August 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Beginning of the Dormition Fast (Aug 1-14)	2	3	4	5 Transfiguration Vigil -7PM (HR): Vespers with Divine Liturgy (blessing of fruit)	6 Transfiguration - 9AM (CL): Divine Liturgy (blessing of fruit)
7 12th Sun. After Pent8:15AM (HR): Divine Liturgy -11AM (CL): Divine Liturgy SUNDAY BRUNCH	8	9	10 -6PM (CL): Confessions -7PM (CL): Paraklesis	11	12 -6PM (HR): Confessions -7PM (HR): Paraklesis	13 -5PM (SC): Divine Liturgy
14 13th Sun. After Pent 8:15AM (HR) - Divine Liturgy -11AM (CL) - Divine Liturgy	15 Dormition of the Theotokos -9AM (HR): Divine Liturgy -7PM (CL): Divine Liturgy (blessing of flowers/herbs)	16	17	18	19	20
21 14th Sun. After Pent. -9AM (HR) - Divine Liturgy PARISH PICNIC AT DELGROSSO'S	22	23	24	25	26	27 - 5PM (SC) Divine Liturgy
28 15th Sun. After Pent 8:15AM (HR) - Divine Liturgy -11AM (CL) - Divine Liturgy	29 Beheading of John the Baptist -7PM (HR): Divine Liturgy	30	31	SC - Saint Basil the Great Mission, State College CL - Dormition of the Mother of God, Clarence HR - Saint John the Baptist, Hawk Run PSU - Penn State Campus Ministry		

About the Month of August:

- The Dormition Fast: The traditional fast is strict abstinence (from meat, dairy, oil, and alcohol) on Weekdays. The fast is lessened on Weekends and the Feast of Transfiguration (allowing for wine and alcohol).
- Beheading of John the Baptist (Aug 29th) is observed as a day of strict abstinence (from meat, dairy, oil and alcohol). Also, it is the custom not to eat anything from a plate or in the shape of a head: cabbage, lettuce, apples, etc.!
- **Sunday August 21st**: (Schedule Change) Parish Picnic with Holy Trinity Byzantine Catholic Church in Sykesville, Delgrosso's Amusement Park. Liturgy will be cancelled in Clarence that day. Divine Liturgy will be at 9:00AM in Hawk Run.