



## CHRIST THE SAVIOUR ORTHODOX CHURCH

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### SUNDAY JULY 19, 2009

**6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5. Commemoration of the Holy Fathers of the First Six Ecumenical Councils.** Ven. Macrina, sister of St. Basil the Great. Ven. Dius, Abbot, of Antioch. **Uncovering of the Relics of Ven. Seraphim of Sarov.** Rt. Blv. Román, Prince of Riazan'. Ven. Paisii of the Kiev Caves. Bl. Stephen, King of Serbia, and his mother, St. Militsa.

**Epistle:** Romans 12:6-14  
Hebrews 13:7-16

**Gospel:** Matthew 9:1-8  
John 17:1-13

#### UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

**July 19, Sun:** Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Blessing of Vehicles, etc. – 11pm; Fellowship – 11:15pm; Quarterly Book Club Meeting – 3pm (*at Eleanor Hermans in Tower City, Car-pool leaving church parking lot at 2pm*)  
*Hours Readers:* **Larry Smith** (3<sup>rd</sup>) **Dimitri Ressetar** (6<sup>th</sup>) • Altar Servers – **All**

**welcome**

**July 21, Tue:** Parish Council Meeting – 7pm; Choir Rehearsal – 7:30pm;

**July 22, Wed:** Daily Vespers – 6pm;

**July 23 Thu:** Men's Club Harrisburg Senators Outing – 7pm (sign-up in the vestibule)

**July 25, Sat:** Orthodoxy 101; Vespers & Confession – 6pm

**July 26, Sun:** Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Blessing of Vehicles, etc. – 11pm; Fellowship – 11:00pm; O Club Bowling Fellowship – **1pm** (ABC Lanes East)

*Hours Readers:* **John Osuch** (3<sup>rd</sup>) **Paul Miller** (6<sup>th</sup>) • Altar Servers – **All welcome**

**July 27, Mon:** Akathist to St. Panteleimon – 6:30pm; Men's Club Mtg. – 7:30pm

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**Welcome to our visitors!!!** Please join us for fellowship in the Church Hall and be sure to sign our guest registry in the vestibule before you exit the church. **Please note:** Only those guests who are Orthodox Christians and have properly prepared themselves through fasting, prayer, and recent confession may approach to receive the Eucharist.

**Prayer List:** Please remember the following persons during your daily morning and evening prayers. **Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless otherwise requested.** Submit names to the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

**Those Ailing:** **Gloria Smith** (Larry's Aunt); **Cecilia Hunt** (Larry Smith's cousin); **Van Milbrand** (Larry Smith's co-worker); **Robert Miller** (Lydia Mantles co-worker); **Carl G. Miller** (Paul's father); **George Kaznowsky**; **Julie Fure** (friend of Jean Dotsey); **Eric Arnoldus** (friend of Dan & Donna Bretz); **Helen Oleynik**; **Norma Moore** (friend of Millicent Russel); **Xenia Hretz** (Father Dan's great niece); **Elizabeth Middlesworth**; **Valerie Gyrisco** (friend of John R. Barns); **Thomas Branoff** (Joanne Wevodau's brother); **Daniel Gavigan** (Krempasky Family friend); **Fr. Anthony Demetri**; **Nicholas Essis**; **Fred Martin** (Dave's brother); **Pauline Lapinsky** (J. Kuzupas' sister); **Christine Demchak** (Suzanne's sister); **Susan Strenski** (J. Kuzupas' sister); **John Fatich** (J. Kuzupas' brother); **M. Olga Kovach**

**Health and well-being of:** **Edward Dix** (friend of John R. Barns); **Mark Snavelly** husband of John R. Barns niece); **Freweini Ghebremichael & child born to her**; **Joseph Mazurek Jr.** (Moe's son); **Anna Kuchta**; **Ted Demchak** (Sue's brother); **Larisa Fetterly** (Krempasky's daughter); **Carl Polansky**; **Diane Broskey** (Libby Hancher's niece); **Alexei Schmidt** ('adopted' Seminarian); **Christina Semon** (OCMC Missionary in Romania); **[Traveling] Nicholas Schilling** (*Summer study-abroad in Russia*); **Michael Somple** (*Studying in Greece*); **Piper Treece** (*China*); **Leavitt & Bette Keener**; **Kathy Kuchwara [Expectant Mother's]**; **M. Sophie Majmudar... and the children to be born of them**; **[THOSE SERVING IN IRAQ]: David Riesberg** (Anna Doray's Grandson)

