

CHRIST THE SAVIOUR ORTHODOX CHURCH

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“Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong. Let all that you do be done with love.” 1 Corinthians 16:13-14

SUNDAY OCTOBER 26, 2014

20th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 3. Holy and Glorious Great-martyr Demetrius the Myrrh-gusher of Thessalonica. Commemoration of the Great Earthquake at Constantinople in 740 A.D. St. Theophil of the Kiev Caves, Bishop of Novgorod. Martyr Lupus. Ven. Athanasius of Medikion Monastery. Monk Martyr Joseph of Dionysiou.

Epistle: Galatians 1:11-19

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

Oct 26, Sun: ST. DEMETRIUS. Adult Ed -8:30am; **Divine Liturgy -9:30am**; Church School - 11am; David Cain 1-year Memorial, immediately following *Liturgy*; Fellowship - 11:15am; Orthodoxy 101 -noon; Pan-Orthodox Choir Rehearsal (St. Nicholas, Steelton) 3-5pm; Men's Club Social -4pm; Meeting -7:30pm

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Lydia Mantle** · 6th Hour: **Eleanor Herman** · Epistle: **Larry Smith**

Oct 29, Wed: Bible Study (33 N 2nd St) -noon; **Vespers -6:30pm**; Choir Rehearsal -7:30pm

Oct 30, Thu: HIEROMARTYR ZENOBIUS AND HIS SISTER, ZENOBIA. **Matins -9am**; Bible Study - 9:30am

Oct 31, Fri: HIEROMARTYR ARCHPRIEST JOHN OF CHICAGO.

Nov 1, Sat: Church School Teachers Meeting - TBD; **Vespers & Confession -5pm**

Nov 2, Sun: SYNAXIS OF THE HOLY UN-MERCENARIES. Adult Ed -8:30am; **Divine Liturgy - 9:30am**; Church School -11am; Fellowship -11:15am

Readers: 3rd Hour: **John Shingara** · 6th Hour: **Manny Lopez** · Epistle: **Leavitt Keener**

Nov 3, Mon: St. Mary's Altar Guild Meeting – 7pm

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

● **OrthodoxyinAmerica.org** (Traveling or Going on Vacation?) **check it out!**

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS! Please join us for fellowship in the **church hall** following the service. If you are interested in becoming a part of our community please ask to speak to Fr. Stephen Vernak. Please note: Only those faithful who are Orthodox Christians and have properly prepared themselves by fasting (*from all food and drink*), prayer, and recent confession; and who were present for the reading of the Epistle and Gospel, should approach to receive the Holy Eucharist.

