

Christ the Saviour Orthodox Church

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Archbishop MARK (Maymon), Hierarch V. Rev. Stephen Vernak, Pastor Rt. Rev. Daniel Ressetar, Emeritus Dn. Peter (Scott) Staller, Attached

Rt. Rev. Daniel Kovalak, Attached Dn. John Shingara, Attached

Mark Yerke, Parish Council President John Dotsey, Treasurer

beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called... endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. Ephesians 4:1 & 3



Sunday November 8, 2020

22nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5. SYNAXIS OF THE ARCHAN-GEL MICHAEL AND THE OTHER BODILESS POWERS: Archangels Gabriel, Raphael, Uriel, Selaphiel, Jegudiel, and Barachiel. Synaxis of the Holy Unmercenaries.

Schedule: Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy (Last names S-Z) - 9:30am; 50th Year Memorial +Joseph Dotsey - 11:30am; Open House 11am -12pm; Orthodoxy 101 – 12:15pm



<u>elcome</u> to our Visitors!

Interested in learning more? Please visit our parish website and email our priest, Fr. Stephen Vernak

Hymns & Readings

Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone V —

Let us, the faithful, praise, and worship, the Word, co-eternal with the Father, and the Spirit, born, for our salvation, from the Virgin: for He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead, by His glorious resurrection.

Troparion, Tone IV —

O commanders of the heavenly hosts, we, who are unworthy, beseech you: by your prayers, encompass us beneath the wings of your immaterial glory; and, faithfully, preserve us, who fall down, and cry to you: 'Deliver us from all harm; for ye are the commanders of the powers on high'.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion, Tone II —

Commanders of God's armies, and ministers of the divine glory, princes of the bodiless angels, and guides of mankind, ask for what is good for us, and for great mercy, O supreme commanders of the bodiless hosts.

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone V —

Thou didst descend into hell, O my Saviour, shattering its gates, as almighty, resurrecting the dead, as Creator, and destroying the sting-of-death; Thou hast delivered Adam from the curse, O lover-of-man; and we cry unto Thee: 'O Lord, save us'.

Prokeimenon & Readings:

Tone 5: Thou, O Lord, shalt protect us / and preserve us from this generation forever. (*Resurrection*)

v. Save me, O Lord, for there is no longer any that is godly!

Tone 4: He makes His Angels spirits, / and His ministers a flame of fire. (Bodiless Powers)

pistle: (Galatians 6:11-18) Brethren, see with what large letters I have written to you with my own hand! ¹² As many as desire to make a good showing in the flesh, these would compel you to be circumcised, only that they may not suffer persecution for the cross of Christ. ¹³ For not even those who are circumcised keep the law, but they desire to have you circumcised that they may boast in your flesh. ¹⁴ But God forbid that I should boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. ¹⁵ For in Christ Jesus neither cir-

cumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but a new creation. ¹⁶ And as many as walk according to this rule, peace and mercy *be* upon them, and upon the Israel of God. ¹⁷ From now on let no one trouble me, for I bear in my body the marks of the Lord Jesus. ¹⁸ Brethren, the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ *be* with your spirit. Amen.

Alleluia Verses:

I will sing of Thy mercies, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim Thy truth from generation to generation.

For Thou hast said: "Mercy will be established forever; My truth will be prepared in the heavens."

Praise Him, all His Angels, praise Him, all His hosts!

Gospel: (Luke 8:41-56) At that time, there came a man named Jairus, and he was a ruler of the synagogue. And he fell down at Jesus' feet and begged Him to come to his house, 42 for he had an only daughter about twelve years of age, and she was dying. But as He went, the multitudes thronged Him. 43 Now a woman, having a flow of blood for twelve years, who had spent all her livelihood on physicians and could not be healed by any, 44 came from behind and touched the border of His garment. And immediately her flow of blood stopped. ⁴⁵ And Jesus said, "Who touched Me?" When all denied it, Peter and those with him said, "Master, the multitudes throng and press You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?' " 46 But Jesus said, "Somebody touched Me, for I perceived power going out from Me." 47 Now when the woman saw that she was not hidden, she came trembling; and falling down before Him, she declared to Him in the presence of all the people the reason she had touched Him and how she was healed immediately. ⁴⁸ And He said to her, "Daughter, be of good cheer; your faith has made you well. Go in peace." 49 While He was still speaking, someone came from the ruler of the synagogue's house, saying to him, "Your daughter is dead. Do not trouble the Teacher." 50 But when Jesus heard it, He answered him, saying, "Do not be afraid; only believe, and she will be made well." 51 When He came into the house, He permitted no one to go in except Peter, James, and John, and the father and mother of the girl. ⁵² Now all wept and mourned for her; but He said, "Do not weep; she is not dead, but sleeping." 53 And they ridiculed Him, knowing that she was dead. 54 But He put them all outside, took her by the hand and called, saying, "Little girl, arise." 55 Then her spirit returned, and she arose immediately. And He commanded that she be given something to eat. ⁵⁶ And her parents were astonished, but He charged them to tell no one what had happened.

