

**ST. LUKE  
SERBIAN ORTHODOX  
CHURCH**

**ANNUAL MEETING**

**December 22, 2024**

**V. Rev. Protopresbyter Vasilije Vranic, Ph.D.**

# METRICS

- Baptisms – 27
- Marriages – 2
- Conversions – 1
- Deaths – 4

# LITURGICAL LIFE

- Divine Liturgies (10 December 2023 – 22 December 2024)  
– 152
- Vespers
- Royal Hours
- Personal services: Baptisms, Weddings, Memorial services, Personal prayers and blessings, etc.

## **CHURCH EVENTS**

Since last Annual Assembly we had 42 notable events in parish (recorded on Flickr Photo page of our Church)

# HIGHLIGHTS

## Church Beautification & Improvements

### New Chairs



Thank you to  
Marija Mladenovic

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### New Candle Lighting Area

Thank you to Paul and Mark Rasevic



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### New Children's Playground



Thank you to

Dusan Ivkovic

Aleksandar Simic

Aleksandar Krsmanovic

Mateja Mladenovic

Milenko Bogajcevic

Marko Jovanovic

Aleksandar Ninic

Marjan Mladenovic

Milan Antic

Sasa Stamenkovic

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## Church Beautification & Improvements

### Altar Window & Niches





# NEW RELIQUARY FOR THE RELICS OF SAINTS DEMETRIUS, GEORGE, AND THEODORE THE TYRO



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### Frescoes - Preparation for Phase 2



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### Stained Glass Window



Thank you to  
Reader Igor  
Miletic

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## Frescoes - Phase 2



**PLANS FOR THE FUTURE**

**GREAT CONSECRATION**  
**BY**  
**HIS HOLINESS SERBIAN PATRIARCH**  
**KYR PORFIRIJE**

**NOVEMBER 1st, 2025**



# COMMUNICATION

- Website: [www.serbianchurch.org](http://www.serbianchurch.org)
- **Email distribution list via Mailchimp**
- **Facebook** page
- Photographs from parish events stored on **Flickr**
- **Twitter**

# PARISH LUNCHEONS

- LUNCHEONS PROMOTE UNITY AND FELLOWSHIP
- THANK YOU TO IVANA CIRIC, MARIJA ZIVKOVIC, AND MILOS LAZIC FOR SPEARHEADING THIS IMPORTANT PARISH MINISTRY
- THANK YOU TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS WHO SPONSOR LUNCHEONS

# **THANK YOU TO PARISH MINISTRIES**

- CIRCLE OF SERBIAN SISTERS
- CHOIR: SSS "LIRA"
- CHILDREN'S CHOIR
- SUNDAY SCHOOL/RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
- SERBIAN SCHOOL "NIKOLA TESLA" & JOURNALISM SECTION
- FOLKLORE GROUP "PRELO"
- BOOKSTORE
- CANDLE WORKSHOP
- D.C. ZURKA
- SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEONS



# PARISH SUPPORT

- PARISHIONERS USE TALENTS TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH BY ORGANIZING WORKSHOPS AND FUNDRAISERS:
- Reader Igor Miletic – Prospora Baking
- Subdeacon Dejan Bujak – Candle Workshops
- Milena Mijuskovic – Brojanica Workshops
- Snezana Nena Djokic – D.C. Zurka
- Rada Bozic – Baking Workshops
- Protinica Jelena Vranic – Choral Singing at Liturgies Rehearsals and General Music Scores Revamp and original arrangements
- Choir Singers
- Cantors – Ronald Butts-Boehmer
- Teachers for all educational programs
- Altar Servers

# THANK YOU TO ALL OF YOU!

- DEDICATION:
  - Tireless Help and Assistance
  - Generous Donations

God bless you all for your many acts of kindness and generosity!