Grace, the **Most Reverend Robert M. Pipta**,

Bishop of the Eparchy of Parma. Followed by a Celebratory Banquet in our Crystal Ballroom.

Ukrainian/Slavic Dinner at St. Michael Church-Sunday, September 27th

All parishioners are warmly invited to a Ukrainian/Slavic Dinner at St. Michael Church, Flushing, MI. For details call Maria Zuk: 8106241001 or 8106951782

ATTENDANCE

Thank you for praying with us.

Attendance at Divine Liturgy on **September 7**th was 51. Devote *yourselves* "to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers" (Acts 2:42).

COLLECTION

Thank you for supporting your parish.

Collection for **September 7**th was \$ **1,415.04**"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Cor 9:7).