**Newly Departed from This Life:** child **Joseph Lentz** (son of Debbie Brickers friend) – July 8; **Sophia Green** – June 29; **Elizabeth Motz**- June 22;

**Anniversaries of Those Departed from This Life:** **Charles Komernicky**, July 19 -19<sup>th</sup>; **Mary Altieri**, sister of Dottie Fedetz, July 20 -17<sup>th</sup>; **Mariya G. Arakelova Lavrova**, July 21 -9<sup>th</sup>; **Robert Angelo**, brother-in-law of Elizabeth Hancher, July 22 -6<sup>th</sup>; **Nicholas Anderson**, July 22 -3<sup>rd</sup>; **Harold Telep**, cousin of Ann Cole, July 23 -4<sup>th</sup>; **Anna M. Herzog**, July 25 -30<sup>th</sup>;

**Candle Offerings:** *For information on how to purchase commemoration candles, please go to the candle desk or speak with one of the vestrymen.*

**Seven Day Candle** is offered in memory of **Amber Busin** by the DiFlorio Family

**Many Years:** Names will be accepted for each week. Please submit to [ctsocahbg@aol.com](mailto:ctsocahbg@aol.com) by the preceding Wednesday for inclusion in the Sunday bulletin.

**Birthdays:** Dorothy Sysak - **July 22**

**Anniversaries:** David & Lorrie Pawlush – **July 17 (27<sup>th</sup>)**

**Newly Crowned:** Amanuel & Marcia Ghebremichael - **July 18**

LAST WEEK'S LITURGY ATTENDANCE: 122



## TODAY'S NEWS

**Welcome:** Mother Barbara visiting from Holy Transfiguration Monastery in Ellwood City, PA

**Brown Paper Bags:** Our church school instructors are asking that you save and bring your brown paper shopping bags to the church over the next several weeks. Look for a collection site in the vestibule. The teachers will be using them for a project connected with a summer church school program which we will be offering the second week of August (13-15)... more info on the opposite page.

**St. Elijah Car Blessings:** TODAY **Sunday July 19<sup>th</sup>**, at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy (*weather permitting*) we will process outside for a brief prayer and the blessing of all of our vehicles in commemoration St. Elijah (commemorated July 20<sup>th</sup>) and his fiery chariot – see 2 Kings 2:11.

**Slavic American Festival:** TODAY **Sunday, July 19 from noon to 9pm**. St. Anne's Byzantine Catholic Church (5408 Locust Lane) will be holding their annual festival. See flyer in vestibule for details.

**Central PA District FOCA Picnic:** This event will be held TODAY, **Sunday July 19<sup>th</sup> from noon - ???** at Knoebels ([www.knoebel.com](http://www.knoebel.com)) Picnic Pavilion K. There is a \$5 cost per person; juniors will receive \$5 worth of ride tickets.

**SALES DESK:** Orders from the AVON fundraiser will be delivered today **Sunday, July 19**. Thank you to all who participated in this event to help make it a success - *Evelyn Krempasky*.

**Men's Club Outing:** Harrisburg Senators vs. Bowie, **Thursday July 23<sup>rd</sup> 7pm**. Cost is \$6.00, please see Willard Brown or Nick Ressetar. A sign up sheet is in the vestibule.

**O-Club Event:** The O Club will host a bowling outing **Sunday July 26 1pm** at ABC Lanes East, Eisenhower Blvd. Come out & enjoy an afternoon of fun & fellowship.