Upcoming Services & Events

Weekday services and Sat Vespers are "open" (no sign-up necessary)

Nov 10, Tue: OCA Online Ch. School – 7pm

Nov 11, Wed: Pan-Orthodox Bible Study (Mark) via Zoom - noon; Vespers –

6:30pm; Bible Study (Romans) via Zoom – 7:30pm;

Nov 14, Sat: Vespers - 5pm; Confession, following

Nov 15, Sun:

Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy (Last names A-D) - 9:30am;

Open House 11am - 12pm; Orthodoxy 101 − 12:15pm; St. Jerome Book

Club − 1pm

BEGINNING OF THE NATIVITY FAST (NOV 15 - DEC 25)



Parish News

<u>Sunday Divine Liturgy</u>: We are able to welcome **50% Capacity with Social Distancing** to the Divine Liturgy. Register via the **Sign-Up Genius** site according to Last Name (**50 spots in the Church**):

• Sun, Nov 8 (S-Z) • Sun, Nov 15 (A-D)• Sun, Nov 22 (E-K)

NOTE: Overflow in the Hall Upstairs (35) & Hall Basement (35)

<u>Confession and Communion:</u> Confession will be offered on Saturday evenings; and in person, or over the phone by appointment.

<u>St. Jerome's Book Club:</u> Will meet on **Sun, Nov 15**th from 1pm - 2:30pm to discuss "Orthodox Christians in North America 1794-1994. You can obtain a FREE online version of the book via the Parish Emails. Any questions please contact **Joe McClure** - jmcclure59@yahoo.com.

<u>Thanksgiving Gift Cards for the Needy:</u> This year CTS will be accepting gift cards instead of food donations for the needy. Please bring or mail the gift cards in no later than **Sunday, Nov 22nd.**

<u>Parish Directory Update</u>: Please send your updated family photo, and any updates/corrections to **office@ctshbg.org**. You can also complete the Parish Directory Questionnaire located on the parish website.

Nativity Fast: Nov 15 - Dec 25: Abstain from All Meat & Dairy; Fish permitted on November 15th, 16th, 21st, 22nd, 28th, 29th, & 30th. Increase prayer & service participation. Offer Confession & acts of love & mercy. If you have any questions please contact Fr. Stephen.

Stewards of the OCA Sunday, November 15: Support the work of the Orthodox Church in America by becoming a Steward of the OCA. Your support will enhance the work of the ministries and departments of the OCA that serve the entire church by providing important resources such as liturgical texts, liturgical music, religious educational material, and educational events. Other new and exciting projects are also under development. Go to oca.org/stewards to learn more and to view the schedule of upcoming live online events that will highlight the work and plans of the departments.



NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: Samuel Demchak (Sue's brother) - Nov 4 [12/13]; Met. Maximos (GOA) - Nov 2 [12/11]; Met. Amfilohije of Montenegro - Oct 30 [12/8]; Nellie Saba - Oct 23 [12/1]; Ralph Kreamer (friend of Denny Bupp) - Oct 21 [11/29]; Met. Theodosius (Lazor) - Oct 19 [11/27]; Vickie Harris (friend of Elizabeth Bare) -Oct 11 [11/19]; Theresa M. (friend of Elizabeth Bare); Anna Sovich - Oct 3 [11/11]; Rose Kolos (cousin of the Hancher's) - Oct 3 [11/11]; Linda Crum (friend of Angie DiFlorio) - Oct 3 [11/11]; Asegedech Negwo (Hirut Abebe's mother) - Oct 1 [11/9];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Joseph Stephen Dotsey, father of John & Susan, Nov 8 -50th; Steven Danko, Nov 8 - 27th; John Walsh, uncle of +Barbara Norato, Nov 8 -19th; Salwa Shunnara, Nov 9 -5th; Ap. Joseph Martin, Dave's brother, Nov $9 - 2^{nd}$; Kateryna J. Birula, Nov $10 - 42^{nd}$ Stephen Sanders, +Anna Doray's grandson-in-law, Nov 10 -11th; Julia Kantor, Bill's sister-in-law, Nov 10 - 5th; Katharine Macut, Nov 10 - 3rd; George Dimza, Nov 11 -52nd; Rodney John Leer, Fred's brother, Nov 11 - 72nd; Angelo A. Branoff, Nov 12 -18th; Anna Russian, mother of Joseph, Nov 12 -23rd; John Sass, brother of +Russell, Nov 12 -27th; Myles Cameron, grandfather of Marina, Nov 12 -19th; **Alexander Burcz,** Barbara Cain's brother, Nov 13 -53rd; Walter Onufrak, Nov 13 – 1st; Ira Lee Shenk, Alice Mallick's brother, Nov 14 -12^{th} ; Anna Puchcarish, Dotty Fedetz's cousin, Nov $14-5^{th}$; Elaine R. Mil**ler,** Heidi Kushlan's mother, Nov 14 – 37th;

