

GENERAL SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Feast-Day Liturgy at 9:00am

Sunday Liturgy at 10:00am

Vespers Service on Saturdays: 5:00pm

Vespers Service on the eve of a Feast-Day: 5:00pm



Schedule of Services

Monday, July 7-Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Divine Liturgy at 9:00 am

Friday, July 11

Vespers at 5:00 pm

Saturday, July 12-Sts. Peter and Paul

***Divine Liturgy at 8:00 am

Sunday, July 13

Divine Liturgy at 10:00 am

WISDOM OF THE HOLY FATHERS

St. John Chrysostom:

“The centurion did not ask Christ to come into his house, because he believed that His word alone was enough. Such faith surpassed even those who had seen miracles but still doubted.”

(Homily 26 on the Gospel of Matthew)

St. Basil the Great:

“True humility does not diminish a man—it exalts him before God. The centurion called himself unworthy, and it was precisely this that made his faith shine like light.”

(On Humility)

ST. GEORGE THE GREAT MARTYR SERBIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

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June 6, 2025

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Epistle Reading: Rom. 6:18-23

Gospel Reading: Matt. 8:5-13

Liturgical Message

On the Fourth Sunday after Pentecost, the Church gives us the Gospel of the Roman centurion—a man of authority, yet humble before Christ. When his servant becomes ill, he seeks out the Lord, not demanding, but believing. He says, *“Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof, but only speak a word, and my servant will be healed.”* This simple but powerful expression of faith amazes even Jesus, who says, *“I have not found such great faith, not even in Israel!”*

This Gospel teaches us that **true faith is rooted in humility.** The centurion does not rely on his status or worthiness. He recognizes Christ's authority as divine and trusts in His word alone. So must we. Faith is not merely believing that God exists—it is trusting that His will is perfect and His word is enough. We are called to approach Christ like the centurion: with confidence in His power, and with a humble heart.

Let us examine ourselves: Do we believe that Christ can act in our lives even from a distance? Do we trust His timing and His will? Let us pray with the same heart: “Lord, I am not worthy, but only say the word...” and open ourselves to the healing power of His mercy, for the Lord seeks such faith—faith that is humble, obedient, and full of love.

Invitations to the Slava Celebrations

Saints Peter and Paul Serbian Orthodox Church in South Bend

Sunday, July 13, 2025

Divine Liturgy at 10:00 am (EST)

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Saints Peter and Paul Macedonian Orthodox Church in Crown Point

Friday, July 11 - Sunday, July 13

INVITATION for PETROVDEN 2025

In honor of our Patron Saints Peter & Paul "Petrovdjen" we are inviting you cordially to join us in our celebration with the following agenda:



Friday, July 11th
PM - Festal Hierarchical Vespers Service with Petelebie (blessing of five loaves of bread)

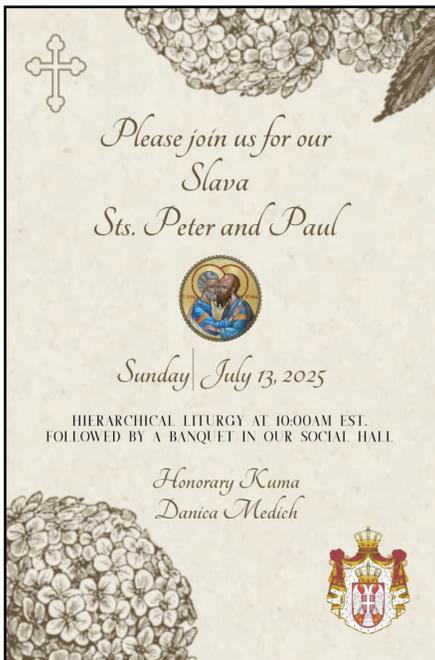
Saturday, July 12th - Sts. Peter and Paul day (PETROVDEN)
10 AM - Divine Hierarchical Liturgy, Breaking of the Holy Bread and selection of the Godfather for the following year. Festal Luncheon to follow services.

11 AM - 11 PM Picnic (Soccer tournament, music, playground & kids corner, BBQ, lamb, pork, pleskavici, kebapi, pastries, sweets, cold drinks and much more) (Food until 9 PM) "KITKA" Folk dance group - 7 PM

Sunday, July 13th
AM - Central celebration of our Patron Saints Day, Divine Hierarchical Liturgy Luncheon
11 AM - 11 PM Picnic (Soccer tournament, music, playground & kids corner, BBQ, lamb, pork, pleskavici, kebapi, pastries, sweets, cold drinks and much more) (Food until 9 PM)

Have a blessed Feast and may we all celebrate for many years!

STS. PETER AND PAUL MACEDONIAN ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL
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Farewell Fellowship for Seminarian Milan Petrovic



With heartfelt gratitude, we invite you to join us for a special **farewell fellowship** honoring **Seminarian Milan Petrovic**, who is returning to Serbia after finishing his theological studies at **St. Sava School of Theology**.

Date: Sunday, July 13, 2025

Time: Immediately after the Divine Liturgy

Location: Old Hall Pavilion

Over the past three years, Milan has been an integral part of our parish community—faithfully serving at the altar, supporting church services and educational events, and accompanying the priest during pastoral visits. His quiet presence, kind spirit, and servant's heart have truly blessed our community.

Please join us as we express our gratitude for his service, share our love and appreciation, and offer prayers for his ongoing journey and theological

DRAZINDAN

Sunday, July 20, 2025

Divine Liturgy and Parastos at 10:00 am

Banquet and Program at 1:00 pm



St. Mardarije of Libertyville Celebration

Saturday, July 19, 2025

Procession 6:00am

Divine Liturgy at 9:30 am

Banquet and Fellowship after the Liturgy

CHURCH SUMMER CAMP FOR CHILDREN

July 28-29, 2025

For more information and to register, please get in touch with the church office at 219-322-3355