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

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

AILING: PARISHIONERS: Gloria Skirpan; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Helen Katerman (Andrew's mother); Luke Spaseff; Evelyn Anderson, (Debbie Hisiro's mother); Emily Campbell (Jerry Cole's cousin); Joan Conte & Marion Shortall (Cindy's mother & mother-in-law); Andrea Faber (cousin of Jean Dotsey); Peter Yastishak (cousin of Gloria Maliniak); Jason Nesbit, (friend of the Cain's); Marsha Himic (Dana Watts mother); Wassil Boyko (Fr. Dan's family); Paul Evans, Louis Zang & Michalene Scheponik (Rapso), (M. Theodora godson & family); Mary & Frank Tonart (Sophia Kellachow's parents); Diane Chambers & Helen Lanwehr (Anna Doray's family); Carrie Faust (Cole's friend); Keturah Faust (J. Barns & L. Shuga's friend); John Fatich (Kuzupas family); Joseph & Steven Demchak, (Suzanne's brothers);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: Suffering Christians throughout the world, especially, the people of Syria, Iraq, Palestine, Israel; Egypt, & Ukraine; and Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; **PARISHIONERS:** Jason Zeppuhar; Alice Mallick; Jerry Cole; Gloria Maliniak; Sue Wolfe; Saba Ghebresalassie; Ghebremichael Habtegeorghis; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas
HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES: Betty Danko; Nicholas Essis; Ann Pusey; Agnes Risser; Millicent Russell; Shirley Sass; Salwa Shunnara; **EXPECTANT MOTHERS:** Kathryn (Atty) Brasowski, M. Laura (Hadginske) Schmidt and the children to be born of them; **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** David Ambartsumian, Yerusalem Arefe, Thomas Asfaha, Masha Cameron, Jessica Drebot, Matthew Hadginske, Shreya Jacob, Cathi Kemp; Zachary Koss, Christina Martin, Alex Pankiw, DJ Pawlush, Molly Pylypciw, Sophia Ressetar, Jessica Shingara, Matthew Shortall; Shane Staller, MaryAnn Wood. **MILITARY:** Michael Egan; Jeremy Fetsko; Steven Heberle; Evangelos Kanellakos; Stephanie King; Matthew Pylypciw; David Riesberg; Thomas Shingara; Sean Slaughter; Michael Somple **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Shenia Dubiaha (sister of Nadzia Schilling); Seraphima Mattile & John Branht (friends of John R Barns) Debora Tekeste (niece of Yorusalem Tesfazion); Stephen Gilpin (friend of Cathi Kemp & Lydia Mantle); Dn. Joseph Kreta; child Maksim Sysak; William Schaeffer (John R. Barns brother in law); Faye Hake (Jesse's mother); Brian Yerby, Jr. (Christine Tartamella's godson); Linda Shue (Sharon Shingara's mother); Nancy Coles (John & Chris' mother); Ginny Ranck & Mike Frizzi (Keener friends); Timothy Cooney (Anna Doray's nephew); Fr. John & M. Stephanie Onofrey; Ben Morgan (Sally Marasco's son); Marie Cini (Bob's mother); Christine Kihm, Charles Klein, Margaret & Cecilia Hunt (Larry Smith's family); Willard Brown. **CATECHUMENS:** Jesse Hake; Matthew & Rachel Brubaker – Anastasia; Michael Loar; Bette Keener; Christine Lamb

NEWLY DEPARTED: Katherine Pilc –Oct 18; John Richard Stenko (cousin of Bill Dupkanick) – Oct 12; M. Daria Mason – Oct 11; Maksym Szewczyk (Anna Kuchta's father) - Oct 9; Ann Butka (Bod Drozd's grandmother) – Oct 9; Ellen Collins (Jerry & Ann Cole's friend) - Sept 24; Gill Clouse (friend of Doug Cain) –Sept 22; Imogene Morris Smith (Sean Cameron's grandmother) - Sept 21; Ernest Simmoms (friend of Ron Hancher Jr.) –Sept 18;

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: David Cain, son of Douglas & Barbara, Oct 26 -1st; Dora Teleck, mother of Ann Cole, Oct 28 -26th; Anna Sopensky, Oct 29 -31st; Nabiha Shunnara, Salwa's mother, Oct 29-6th; Arsa Taleff, mother-in-law of June, Oct 30 – 60th; Madeline Drake, aunt of Samantha Lopez, Oct 31 – 1st; Peter Burcz, father of Barbara Cain, Oct 31 -45th; Giza Barbu, Nov 1 – 34th; Jeff Braswell, Angie Costa's son, Nov 1-5th; Michael "Ted" Motz, Nov 1 – 27th;

CANDLE OFFERINGS: To purchase commemoration candles, please go to the candle desk or speak with one of the vestrymen. Please note: offerings must be in the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

- ❖ **Seven Day Votive** is offered for the **Health & Salvation** of **John Kuzupas**, from his mother Janet

MANY YEARS: Please submit to ctsocahbq@aol.com by the preceding Wednesday.

ANNIVERSARIES: Leavitt & Bette Keener - Oct 27;

BIRTHDAYS: Jana Adams- Oct 29; Temesgen Tegegn –Oct 31; Sammy Kidane - Nov 1

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT: Grady Paul (5lbs, 4 oz.) was born to Jessica Bricker - Oct 19

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS:



Don't forget: Daylight saving ends **NEXT Sunday, November 2nd at 2 A.M.** This is also the perfect time to remember to change your Smoke Detector Battery!