**Pan-Orthodox Bookstore/Coffee House:** On **Thursday, July 30th at 7pm** we will have our second meeting of the organizational committee for the Orthodox Bookstore. The meeting will be at Christ the Saviour Orthodox Church (5501 Old Locust Lane, Harrisburg, PA). Anyone interested is encouraged to come. Please contact Fr. Stephen Vernak ([svernak@hotmail.com](mailto:svernak@hotmail.com)) at 717-652-1825 with inquiries.

**Nuns from St. Elizabeth Convent in Minsk:** On **Tuesday, August 4th at 7pm**, two nuns from Belarus will be visiting our parish to make a presentation on their dynamic ministry and provide members an opportunity to purchase some items from their workshop. See ([www.obitel-minsk.by](http://www.obitel-minsk.by)) for more information on their convent.

**Yard Sale:** The "O" Club is holding their annual yard sale on **Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 7am – noon**. All donations need to be brought in **NO LATER** than **Tuesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>**. Please, no clothing or shoes expect for children's and please no junk as we will have to pay to haul it away. (**Note:** Yard sale setup is **Wed. Aug 5, 3pm – 7pm & Fri. Aug 7 4pm – 8pm**). Thanks in advance for your generosity & time.

## OTHER NEWS

**Vacation Church School:** *Journey to the Kingdom (The Divine Liturgy)* will be held this coming month. All parents with children ages 4 to 12 are encouraged to sign their children up for this fun & educational program. Please see Angie DiFlorio, Jancie Zuro, or Andrea Zart with any questions.

- Thursday, August 13<sup>th</sup> 6pm – 8pm
- Friday, August 14<sup>th</sup> 6pm – 8pm
- Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup> 9am - ?

**Icon Painting Workshop:** Our parish will host an icon painting workshop led by master iconographer **Xenia Pokrovsky** from Sunday, August 16 (6pm Vespers and 7pm public lecture) through Saturday August 22. Please see [www.hexaameron.org](http://www.hexaameron.org) or the flyer in the vestibule for more information.

**The Orthodox Christian Academy** will begin classes for Kindergarten and 1st Grade students this September 09 and will be held in the school room facilities of Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, 1000 Yverdon Drive in Camp Hill. Please call **Father Daniel Ressetar (717) 545-5054** for more information.

**Mom's Book Club:** "Close to Home: One Orthodox mothers quest for patience, peace, and perseverance" *Copies available at the Sales Desk at the fellowship hour - \$15 each.* Date of discussion to be determined. Call **Matushka Anna Vernak** at 652-1825 or [annakoen@hotmail.com](mailto:annakoen@hotmail.com) for info.

**Orthodoxy 101:** We have begun a class for inquirers, catechumens, as well as church members who wish to know more about the "basics" of our faith on **Saturday mornings at 9am**. If you or someone you know might be interested in attending, please contact Fr. Stephen. Walk-ins welcome!!!



**Traveling or Going on Vacation???** The summer time is filled with activity and for most of us a lot of travel. It is important, however, to remember that Sunday remains the Lord's Day no matter where we are... even if we are on "vacation". Please check out [www.OrthodoxyinAmerica.org](http://www.OrthodoxyinAmerica.org) for information on Orthodox Churches throughout the country... just type in the city or town you are traveling to and a listing of all parishes and their distance from your location will be generated. **Be sure to call the Priest ahead of time and let him know you will be visiting!**

**The Ukrainian American Sport Center "Tryzub":** (County Line and Lower State Rds., Horsham, PA.) invites you to attend the **EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL UKRAINIAN FOLK FESTIVAL** on **Sunday, August 23, 2009, at 12:00 Noon**, celebrating Ukraine's Independence Day. Enjoy Ukrainian dancing, music, ethnic foods, baked goods, standard picnic fare and more. Call 215.343.5412; or visit website: [www.tryzub.org](http://www.tryzub.org)

**Christ the Saviour' softball team:** won the league's consolation five-team tournament July 9th, 12th, and 14th in impressive style by scores of 13-6, 17-7, and 17-6, with timely hitting and great defense. After falling short of making the league championship this year Coach Carl Hisiro believes the stage is set for a comeback season next year with expectations of competing for the league championship again. **The team wants to thank all the church members who came out to support it this season and wants to encourage everyone to come out and watch a game next year.**