



Christ ^{the} Saviour Orthodox Church

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Our "Why" - To experience and share Christ's love so that everyone we encounter finds healing, purpose, and eternal life.

If it is possible, as much as depends on you,
live peaceably with all men. *Romans 12:18*

Sunday April 9, 2023

ENTRY OF OUR LORD INTO JERUSALEM. Palm Sunday. Martyr Eupsychi-
us of Cæsarea in Cappadocia. Martyrs Desan, Mariabus, Abdiesus, and
270 others in Persia. Monastic Martyr Bademus of Persia.

Schedule: ∞ **Hours – 8:45am; Chrismation – 9:10am; Divine Liturgy
with Blessing of palms/willows & procession – 9:30am;** Church School,
Fellowship, & Nut Roll pick up; **Bridegroom Matins – 6:30pm**

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Lydia Mantle w/Zoe Vernak**

6th Hour: **Angie DiFlorio w/Cassandra Zart**

Epistle: Manny Lopez • Post-Communion: Marie Reba

Welcome to our Visitors!

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

Hymns & Readings

First Festal Antiphon: I love the Lord because He has heard, the voice of my supplication.

(Refrain) Through the prayers of the Theotokos, O Saviour, save us!

Because He inclined His ear to me, therefore I will call on Him as long as I live. **R**

The snare of death encompassed me; the pangs of hell laid hold on me. **R**

I suffered distress and anguish, then I called upon the Name of Lord. **R**

I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living. **R**

Glory... now and ever. **R**

Second Festal Antiphon: I kept my faith even when I said: "I am greatly afflicted!"

(Refrain) O Son of God, seated on the colt of an ass, save us who sing to Thee: Alleluia!

What shall I render to the Lord, for all the things He has given me? **R**

I will receive the cup of salvation and call upon the Name of the Lord. **R**

I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all His people. **R**

Glory... now and ever. "Only begotten Son..."

Third Festal Antiphon *(Reader)* O give thanks to the Lord, for He is Good for His Mercy endures forever!

Troparion of Palm Sunday, Tone I — (Refrain) By raising Lazarus from the dead before Thy Passion, Thou didst confirm the universal resurrection, O Christ God. Like the children with the palms of victory, we cry out to Thee, O Vanquisher of death: Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He that comes in the name of the Lord!

Let the house of Israel say: "For He is Good for His Mercy endures forever!"

R

Let the house of Aaron say: "For He is Good for His Mercy endures forever!"

R

Let all those who fear the Lord say: "For He is Good for His Mercy endures forever!" **R**

(Deacon - Introit) Wisdom! Let us attend! Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord! We bless you from the House of Lord! God is the Lord and has revealed Himself to us!

Entrance Hymn, then Troparion as above "By raising Lazarus..."

Glory... **2nd Troparion of Palm Sunday, Tone IV —** When we were buried with Thee in baptism, O Christ God, we were made worthy of eternal life by Thy Resurrection. Now we praise Thee and sing: Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He that comes in the name of the Lord!

Now and ever... **Kontakion of the Palm Sunday, Tone VI —** Sitting on Thy throne in heaven, carried on a foal on earth, O Christ God, accept the praise of angels and the songs of children who sing: Blessed is He who comes to recall Adam.

Prokeimenon & Readings

Tone 4: Blessed is He that comes in the name of the Lord! God is the Lord and has revealed Himself to us!

Verse: O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His mercy endures forever!

Epistle: (*Philippians 4:4-9*) *Brethren*, Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice! ⁵Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord *is* at hand. ⁶Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; ⁷and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. ⁸Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things *are* noble, whatever things *are* just, whatever things *are* pure, whatever things *are* lovely, whatever things *are* of good report, if *there is* any virtue and if *there is* anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things. ⁹The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.

Alleluia Verses:

O sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things!
All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

Gospel: (*John 12:1-18*) *At that time*, six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was, who had been dead, whom He had raised from the dead. ²There they made Him a supper; and Martha served, but Lazarus was one of those who sat at the table with Him. ³Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil. ⁴But one of His disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's *son*, who would betray Him, said, ⁵"Why was this fragrant oil not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" ⁶This he said, not that he cared for the poor, but because he was a thief, and had the money box; and he used to take what was put in it. ⁷But Jesus said, "Let her alone; she has kept this for the day of My burial." ⁸For the poor you have with you always, but Me you do not have always." ⁹Now a great many of the Jews knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. ¹⁰But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, ¹¹because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus. ¹²The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, ¹³took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: "Hosanna! 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD! The King of Israel!'" ¹⁴Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written: ¹⁵"Fear not, daughter of Zion; Behold, your King is coming, Sitting on a donkey's colt." ¹⁶His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and *that* they had done these things to Him. ¹⁷Therefore the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of his tomb and raised him from the dead, bore witness. ¹⁸For this reason the people also met Him, because they heard that He had done this sign.