AILING: Ab. David (Mahaffey); Abbot Tryphon; Ap. Michael Hatrak PA-RISHIONERS: Natalie Treece; Michael Ivanoff; John "Jack" Sweikert FAMILY/ FRIENDS: Pauline, Steven, & Sharon (family of L. Hancher); Sandy, Hailey, & Kelly (friends of DiFlorio's); Lilly (friend of the Africa's); Gary & Paul (friends

of the Lenker's); Beverly (J. Knox's mother); George (Leavitt) & Marcella (Bette); Ruth (T. McMahons sister-in-law); JoAnn (S. Demchaks sister-inlaw); child Joshua; Sandy, Sue & Doreen (E. Bare's friend & family); Harry & Joan (friends of Terry Drebot); Betty (grandmother of J. McClure); Andrea & child Silas (family of E. Herman); Dori (niece of N. Lubecki & J. Lewis); Joan (friend of the Zart's); M. Lisa Weremedic (wife of Fr. James); Janice & Emil (J. Zuro & G. Leer's aunt & uncle); child Fynn; Fr. George Livanos; Kaye, Richard, & Anya (aunt & friends of K. Leader); Patty (friend of K. Pankiw); Neal (D. Pawlush's brother); Richie & MaryAnne (friends of the White's); Mitchel (Jean Dotsey's nephew); Linda (M. Shingara's mother); M. Valeria Hatrak; David (L. Mantle & C. Kemps brother); Jeanette (daughter of E. Onufer); Jacob (brother of Pat Drebot); Connie, Charlie, Harry, Connie, Carol, & Ethan (friends & grandson of Mallick's); Wendy (M. Deamer's mother); Janet (friend of D. Fedetz); Kim & Mona (sisters of Ab. Mark); Robert (friend of C. Bucharew); David (friend of L. DiClemente); Michael (B. Drozd father): Brandon & Pam (friends of C. Neumann); Mary (mother of S. Kellachow); Alissa; Catherine; Andrew, Maureen, Mary, Joanne, Roger, & John (family & friends of the Kuchta's); Annie (daughter of the Africa's); Carole; Fern (Dn. Peter's mother); Grace & Karen (J. Mamay's sisters); Maria (Worley's friend) Victoria, Erin & David (friends of L. Smith); Linda (J. Africa's sister): Paul (J. Osuch's brother); Pavlina (friend of B. Slivka); M. Emily (Larissa & Anita's aunt); Karenmay (friend of L. Mantle); child Aura (friend of D. Zullo); Steven (J. Hake's father); child Eva; Jerry (friend of D. Cain); Lori & Constantine (Z. Bare's mother & family friend); Flora (T. Gault's mother); Linda, Christine, & Cynthia (friends of M. Myra); Grace (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); Wiera, Vera (Fr. Dan R's cousin & sister); Elizabeth; Cassandra & Peter (friends of L. Shuga); Gemma, (E. Herman's friend); Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred (Osuch family); Barry, Edwin, Phillip, Connie, & Daniel (family & friends of the Leer's); Paul, Adam, Jeff, Bev, Alynda, Tina, Jenny, Marilyn, Jan, Alicia, Shelby, & Malynda (family & friends of the Kushlans); Seraphima (friend of J. Barns); Alexa, Thomas, Leida, Jesus, Marsha, Alexander, Anastasia, Deanna, John, Brian, Timothy, Jessica, Saulo, Theodore, & Tanya, (Lopez friends & family); Terry, Morgan, & Sara, (D.Hisiro's family); Joseph & Louise (S Demchak's brother & sisterin-law);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: Those suffering from natural disasters. All victims of Sickness, Terror, War, Violence, Racism, Injustice & Civil Strife; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; PARISHIONERS: Suzanne Demchak; Nicholas & Kelly Somple; Marina Cameron; Joseph Sembrot; Birikit & Hannah Zerat; Jeanne Zane; Teklu Ogbamichael; Temesgen Kidane; Una McManus; Katherine Kudelko; BetteAnn Slivka; Evelyn Onufer; Kristen Hertzler; Lazarus (Manny) & Samantha Lopez; M. Ap. Daniel & M. Myra Kovalak; Joseph (Moe) & Ruth

