



CHRIST THE SAVIOUR ORTHODOX CHURCH

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The Truth of Orthodox Christianity*

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SUNDAY JULY 26, 2009

7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 6. The Repose of St. Jacob (Netsvetov), Enlightener of the Peoples of Alaska. Hieromartyr Hermolaus and Martyrs Hermippus and Hermocrates at Nicomedia. Ven. Moses the Hungarian, of the Kiev Caves (Near Caves). Martyr Parasceva of Rome. Ven. Gerontius of St. Anne Skete (Mt. Athos). The "EMVOLON" Icon of the Most-holy Theotokos in Constantinople.

Epistle: Romans 15:1-7
Philippians 3:7-14

Gospel: Matthew 9:27-35
Mark 10:29-31, 42-45

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

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

Hours Readers: **John Osuch** (3rd) **Bill Kuchta** (6th) • Altar Servers – **All welcome**

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

July 29, Wed: Daily Vespers – 6pm

July 30, Thu: Orthodox Book Store/Coffee Shop Meeting – 7pm

Dormition Fast Begins (Aug 1 – Aug 15)

Aug 1, Sat: Orthodoxy 101 – 9am; Vespers & Confessions – 6pm

Hours Readers: **Larry Smith** (3rd) **Dimitri Ressetar** (6th) • Alter Servers – **All**

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Aug 2, Sun: Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Fellowship – 11:00pm

Aug 4, Tue: Nuns from St. Elizabeth Convent Visiting – 7pm

● **ANCIENTFAITHRADIO.COM** - 24 hour Orthodox Internet Radio

● **Orthodox Radio** on 720 AM Radio every Sunday at 8 am

● **www.OrthodoxyinAmerica.org** **Traveling - Vacation?** Check it out!

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); **George Kaznowsky**; **Julie Fure** (friend of Jean Dotsey); **Eric Arnoldus** (friend of Dan & Donna Bretz); **Helen Oleynik**; **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: **Kristen Seitz**; **Edward Dix** (friend of John R. Barns); **Mark Snavely** (husband of John R. Barns niece); **Joseph Mazurek Jr.** (Moe's son); **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*); **Piper Treece** (*China*); **[Expectant Mother's]**; **M. Sophie Majmudar**; **M. Anastasia Hojnicky**; **M. Mara Burns... and the children to be born of them**; **[THOSE SERVING IN IRAQ]: David Riesberg** (Anna Doray's Grandson)

Newly Departed from This Life: **Carl G. Miller** (Paul's father) – July 21; **Robert Miller** (Lydia Mantles co-worker) – July 20; **child Joseph Lentz** – July 8; **Sophia Green** – June 29; **Elizabeth Motz** – June 22;

Anniversaries of Those Departed from This Life: **Mary C. Cvijic**, July 26 -13th; **Mary Ann Prodanovic**, Aunt of Lydia Mantle; July 26 – 3rd; **Wassel Fatich**, July 27 – 12th; **Nancy Kaniuk**, grandmother of Joseph Russian, July 28– 44th; **Amber Busin**, close friend of Joshua Di Florio, July 28 – 7th; **Helen Philapovich**, sister of Millie Wolfe, July 29 – 13th; **Mary Yahelski**, godmother of Donna Bretz and friend of the Pellegrini's, July 29 – 3rd; **George Demchak**, father of Suzanne, July 30 – 54th; **Zoritza (Zarita) Petrascomiculita**, July 30 – 23rd; **Jakob Rybaczenko**, July 30 – 13th; **Mary Anderson**, sister of Steve Pawlak, July 30 – 7th; **Matushka Gerry Fedetz**, sister-in-law of Andy, July 30 - 5th; **Mary Prislopsky**, grandmother of M. Theodora Ressetar, Aug 1 – 58th; **Peter Kovach**, brother of Fr. Michael, Aug 1 – 8th; **William Butka**, grandfather of Bob Drozd, Aug 1 -9th; **Mary Maliniak**, sister-in-law of Gloria, Aug 1 – 4th;

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 **George** (father) by Suzanne Demchak

Seven Altar Candles are offered in memory of **Mary Altieci** (sister); **Matushka Geraldine Fedetz** (sister in law) & **Michael Bacha** (brother in law) of Dotty Fedetz.

