

DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

25 JANUARY 2026 ♦ TONE 038 EOTHINON 03 † SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND THE PHARISEE

GREAT DOXOLOGY:

Liturgy Book p. 17

ANTIPHON:

FIRST:

Liturgy Book p. 29

SECOND:

Liturgy Book p. 32

THIRD: *Beatitudes*

Liturgy Book p. 125

ENTRANCE HYMN:

Liturgy Book p. 38

APOLYTIKIA:

Resurrection (Tone 1)

Liturgy Book p. 40

Gregory the Theologian (tone 1) The sweet melody of your theological teaching has overcome the noisy blast of orators, for God has granted you the power of penetration spiritual depths and the gift of brilliant literary talent. Gregory of father, intercede with Christ God that he may save our souls.

St. Joseph

Liturgy Book p. 47

KONTAKION: Publican and pharisee (tone 4)

Liturgy Book p. 158

Let us shun the boastful words of the Pharisee and learn from the Publican humility with sighing: let us cry out to our Savior. "Have mercy on us. You who alone are merciful.

TRISAGION:

Liturgy Book p. 50

PROKIMENON:

Tone 3

Liturgy Book p. 55

EPISTLE:

Hebrews 7:26-28; 8:1-2

Brethren, it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, innocent, undefiled (Cf. Lv. 16:6), set apart from sinners, and become High Priest to the heavens. He does not need to offer sacrifices daily (as the other priests did), first for his own sins, and then for the sins of the people; for this latter he did once for all in offering up himself. For the Law appoints as priests' men who are weak; but the word of the oath, which came after the Law, appoints a Son who is forever perfect. Now the main point in what we are saying is this: we have such a high priest who has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of majesty in the heavens, a minister of the Holies and of the true tabernacle, which the Lord has set up and not man.

ALLELUIA: Ps. 19:1; 27:9

Tone

The mouth of the just yields wisdom, but the perverse tongue will be cut off.

The law of his God is in his heart, and his steps shall not falter.

GOSPEL:

St. Luke 18:10-14

The Lord told this parable: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, the one a Pharisee and the other a publican. The Pharisee stood and began to pray thus within himself: 'O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of men, robbers, dishonest, adulterers, or even like this publican. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes of all I possess.' But the publican, standing far off, would not so much as lift up his eyes to heaven, but kept striking his breast, saying, 'O God, be merciful to me a sinner!' I tell you; this man went back to his home justified rather than the other; for anyone who exalts himself shall be humbled, and anyone who humbles himself shall be exalted

HIRMOS:

Liturgy Book p. 77/164

KINONIKON:

Liturgy Book p. 83

POST-COMMUNION HYMN:

Liturgy Book p. 89

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Events in February

SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON

Saturday, January 31st

Confessions: 3:15 p.m.

Divine Liturgy: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 1

Confessions: 9:45 a.m.

Divine Liturgy: 10:00 a.m.

Monday February 2

ENCOUNTER OF THE LORD

ONE OF THE 12 GREAT FEASTS

Divine liturgy 5:30 p.m.

Blessing of candles

MEAT-FARE SUNDAY

Saturday, February 7h

Confessions: 3:15 p.m.

Divine Liturgy: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 8th

Divine Liturgy: 10:00 a.m.

Monday, February 20th

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

O St. Joseph, chaste spouse of the Lady Theotokos, head of the Holy Family, we again place ourselves under your patronage. † Through your powerful intercession, bestow up on us every good thing both spiritual and temporal. † Protect this your parish from all spiritual harm and renew in us the spirit of repentance and a fervent desire for the kingdom of heaven. † Make this vineyard flourish with new souls and by an increase of faith, hope and love; may forgiveness, peace and joy reign within our holy fellowship. † In all we do, may the Name of God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit be glorified, now and ever and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

2026 WEEKLY COLLECTION

January 15

Weekly Offering: \$ 457.00

Candles: \$ 1.00

Total: \$ 458.00

Thank you for your support!

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

Please find envelopes at the back of the church.