Mazurek; Lazarus (Jonathan) Dunnavent; Ann Cole; Sean Cameron; Loretta Ivanoff; Andrea (Ivanoff) Worley; John & Mary Ellen Osuch; Kathryn Kellachow; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES: Carol; Rita; Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Pauline Fecho; William Kantor; Millicent Russell; EXPECTANT MOTHER(s): Lara (Haluszczak) Galis; Lindsay Taleff; Jessica (Agnes) Priestley; Elaine (Leer) Wyborski; Suzanne Kordsmeier; Kristina Leverone and the children to be born of them; COLLEGE STUDENTS: Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, David, Amelia Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, Michelle Gopinath; George Hatalowich, Paige Hisiro; Shawn Jacob; Vladimer Kellachow; Sammy, & Salina Kidane; Alexander & Drake Lamb; Joseph Martin, Evan & Johnna McGreevy, Timothy Monko, Otilia Murariu, Nicole & Shane Staller, Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; MILITARY: Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; FAMILY & FRIENDS: Joseph (Bethann's step-son); Tony (K. Hertzler's husband); Gene (K. Leader's uncle); Iryna (Snyder family); Matthew (K. Mikita's son); M. Natasha Lazor, Cindy, Christine, & Stella "Linda" (M. Myra's friends); Mary & Judy (Rdr. L. Leer's cousins); Raul (friend of B. Drozd); Ron (friend of K. Pankiw); Vasiliki; George (friend of J. Mamay); Harry & Dottie Sysak; Shannon (daughter-in-law of the Henry's); Heather (sister of S. Cameron); Shenia (sister of N. Schilling); Martha (aunt of A. Cole); Frank (uncle of U. McManus); Eva & Donna (friends of the Kuchta's); Rosalie; David & Dawn (cousins of Chet); Ronald; Alexandra; Masha, Ethan & Wesley (M. Cameron's family/friend); Pauline, Robert (friend & uncle of E. Bare); Nancy & family (Snyder's friends); Maria, Blake, Keisha, Cynthia, Dimitrios, child Evangelia, Kyle, Martha, Emma, Nicholas, Jack, Samuel, Christian, Theodore, Steve, John, Alexandra, Juan, Isaac, Daniel, Judy, Luke, Johnny, Leticia, Jim, Paul, Samuel, Faye, Jon, child Landon (family/friends of the Lopez's); Christine (M. Gopinath's aunt); Natalie (E. Herman's godchild); Christine (sister of P. Taleff); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, David & William (family & friends of J. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's mother); Ben & Amanda (S. Marasco's children); Marc & Cecilia (L. Smith's cousins); SEMINARIANS: Dn. John & M. Alexandra Black - Evyn, Lydia, Joshua, & Noah CATECHUMEN(s): John Romain; Matthew Deamer; Andrew & Rebecca Brown - Nathan, Devin, Ava, & Liam; Joseph Middelkoop; Ray & Amy Rieck - Gordon, Maren, & Morgan



Many Years!
Please submit names and dates to office "at" ctshbg.org

ANNIVERSARIES: Joshua & Angela DiFlorio - Nov 8; Dn. Peter & M. Hilarene Staller - Nov 10 (30th);

BIRTHDAYS: Natalie Treece - Nov 9; Paige Hisiro - Nov 9; Martha Rakowski-Nov 10; Fred Womer - Nov 11; Dottie Dimoff - Nov 12; Sophia Ressetar -Nov 12; Benjamin Zart – Nov 13;

GRATITUDE: All Veterans who have served in defense of freedom throughout the world - Nov 11;

Candle Offerings To donate, please email the Office Manager @ office@CTSHBG.org

Decorated Candles are offered in Memory of Joseph S. Dotsey, on the 50th year of departing this life from his son John





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