



# Christ <sup>the</sup> Saviour Orthodox Church

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Dn. Peter (Scott) Staller, Attached

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endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. *Ephesians 4:1 & 3*

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## Sunday February 21, 2021

**SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND THE PHARISEE — Tone 4. Beginning of the Lenten Triodion.** Saint Makarios of Glinsk Hermitage. Ven. Timothy of Symbola in Bithynia. St. Eustathius, Archbishop of Antioch. St. George, Bishop of Amastris on the Black Sea.

Schedule: **Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy (Last names L-R) - 9:30am;**  
Open House –11am; Orthodoxy 101 – 12:15pm; St. Jerome Book Club –  
1:30pm via Zoom

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## **W**elcome 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 IV —**

When the women-disciples-of-the-Lord learned, from the angel, the joyous message-of-Thy-resurrection, they cast away the ancestral curse, and, elatedly, told the apostles: 'Death is overthrown; Christ God is risen, granting, unto the world, great mercy'.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.  
Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

### **Kontakion, Tone IV —**

Let us flee from the proud-speaking of the pharisee, and learn the humility of the publican; and, with groaning, let us cry to the Saviour: 'Have mercy on us, O only merciful One'.



**Prokeimenon & Readings:**

**Tone 4:** O Lord, how manifold are Thy works; / in wisdom hast Thou made them all. (*Resurrection*)

*v. Bless the Lord, O my soul! O Lord, my God, Thou art very great!*

**E**pistle: (*1 Timothy 3:10-15*) Timothy my son, you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, <sup>11</sup>persecutions, afflictions, which happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra—what persecutions I endured. And out of *them* all the Lord delivered me. <sup>12</sup>Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution. <sup>13</sup>But evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived. <sup>14</sup>But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned *them*, <sup>15</sup>and that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

***Alleluia Verses:***

*Go forth, prosper and reign, for the sake of meekness, righteousness and truth!*

*For Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest iniquity.*

**G**ospel: (*Luke 18:10-14*) Jesus told this parable, <sup>10</sup>“Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. <sup>11</sup>The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, ‘God, I thank You that I am not like other men—extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this tax collector. <sup>12</sup>I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I possess.’ <sup>13</sup>And the tax collector, standing afar off, would not so much as raise *his* eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, ‘God, be merciful to me a sinner!’ <sup>14</sup>I tell you, this man went down to his house justified *rather* than the other; for everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.”

## Upcoming Services & Events

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

**Fast Free Week! Monday, Feb 22 - Friday, Feb 26**

**Feb 22, Mon:** Annual Meeting reports DUE!

**Feb 23, Tue:** OCA Online Church School – 7pm

**Feb 24, Wed:** TIM Board Mtg – 11am; Virtual Pan-Orthodox Bible Study  
(Mark) - noon; **Vespers – 6:30pm**; Virtual Bible Study (Romans) - 7:30pm

**Feb 27, Sat: Vespers - 5pm**; Confession, following

**Feb 28, Sun: Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy (Last names S-Z) - 9:30am;**  
**Litiya 40th Day + M. AP Daniel Ressetar & 2 year + Andrew Fedetz –**  
following Open House –11am; Orthodoxy 101 –12:15pm; Youth Group –  
4pm



## Parish News

**Annual Meeting:** Our Annual Parish Meeting date has changed to **Sat. March 6th @3pm**. Limited agenda; a second meeting to be held later in the year when we gather more fully. **Note:** Please send reports to bhlenker@gmail.com by **Mon, Feb 22nd**. *Thank you*

**St. Jerome Book Club:** Will meet TODAY at 1:30pm (via Zoom—see parish email for the link). We are currently reading "**The Orthodox Way**" by Met. Kallistos Ware. Please visit [ancientfaith.com](http://ancientfaith.com) to purchase. If you have any questions contact **Joe McClure** [jmclure59@yahoo.com](mailto:jmclure59@yahoo.com).

**Souper Bowl of Caring:** *Thank you* to all who supported our youth group collection these past two weeks benefitting **Paxton Ministries**. With your generous support we raised a "record-breaking" **\$1,600** to bless their ministry!!!

## Parish Prayer List

*Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.*

**NEWLY DEPARTED [40<sup>TH</sup> DAY]:** Basil "Bill" Kantor – Feb 16 [3/27]; Ruby Barnard (Ethan Mandel's grandmother) Feb 17 [3/28]; Ap. John Chupeck (Nick Somple's uncle) - Feb 10 [3/21]; Thomas Collins (cousin of Paul Hadginske) - Feb 8 [3/19]; Protopresbyter Daniel Hubiak - Feb 5 [3/16]; Robin Strauser (Shirley Charlock's daughter) - Feb 2 [3/13]; JoAnn Demchak (Sue's sister-in-law) - Jan 31 [3/11]; Mary Ann Varhula (cousin of Paul Hadginske) - Jan 23 [3/3]; Mitred Ap. Daniel Ressetar - Jan 20 [2/28];

**ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED:** Milina Cioban, Feb 21 – 37<sup>th</sup>; Anthony Hancher Sr., father of +Ron Sr., Feb 22 – 54<sup>th</sup>; Millie Klipa, aunt of the Klipa's, Feb 22 – 21<sup>st</sup>; Dorothy Smith, great-grandmother of Zach Bare, - Feb 23 – 1<sup>st</sup>; Anna Misceovich, baba of the Klipa's – Feb 24 – 28<sup>th</sup>; Caroline Ressetar, sister-in-law of +Fr. Dan, Feb 24 -28<sup>th</sup>; Albert Dietrich, cousin-in-law of +Fr. Dan R., Feb 24 -8<sup>th</sup>; Christine Brunswick, sister-in-law of Cathi Kemp, Feb 24 – 8<sup>th</sup>; Julia Sincebaugh, aunt of +Barbara Norato, Feb 24 – 5<sup>th</sup>; Miles Belic, Sr., uncle of the Klipa's, Feb 25 – 14<sup>th</sup>; Mary Hancher, mother of +Ron Sr., Feb 25 – 25<sup>th</sup>; Michael Bushko, brother-in-law of Dotty Fedetz, Feb 25 -11<sup>th</sup>; Theodore Bacha, brother of Lydia Mantle & Cathi Kemp, Feb 25 – 12<sup>th</sup>; Mark Demchak, nephew of Suzanne, Feb 25 – 7<sup>th</sup>; Olga Angelo, sister of Elizabeth Hancher, Feb 26 – 3<sup>rd</sup>; Samuel Telech, father of Ann Cole, Feb 27 – 24<sup>th</sup>; Josephine Krempasky, wife of +George, Feb 27 -28<sup>th</sup>;

**AILING: PARISHIONERS: FAMILY/FRIENDS:** Gary & Peggy (cousin & friend of Donna Bretz); Barry (Sbdn. Andrew's co-worker); Shirley (L. Pawlush's mother); Joe (friend of E. McGreevy); Sandy, Hailey, & Kelly (friends of Di-Florio's); Ronald; Joseph (nephew of L. Hancher); Gary & Paul (friends of the Lenker's); Ruth (T. McMahons sister-in-law); 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); 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. Sharon's mother); Ap. Michael & M. Valeria Hatrak; David (L. Mantle & C. Kemps brother); Jeanette (daughter of E. Onufer); Jacob (brother of Pat Drebot); Connie, Charlie, Carol & Connie (friends of Mallick's); Wendy (M. Deamer's mother); Janet (friend of D. Fedetz); Kim & Mona (sisters of Ab.

Mark); **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); **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; 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); **Shari, Norman, Darrell, Justo, Alexa, Thomas, Leida, Jesus, Marsha, Alexander, Anastasia, Deanna, John, Brian, Timothy, Jessica, Saulo, Theodore, & Tanya**, (Lopez friends & family); **Juanita, Terry, Morgan, & Sara**, (Hisiro's family); **Joseph & Louise** (S Demchak's brother & sister-in-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:** Emma Heimbaugh; Tony Onufer; Ita (Stephanie) Snyder; Rdr. Matthew (Chet) & Mary (Nora) Lubecki; M. Theodora Ressetar; Dorothy Fedetz; Cathi Kemp; Richard & Sandy Wood; Natalie Treece; John "Jack" Sweikert; Loretta Ivanoff; 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; 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; Millicent Russell; **EXPECTANT MOTHER(S):** Genevieve (Jennifer) Knox; Matrona (Stephanie) Koseyan; Lara (Haluszczak) Galis; Jessica (Agnes) Priestley; Suzanne Kordsemer; 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 Hat-

alowich, Paige Hisiro; Shawn Jacob; Vladimer Kellachow; Sammy, & Salina Kidane; Alexander & Drake Lamb; Joseph Martin, Evan & Johnna McGreevy, Kayli (Kaliopé) Mikita; Timothy Monko, Otilia Murariu, Nicole & Shane Staller, Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; **MILITARY:** Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Deb (sister of Donna Bretz); Kiki, Maria & Theodore (Dn. Peter's friend); Michael & Shannon (son & daughter-in-law of the Henry's); Elaine (Rdr. Leo & Garnice's daughter); Ethan, Mitch, Rob, Jody, Jackie, & Bruce (family & friends of the Mallick's); Joan (friend of the Zart's); 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); Dottie Sysak; 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); Alexandra; Masha, Ethan & Wesley (M. Cameron's family/friend); Pauline (friend of E. Bare); Nancy & family (Snyder's friends); Priest Demetrius Nicoloudakis, Megan, Jacob & family, Georgia, 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:** (St. Vladimir's) Dn. John & M. Alexandra Black - Evyn, Lydia, Joshua, & Noah (St. Tikhon's) Rdr. Thomas & Lydia Given - Magdalena & Dominic; **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*

**BIRTHDAYS:** Kara Henry - Feb 21; Sheena Hisiro - Feb 22; Nicole Staller - Feb 22; Tenley Jo Zeppuhar - Feb 23; Rachel Reba – Feb 23; Jennifer Knox – Feb 24; Addy Knox - Feb 24; Margaret Rodak – Feb 24; Kathryn Kellachow-Feb 24; Gabrielle Yerke – Feb 27;

## *Candle Offerings*

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

**2** *Decorated Candles* are offered in Memory of **Sam Telech**, father of Ann Cole on the 24<sup>th</sup> year of departing this life

**7** *Day Votive* is offered in Memory of **Anthony & Mary Hancher Sr., Anthony Hancher Jr., Mary "Mamie" Hancher & Olga Angelo**, in-laws and sister of Libby Hancher



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