

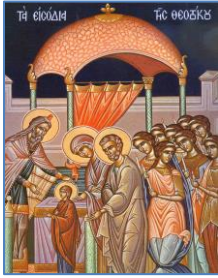
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“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit...”
Matthew 28:19

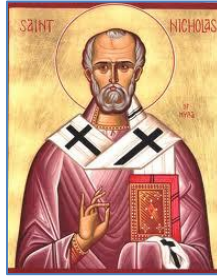
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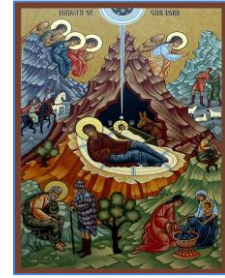
Welcome to Holy Theophany Orthodox Chapel. We invite you to join us in prayer and worship, so that we can share the mission of proclaiming the saving message of Jesus Christ.



Entry of the Theotokos into the Temple



St. Nicholas the Wonderworker, Archbishop
of Myra in Lycia



The Nativity of our Lord God and Savior
Jesus Christ



Location of Services: Holy Theophany Chapel, N2107 State Road 67, Walworth, WI 53184



Schedule of Services for November / December 2017 / January 2018

- **22nd Sunday after Pentecost, (7th of Luke), November 5, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, Martyr Galacteon and his wife Epistemis, Tone 5 ◦ [Epistle: Gal. 6:11-18, Gospel: Luke 8:41-56]
- **23rd Sunday after Pentecost, (8th of Luke), November 12, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, St. John the Merciful, Patriarch of Alexandria, Ven. Nilus the Faster of Sinai, Tone 6 ◦ [Epistle: Eph. 2:4-10, Gospel: Luke 10:25-37]
- **November 15 - December 24, 2017 - Nativity (St. Philip's) Fast**
- **November 16, 2017 (Thursday) - 6 PM Akathist Service of Thanksgiving**
- **24th Sunday after Pentecost, (9th of Luke), November 19, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, Prophet Obadiah, Martyr Barlaam, Tone 7 ◦ [Epistle: Eph. 2:14-22, Gospel: Luke 12:16-21]
- **November 21, 2016 - The Entry of the Most-Holy Theotokos into the Temple**
- **25th Sunday after Pentecost, (10th of Luke), November 26, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, Ven. Alypius the Stylite, Tone 8 ◦ [Epistle: Eph. 4:1-6, Gospel: Luke 13:10-17]
- **26th Sunday after Pentecost, (11th of Luke), December 3, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, Prophet Zephaniah, Tone 1 ◦ [Epistle: Eph. 5:9-19, Gospel: Luke 18:18-27 (from the 28th Sunday)]
- **27th Sunday after Pentecost, (12th of Luke), December 10, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes, and Eugephus of Alexandria, Tone 2 ◦ [Epistle: Eph. 6:10-17, Gospel: Luke 17:12-19]
- **28th Sunday after Pentecost, (13th of Luke), December 17, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, Sunday of the Forefathers, Holy Prophet Daniel and the Three Youths, Tone 3 ◦ [Epistle: Col. 3:4-11 (Forefathers), Gospel: Luke 14:16-24 (Forefathers)]
- **29th Sunday after Pentecost, (14th of Luke), December 24, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, **Sunday Before the Nativity of Christ, Eve of the Nativity of Christ**, Nun Martyr Eugenia of Rome, Tone 4 ◦ [Epistle: Heb. 11:9-10, 17-23, 32-40 (Sunday Before), Gospel: Matt. 1:1-25 (Sunday Before)]
- **December 25, 2017 - The Nativity of our Lord God and Savior Jesus Christ**
- **30th Sunday after Pentecost, December 31, 2017 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, **Sunday After the Nativity of Christ, Holy Righteous Ones: Joseph the Betrothed, David the King and James the Brother of the Lord, Leavetaking of the Nativity**, Ven. Melania the Younger of Rome, Tone 5 ◦ [Epistle: Gal. 1:11-19 (Sunday After), Gospel: Matt. 2:13-23 (Sunday After)]
- **Saturday, January 6, 2018 - The Holy Theophany of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, (Chapel's Nameday) 10:00AM** - Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, followed by **The Great Blessing of Water**, Ven. Macarius of Mt. Athos, [Epistle: Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7, Gospel: Matt. 3:13-17]
- **31st Sunday after Pentecost, January 7, 2018 10:00AM Sunday Service** – Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, **Afterfeast of the Theophany, Synaxis of the Holy Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John, Sunday after Theophany**, Tone 6 ◦ [Epistle: Eph. 4:7-13 (Sunday After), Gospel: Matt. 4:12-17 (Sunday After)]
- **Saturday, January 13, 2018 (Nameday Celebration) 10:00 AM** - Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom, **Afterfeast of the Theophany, Saturday after Theophany**, Martyrs Hermylus and Stratonicus of Belgrade, Ven. Irenarchus, Recluse of Rostov, [Epistle: Eph. 6:10-17 (Saturday After), Gospel: Matt. 4:1-11 (Saturday After)]
- **Sunday, January 14, 2018 - NO SERVICE**

“And she brought forth her firstborn Son, and wrapped Him in swaddling cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. Now there were in the same country shepherds living out in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. And behold, an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were greatly afraid. Then the angel said to them, ‘Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.’” Luke 2:7-11

Commentary: “For a union of two natures was made, and therefore we confess One Christ, One Son, One Lord. And it is with reference to this notion of a union without confusion that we proclaim the holy Virgin to be the mother of God, because God the Word was made flesh and became man, and by the act of conception united to Himself the temple that He received from her. For we perceive that two natures, by an inseparable union, met together in Him without confusion and indivisibly. For the flesh is flesh, and not deity, even though it became the flesh of God; and in like manner also the Word is God, and not flesh, though for the dispensation’s sake He made the flesh His own...” St. Cyril of Alexandria

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