Two Decorated Candles (Center Table) are offered in memory of **Mary Cvijic**, mother, wife & grandmother of the Cvijic Family on the 13th anniversary of her departing this life.

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

Birthdays: **Anna Doray** – July 27; **Sandy Wood**– July 27; **Hattie Kaznowsky** – July 27; **Thomas Xavier Baggio**– July 27; **Jane Volsko** – July 28; **Gloria Maliniak** - July 31; **Aug 1:** David Martin & Jonathan Taleff

Anniversaries: Fr. Daniel Ressetar (**Anniversary to the Holy Priesthood**) – July 27 -51st

Last week's liturgy attendance: 130

TODAY'S NEWS

O-Club Event: TODAY **Sunday, July 26 from 1pm to??** The **O Club** will host a bowling outing 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 attend. Please contact Fr. Stephen Vernak (svernak@hotmail.com) at 717-652-1825 with any inquiries.

Nuns from St. Elizabeth Convent in Minsk: On **Tuesday, August 4th at 7pm**, two nuns from Belorussia 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) for more information on their convent.

Yard Sale: The "O" Club is holding their annual yard sale on **Saturday, August 8th 7am – noon**. All donations need to be brought in **NO LATER** than **Tuesday, August 4th**. 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.

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.

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 13th 6pm – 8pm
- Friday, August 14th 6pm – 8pm
- Saturday, August 15th 9am - ? (**Lunch and swim party after Festal Divine Liturgy!**)

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 or the flyer in the vestibule for more information.

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!!!

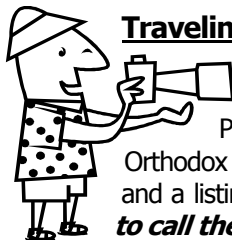
The Ukrainian American Sport Center "Tryzub": (County Line and Lower State Rds., Horsham, PA.) invites you to attend the **EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL UKRAINIAN FOLK FESTIVAL** on **Sunday, August 23, 2009, at 12:00 Noon**, celebrating Ukraine's Independence Day. Enjoy Ukrainian dancing, music, ethnic foods, baked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

OTHER NEWS

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.

- Classes will begin September 8th - please register ASAP.

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 for info.



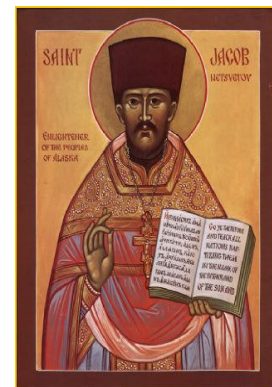
Traveling or Going on Vacation??? The summer time is filled with activity and for most of us a lot of travel. It is important, however, to remember that Sunday remains the Lord's Day no matter where we are... even if we are on "vacation". Please check out www.OrthodoxyinAmerica.org for information on 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!**

Quarterly Book Club: Many thanks to Eleanor Herman for hosting this past weeks meeting to discuss "Christ in the Psalms" at her home. An enjoyable and a spiritually fruitful time was had by all. We would like to announce the book and meeting date and location for our next selection:

- **Lydia Mantle** has agreed to host the next meeting at her home on **October 18th at 3pm.** The book is entitled "**The Hidden Man of the Heart: The Cultivation of the Heart in Orthodox Christian Anthropology (1 Peter 3:4)**" by Archimandrite Zacharias.
- Books are **\$19 each** and can be purchased in the church office or by contacting Fr. Stephen at 652-1825 or svernak@hotmail.com.

St Jacob Netsvetov the Enlightener of the Peoples of Alaska (Troparion - Tone 4)

Righteous Father Jacob, adornment of Atka and the Yukon delta, offspring of Russian America, flower of brotherly unity, healer of sickness, and terror of demons, you offered yourself as a living sacrifice to bring light to a searching people. Pray to Christ God that our souls may be saved!



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