Upcoming Services & Events

April 10, HOLY MONDAY: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 8:30am; Bridegroom Matins – 6:30pm

April 11, HOLY TUESDAY: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 8:30am; Bridegroom Matins – 6:30pm Welcome Ab. Mark

April 12, HOLY WEDNESDAY: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 8:30am Welcome Ab. Mark; **Sacrament of Holy Unction – 6:30pm**

April 13, HOLY THURSDAY. Vespereal Liturgy – 8:30am Institution of the Eucharist; Lenten Pot luck; **Passion Gospels – 6:30pm**; Grave set up –following

April 14, HOLY FRIDAY: Royal Hours – 8:30am; Burial Vespers & Matins w/ Procession – 6:30pm; Grave watch begins.

April 15, HOLY SATURDAY: Vespereal Liturgy, 15 OT Readings, & Chrismations (Will & Dana Kenny) – 8:30am Fellowship and Pascha Prep, following; **Reading of the Acts –9pm; Nocturns –10pm; Pascal Matins & Divine Liturgy – 10:30am; Basket Blessings**

Epistle: Rdr. Matthew Lubecki • Post-Communion: Christ is Risen!

April 16, Sun: PASCHA, RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST. Agape Vespers – 3pm with the Gospel in many languages; Parish Family Potluck Picnic

Parish News

Parking Reminder: For those who are physically able, **please consider parking at the dentist office** on Sun to help alleviate congestion in our lots.

Pick-Up Dates for Nut Rolls & Bread: Nut Rolls & Pascha Breads will be available for pick after Liturgy today.

15 OT Readings (Youth): Seeking youth volunteers to read the at Vespereal Liturgy on Holy Saturday (April 15). Please encourage your children to participate and help pave the way to Pascha! Questions? Ask your child's teacher.

Grave Watch Vigil: Please see the parish email to sign up for 1 hour slots available to pray the Psalter & keep watch over the Tomb of Christ!

Pascha Decorated Candles: The sign up list is in the vestibule. **\$12 each.** You may also email the office for your request

Pascha Egg Volunteers Needed: 12 families need to dye 2 doz. each. Dye & instruction packets are on the candle desk.

- Please be sure to **sign your packet out.**
- **Bring to church by Holy Saturday Liturgy (April 15 at 8:30am)** so they can be assembled after Liturgy.

St. Jerome Book Club: Sun, April 23 @ 1:30pm to discuss "Toolkit for Spiritual Growth" by Fr. Armatas & it's available in the parish bookstore

Lunch Bunch: Thurs, April 27 @ 12:30pm at Copper Pub & Grill 580 N. Mountain Rd 17112. Please RSVP Kathy Pankiw . If you need a ride or can give a ride, just contact Kathy P. Hope to see you there!

Rebuilding Together: Sat, April 29 from 8am to 3pm. See parish email for details and to sign-up! Please visit <http://rtgh.org/> to learn more.

St. Tikhon Seminary Mission Choir: Sun, April 30. We will be taking an offering that Sunday to support the ministry of the Seminary; or you can give online from now until Sun, May 7 via our online giving system.

Trivia Night: Tue, May 2nd @ 7pm, a social will be at 6:30pm. Questions? See or call Jay or Sheri Africa 717-566-3691.

Special Presentation "Christian Kingship": *The Rite of Coronation of the UK's Monarch.* Offered by Rdr. Christopher will be held on **Thu, May 4 @ 7pm** with a social @ 6:30pm. All are welcome!

Grave Blessings: Sun, May 7. Churchville @1:30pm; Baldwin @2:30pm & Fr. Indiantown Gap @ 3:45pm. All others by appointment & please contact Fr. Stephen pastor@ctshbg.org

7th Annual OCCGH Golf Tournament: Sat, July 8 with registration at 7:30am. 4 person Scramble Play is \$300 per team. All golfers need to pre-register by July 6. Questions or if you would like to be a sponsor, contact Carl Hisiro

SAVE the DATE: 60th anniversary celebration will be held on Sat, Oct 28

Fellowship Hour: The Men's Club will host Fellowship through out Great Lent. All proceeds will go to various non-profit organizations

Fellowship Teams: The Fellowship schedule for May-Sept is currently being set. If you have a team of 4 families who'd like to be scheduled together, please let Christine Velott know

Parish Prayer List

Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.

NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: Michael Drozd (father of Bob) – April 1 [5/10]; Joseph Challenger (Marie Reba's family) - April 1 [5/10]; Hollis Presnell - March 24 [5/2]; Shirley Shafer (friend of Dotty Fedetz) - March 2023; Fr. Srboljub Jockovic – March 13 [4/21]; Norman Vaughan (friend of Josh DiFlorio) - Mar 8 [4/16]; James Kuchwara (cousin of Kathy) - March 4 [4/12]; Fred Essis - March 3 [4/11];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Protodeacon Basil Hubiak, brother of +M. Olga Kovach, Apr 9 -21st; Archbishop MYRON, Apr 10 – 13th; Nasra S. Shunnara, Apr 10 – 49th; Archbishop Iakovos, Apr 10 – 18th; Melania Koste, M. Anastasia Hojnicky's grandmother, Apr 10 -14th; Michael Kuchta, Bill's godfather, Apr 11 – 50th; Vera Radanovic, godmother of John & Jean Dotsey, Apr 11 – 8th; Jose Carillo Elivira, father of Mariana Cruz, Apr 12 – 46th; Jean Leer, mother of Rdr. Leo, - Apr 14 – 13th; Archbishop GREGORY, Apr 15 – 15th; Martha Branchak, aunt of +Andy Fedetz, Apr 15 -11th;

AILING: PARISHIONERS: Millicent Russell; **FAMILY/FRIENDS:** Carl (brother of S. Demchak); Isabella; Irene (sister of P. Hadginske); Tanya (niece of K. Kuchwara); Christine Perrin; Melanie & Alex (friend & uncle of C. Yerke);

Melvin, Cathy (D. Martins brother & niece); **Alexandra, Charles, Tamara** (B. Kuchta's family); **Daniel** (brother of C. Neumann); **Roger** (friend of C. Kemp & B. Cain); **Bp. Matthias Moriak; Adley** (child of N. Somple's friend); **Maggie & Dick** (friends of the Klipa's); **Aiden** (nephew of S. Hanna); **Robin** (son-in-law of E. Files); **Fred** (cousin of the Kormushoff's); **Jerry "David" & Dennie** (friend & stepson of B. Keener); **Maria** (friend of the Cain's); **Grace** (D. Fedetz sister-in-law); **Tom** (friend of D. Bupp & Kushlans); **M. Olga Klembara** (Larissa & Anita's aunt); **Carolyn** (friend of C. Kemp); **Charles, Sophia, & Ana** (family & friends of C. Dardaris); **Joan, Kim, & Gary** (friends of the J. & A. Cole); **Daria** (friend of the Dotsey & Klipa families); **Hannes & Anne** (family of R. Rieck); **Andrea** (I. Arahavos's mother); **Elaine** (sister of S. Africa); **Pastor Charles, Mary, Peter, & Edwin**, (family & friends of the Leer's); **Anu, Steve, & Barry** (Hisiro family & friends); **Elle** (friend of J. McGreevy); **John** (brother of J. Krut); **Pam, Dan & Nina** (friends of D. Bupp); **Colton & Gary** (cousins of Donna Bretz); **Alexsya & Cassie** (family & friend of E. Herman); **Igumen David (Lewis); Neal** (D. Pawlush's brother); **James** (brother of M. Koviloff); **Grace, Karen, Lois, & Rich** (J. Mamay's sisters & friends); **Joan Therese & Dori** (mother & niece of N. Lubecki & J. Lewis); **Lynn** (Himes daughter-in-law); **Kristin & Abe** (family & friend of Dn. Peter); **Shirley** (L. Pawlush's mother); **Sandy, Hailey, & Kelly** (friends of DiFlorio's); **child Joshua; M. Lisa Weremedic** (wife of Fr. James); **Janice & Emil** (J. Zuro & G. Leer's aunt & uncle); **child Fynn; Kay, Richard, & Anya** (aunt & friends of K. Leader); **Patty** (friend of K. Pankiw); **Mitchel** (Jean Dotsey's nephew); **Linda** (M. Sharon's mother); **Ap. Michael & M. Valeria Hatrak; Jacob** (brother of Pat Drebot); **Connie, Charlie, & Shirley** (family & friends of Mallick's); **Wendy** (M. Deamer's mother);); **Kim & Mona** (sisters of Ab. Mark); **Mary** (mother of S. Kellachow); **Mary & Nicholas** (family & friends of the Kuchta's); **Victoria, Erin & David** (friends of L. Smith); **Flora** (T. Gault's mother); **Vera** (Ressetar's family); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **Mike, Jessica's & their families; Jonathan, Paul, Adam, Bev, Alynda, Tina, Mark, Jenny, Marilyn, Alicia, Shelby, & Jim** (family & friends of the Kushlans); **Seraphima** (friend of J. Barns); **James, his father, Thelma, Shari, Darrell, Justo, Alexa, Thomas, Leida, Jesus, Marsha, Alexander, Anastasia, John, Brian, Timothy, Jessica, Saulo, Theodore, & Tanya**, (Lopez friends & family);