Church School Teachers Meeting: Will be held on **Sat, Nov 1st**. A breakfast meeting is planned and more information will be available soon on place & time.

SAVE the DATES: Two upcoming events happening at Christ the Saviour. Invite your friends! Flyers are available on the candle desk.

- **Tuesday, November 11th at 7pm.** *Public Lecture:* "Will you be left behind: the Rapture in light of Ancient Christianity" w. Fr. Andrew Stephen Damick
- **Sunday, November 23rd at 6pm** (*doors open at 5pm*). *IOCC/OCMC Benefit Concert:* "Praise the Lord" *Pan-Orthodox Mixed Choir, under the direction of* Fr. Christopher Rocknage. There will be a free-will offering.

Family Photos for Pictorial Directory: Is anticipated to be available for the parish on **Sunday Nov 2nd**. If you missed having your picture taken for the Pictorial Directory, please email a "portrait style" photo of your family to the parish office at ctsocahbg@aol.com ASAP!

Hershey Bears Hockey Game: The "O" Club has tickets for a Hershey Bears vs Wilkes-Barre/Scranton Penguins on **Sunday, Nov 16th @5pm**. The cost of a ticket is \$19.00 which includes a free one-day pass for Hershey Park in 2015. Please see **Alice Mallick** if interested.

Gertrude Hawk Candy: Order forms for Gertrude Hawk Candy's are on the umbrella stand. Orders are due **Nov 23rd**, please see **Dave Martin** will any questions.

New Hall Manager: The parish office manager **Bethann Lenker** will take on the extra roll of Hall Manager. For hall reservation please email her at BHLenker@msn.com & in the subject line please type "Hall Reservation".

St. Mary's Altar Guild Fellowship Hour Schedule: Parishioners are asked to help by bringing at least 48 servings of items, such as: soup, fresh fruit, vegetables, cheese, bagels or bread, baked goods and to serve them during their assigned fellowship hour. ***Please observe a "strict fast" (no meat or dairy products) during the fasting seasons.** If you are unable to be at church on your scheduled date contact **Nadzia Schilling** at 652-2759

Nov 2:	Sandy Wood	Jean Dotsey	Sue Dotsey
Nov 9:		Jr. "O" Club Christmas	
Nov 16:*	Dotty Fedetz	Lydia Mantle	Ann Cole

LAST SATURDAY VESPERS: 55 • LAST SUNDAY LITURGY: 172

EVENTS AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

St. Michael's Day & Veterans Day Celebration: The weekend of **Nov 7th – Nov 9th** *St. Michael's Orthodox Church* in Mt. Carmel will host their Patron Saint Day & Veterans Day Celebrations. The weekend long celebration will include His Grace Bishop MARK and numerous speakers. Please see the flyer on the candle stand or visit their website www.stmichaelsorthodoxchurch.org.

Advent Spiritual Retreat: The Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church in Lancaster, PA is hosting a ***Advent Retreat*** on **Sat. Dec 13th** from 9am to 1pm. The theme is "*Becoming a Healing Presence*" featuring Dr. Albert Rossi. Early registration is \$5 or \$10 at the door. RSVPS are due **Dec 1st**. For more information please see the flyer in the candle stand.

Panera Bread Pick-Up Volunteers: We are looking for families willing to assist with this "Daily Bread" ministry by picking up on Saturday evenings between 10:15-10:30 at the **Hummelstown Panera** (1178 Mae St., Hershey Square). Please contact **Sophia Kellachow at** (jmkellachow@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining a rotation or have any questions.

Calling all volunteers! Volunteers are needed to assist at the ***Agia Sophia Coffee Shop***. Here is the perfect opportunity to serve your community and witness your faith through this Pan-Orthodox outreach ministry. **Position needed:** **(1)** Dish washers **(2)** Cashiers & taking orders **(3)** Cooks **(4)** Clean up. **In house training will be provided!** Please feel free to contact Joanne Wevodau at **717-580-4833** or e-mail jwevodau@verizon.net