



## ***St. John Chrysostom Church***

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### **November 2013 SJCC News**

My Joy in the Lord,

November is the month we celebrate our Patronal Feast. St. John's day is on Wednesday, November 13.

On October 27, the Parish decided to move forward with the purchase of land at Belleview and Simms. We now wait first for Metropolitan Philip's approval, then for the county to allow us to build on the site. In the meantime, we are starting a capital campaign to raise more funds for the purchase and for construction.

Not everyone may agree; not everyone may be enthusiastic about this move, but I hope that each one of us will trust in God and remember that the Church is led by the Holy Spirit and that we do this with trust that God will not lead us astray.

With love, in Christ,  
Fr. Seraphim

**Reminder:** Time change on Nov 3!! Sleep in an extra hour.

**Adult Discussions:** 3:30 on the last Saturday of the month. These are a combination of Bible Study and open discussions about the Faith.

**Day of Service signups:** **PLEASE** continue to sign up for Coffee Hour and cleanup – this is an important aspect of what is meant by being one of the People of God- to help serve each other.

#### **PROSPHORA Baking Schedule**

##### **November**

- 3 Zach & Becca Higgins
- 10 Andrei Gisetti
- 17 Fanny Negreanu
- 24 Krista Bergren

##### **December**

- 1 Margo Waisanen
- 8 Jaimy Weddingfeld
- 15 Jonathan Spencer
- 22 Christina Veselaak
- 29 Dana & Nathan Berry

**REMINDER:** PLEASE make sure that you bring ONE (and only one) prospora with names for commemoration -this includes both living and departed, if some of the living or departed are not Orthodox, I want them anyway - to church at least the night before the date on which it is due. You can bring it up to three weeks before and we'll freeze it until the date, but don't try to bring it that morning. I usually start the Proskomedia early and need the prospora to be there. If it's not there by the night before, I will defrost a spare to use. Thank you for your consideration.

### Parishioner Celebrations

**NOTE: If you don't see your day listed OR see your day listed on the wrong day  
PLEASE let Fr. Seraphim know – as soon as possible**

#### November

11/04	Birthday	Melia Weddingfeld
11/06	Anniversary	Zach & Becca Higgins
11/08	Namesday	Cody Bergren
11/08	Namesday	Micky Negreanu
11/08	Namesday	Micco Waisanen
11/09	Birthday	Margaret Berry
11/09	Birthday	Joseph Berry
11/10	Birthday	Andrei Gisetti
11/11	Birthday	Zachary Higgins
11/11	Namesday	Fanny Negreanu
11/14	Birthday	Evan Weddingfeld
11/23	Namesday	Alexander Watson (Higgins)
11/25	Namesday	Jaimy Weddingfeld
11/29	Birthday	Krista Bergren
11/30	Namesday	Andrei Gisetti

#### December

12/02	Namesday	Margo Waisanen
12/03	Birthday	Margo Waisanen
12/06	Namesday	Haley Bergren
12/06	Namesday	Nickolas Higgins
12/09	Namesday	Hannah Fox
12/11	Birthday	Micco Waisanen
12/12	Birthday	Jaimy Weddingfeld
12/15	Namesday	Jonathan Spencer
12/16	Birthday	Samuel Wretling
12/21	Birthday	Jacque Gisetti
12/26	Birthday	Christina Veselak
12/27	Namesday	Stephen Wretling
12/30	Anniversary	Dana and Nathan Berry
12/31	Namesday	Melia Weddingfeld

## Schedule of Services and Events

### November

2	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
3	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
9	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
10	Sun		<u>NO MATINS</u>	
		9:00 am	Baptism of Micah Fox	
			Liturgy	
13	Wed	6:30 pm	Liturgy	<b>St. John Chrysostom – Patronal Feast</b>
			Potluck	
15				<i>Nativity Fast begins</i>
16	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
17	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
21	Thu	6:30 pm	Liturgy & Potluck	<b>Entrance into the Temple</b>
23	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
24	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
28	Thu	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>Thanksgiving</b>
30	Sat	3:30 pm	<u>Adult Discussion</u>	
		5:00 pm	Vespers	

### December

1	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	
7	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
8	Sun	8:00 am	<u>Matins</u>	
		9:00 am	Liturgy	
14	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
15	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>Sunday of the Forefathers</b>
21	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
22	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>Sunday of the Fathers</b>
24	Tue	9:00 am	Royal Hours & Vespersal Liturgy	<b>Nativity Eve</b>
		7:00 pm	Vigil	
25	Wed	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>Nativity of our Lord</b>
28	Sat	5:00 pm	Vespers	
29	Sun	9:00 am	Liturgy	<b>Saints James, David and Joseph</b>
			Prayer for the New Year	

## Looking ahead - 2014 General Schedule of Services

(see monthly newsletter for changes)

### 2014

#### January

6 Mon 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **Theophany** (note - blessing of Water will be on Sunday)

#### February

2 Sun 9:00 am Liturgy **Meeting of the Lord**

#### March

3 Mon

*Beginning of Great Lent*

25 Tue 6:30 pm Vespers Liturgy & Potluck **Annunciation to the Theotokos**

#### April

20 Sun Midnight Procession, Matins, Liturgy **PASCHA**

#### May

29 Thu 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **Ascension**

#### June

8 Sun 9:00 am Liturgy **Pentecost**

16 Mon *Apostles Fast begins*

29 Sun 9:00 am Liturgy **Ss. Peter & Paul**

#### August

1 Fri *Dormition Fast begins*

6 Wed 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **Transfiguration of our Lord**

15 Fri 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **Dormition of the Theotokos**

#### September

8 Mon 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **Nativity of the Theotokos**

14 Sun 9:00 am Liturgy **Elevation of the Theotokos**

#### November

13 Thu 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **St. John Chrysostom (Patronal Feast)**

15 Sat ***Nativity Fast begins***

21 Fri 6:30 pm Liturgy & Potluck **Entrance into the Temple of the Theotokos**

27 Thu 9:00 am Liturgy **Thanksgiving Day**

#### December

24 Wed 9:00 am Royal Hours ***Nativity Eve***

Vespers Liturgy

Vigil

25 Thu 9:00 am Liturgy **Nativity of our Lord**