### 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)

#### Church Beautification & Improvements

**New Chairs** 



Thank you to Marija Mladenovic

Church Beautification & Improvements
New Candle Lighting Area

Thank you to Paul and Mark Rasevic





#### Church Beautification & Improvements

#### 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



Church Beautification & Improvements

Altar Window & Niches





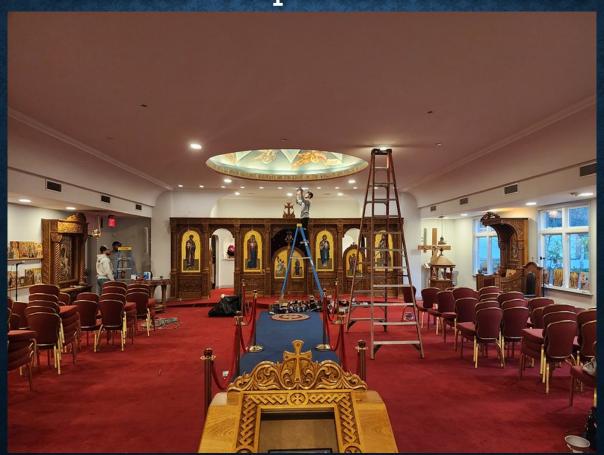
## NEW RELIQUARY FOR THE RELICS OF SAINTS DEMETRIUS, GEORGE, AND THEODORE THE TYRO





Church Beautification & Improvements

Frescoes - Preparation for Phase 2



#### Church Beautification & Improvements

Stained Glass Window



Thank you to Reader Igor Miletic

Frescoes - Phase 2



#### PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

# GREAT CONSECRATION BY HIS HOLINESS SERBIAN PATRIARCH KYR PORFIRIJE

**NOVEMBER 1st, 2025** 



#### COMMUNICATION

- Website: <u>www.serbianchurch.org</u>
- 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 ORGANIIZING WORKSHOPS AND FUNDRAISERS:
- Reader Igor Miletic Prosphora 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!