

SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

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Church New Year...Celebrated on September 15th - The first day of the Church New Year is also called the beginning of the Indiction. The term Indiction comes from a Latin word meaning, "to impose." It was originally applied to the imposition of taxes in Egypt. The first worldwide Indiction was in 312 when Emperor Constantine (May 21) saw a miraculous vision of the Cross in the sky. Before the introduction of the Julian calendar, Rome began the New Year on September 1.

Tradition says that the Hebrews entered the Promised Land in September. Also, according to Holy Tradition, Christ entered the synagogue on September 1 to announce His mission to mankind (Luke 4:16-22). This scene is depicted in a Vatican manuscript (Vatican, Biblioteca. Cod. Gr. 1613, p.1). (pic attached)

The **liturgical year**, also known as the **church year** or **Christian year**, consists of the cycle of liturgical seasons in Christian churches that determines when feast days, including celebrations of saints, are to be observed, and which portions of Scripture are to be read either in an annual cycle or in a cycle of several years.

Distinct liturgical colors may appear in connection with different seasons of the liturgical year. The dates of the festivals vary somewhat between the different churches, though the sequence and logic is largely the same.

The Scripture Readings: Epistle - 1 Corinthians 16:13-24 Gospel - Matthew 21:33-42

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VISITS: Dobrila Pavlovic - Sewickley Hospital/Milanka Pavlovic - At home/Dan Zeljak - At home

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FUNERAL: Give rest to thy departed servant **DOBRILA PAVLOVIC** and make her memory to be eternal. Our deepest sympathy to her family, kumovi, and friends. **VJECNAJA PAMJAT!**

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WEDDING: - 2nd Wedding Announcement - Melissa Ridjaneck and Nicholas Smith September 28th, 2019

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SERVICES: Saturday, September 21st - The Nativity of our Most Holy Lady the Theotokos and Ever-Virgin Mary - Divine Liturgy at 9:30 am. Please attend! THEN SEE BELOW!



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St. Elijah Serbian Orthodox Church Choir
Proudly presents its 89th Annual Concert
Saturday, September 21, 2019
Featuring the Petar Krstich Choir of Steubenville, OH
&
Dr. Laza Kostich SSS of Midland, PA
Entertainment for the evening will be provided to you by
DRUSTVO.
Doors open at 4:30 pm Dinner at 5:00 pm Concert 6:30 pm
Concert/Dinner/Dance \$25
Concert/Dance \$10
Dance \$5
RESERVATIONS: Please call Dushie Mistovich
By TODAY September 15th
724-920-2116 Leave a message if she does not pick up!
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FOOD FESTIVAL UP DATES:

We did 2 sessions of making noodles for the FOOD FESTIVAL another session is scheduled for this THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19th. Thank you to all who have helped so far!

SARMA ROLLING: We will meet Tuesday, September 17th at 4:30 pm to roll our sarma.

BASKETS: Please remember we need BASKET DONATIONS WITH A THEME. Please make a basket and donate it to the Food Festival by Friday October 4th!

BAKED GOODS: Find your favorite SERBIAN family recipes and donate this to the Food Festival.