

69th Holy Dormition (Assumption) Pilgrimage

August 12-13, 2023

Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate - Sloatsburg, New York

Theme: Mary, Mother of God, watch over us and our beloved Nations with your noble protection.” - “Tropar from Pokrov”

Saturday, August 12th

12:00 pm - Food Available

1:00 pm - **Akathist to the Mother of God -**

- Rev. Fr. James Badeaux - St. Mary's Byzantine, Hillsborough, NJ

- Blessing of Holy Water

2:30 pm - **Presentation -** Sr. Theresa Matwe, SSMI - Christ The King Province

Servant of God - Father Jeremiah Lomnytskyj, OSBM -

Co-Founder of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate

3:30 pm - **Blessing of the Sick -** *bottom of Grotto under tent*

- **Blessing of Religious Articles -** *front of St. Joseph's Home*

5:00 pm - **Divine Liturgy -** Rev. Fr. James Badeaux - St. Mary's Byzantine, Hillsborough, NJ

- main celebrant / homilist

- **Cantor:** Glenn Sedar - St. Mary's Byzantine, Hillsborough, NJ

7:30 pm - **Panakhida -** by St. Joseph's Home

8:00 pm - **Moleben to the Mother of God with candlelight procession -** *Grotto*

- Most Reverend Kurt Burnette - Bishop of Byzantine. Passaic Eparchy

-main celebrant / homilist

Sunday, August 13th

****Confessions will be available throughout the day beginning at 8:00 am****

8:30 - 9:30 am - **Materi Molitvy / Mothers in Prayer -** Rosary / Singing

10:30 am - **Pontifical Divine Liturgy with procession to the Grotto**

- blessing of flowers

- Most Rev. Borys Gudziak, Metropolitan Archbishop of Philadelphia

- Most Rev. Paul Chomnycky, OSBM, Eparch of Stamford

- Most Rev. Bohdan Danylo, Eparch of Parma - Homilist

- **Choir:** *Yevshan Ukrainian Vocal Ensemble - Connecticut / Massachusetts*

01:30 pm - **Blessing of the Sick -** *Grotto steps*

- **Blessing of Religious Articles -** *front of St. Joseph's Home*

02:00 pm - **Presentation -** Sr. Theresa Matwe, SSMI - Christ The King Province

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02:30 pm - **Stations of the Cross -** Basilian Fathers

03:30 pm - **Moleben to the Mother of God -** *Grotto altar*

- Rev. Stepan Bilyk - St. John-Whippany, NJ

- **Blessing of cars and buses**

Rev. Taras Chaparin - Pilgrimage Spiritual Moderator