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, for the suffering people of Ethiopia, Eritrea, Ukraine, Haiti & Afghanistan, especially our citizens & soldiers who are in harms way; **PARISHIONERS:** **Gregory & Candi Ressetar; Sophia Ressetar & Vincent Viggiano; M. Theodora Ressetar; Beth Lenker; Christina Klipa; Nadine Klipa; Gerald Cole; Charlene Dardaris; Johnna; Terry Drebot; Patricia Drebot; Lazarus (Manny) & Samantha Lopez; Frank Bifano; Gail (Brigit); Mary Ellen Osuch; Glenn & Natalie Treece; Suzanne Demchak; Evan M.; Tony Onufer; Ita (Stephanie) Snyder; John "Jack" Sweikert; Joseph Sembrot; Birikit & Han-**

nah Zerat; Jeanne Zane; Teklu & Pazion Ogbamichael; Katherine Kudelko; M. Ap. Daniel & M. Myra Kovalak; Joseph (Moe) & Ruth Mazurek; Lazarus (Jonathan) Dunnavent; Kathryn Kellachow; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES: Rita; Nicholas Demopoulos; Millicent Russell; EXPECTANT MOTHER(S): Danielle Zuro; Sarah Cruz; Myrenie Cruz; Natalie Kennedy; Lisa Fedetz, *and the children to be born of them*; Jessica Priestley *and the child born of her*; ECM Cohort: Emmanuel Maginas (coach) Jaclynn Choma, Symeon Jekel, Sophia Kellachow, Lydia Mantle & Fr. Stephen Vernak; COLLEGE STUDENTS: Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, David, Amelia Demopoulos; Grace & Evelyn Firestine; Jacob Herman; Shawn Jacob; Rdr. Vladimer Kellachow; Megan Kenny; Flimon Kesete; Salina Kidane; Matthew Mikita; Zachary Matthews; Molly Pylypciw; Rachel Reba; John Romain; Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; Jessica Williams MILITARY: Alexander; Valery; Conrad; Shawn; Benjamin; Rdr. Vladimir; Abel; Jacob; Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; Owen Williams FAMILY & FRIENDS: Brittani; Stacy & Mia (B. Keener's friends; Vera, Stan, Joe & Kandi (family & friends of Libby); Tony (K. Hertzler's husband); Ronald; Una; Amy (co-worker of B. Kuchta); Shawn (friend of Dn. Peter); Jean & Robert (aunt & friend of Rdr. Leo); Anne (sister-in-law of R. Rieck); Mitchell, Deborah, Michael, Emily, Ezra (S. Kellachow's family); George, Matthew, Ed & George (family & friend of J. Mamay); Kalei (family of K. Leader); Steve (friend of Johnna M.); Vicki, Ken, Ron, & Scott (friends of the Pankiw's); Jeanette, Scott, Helen, Ethan, Mitch, Rob, Jody, Jackie, & Bruce, (family & friends of the Mallick's); Shirley, Pastora, Kyle, Steve, Joseph & Scott, (friends of the Lenker's); M. Natasha Lazor, Cindy, Linda, & Vera, (friends of M. Myra); Rosalie; David & Dawn (cousins of Chet); Alexandra; Masha, Ethan & Wesley (M. Cameron's family/friend); Nancy & family (Snyder's friends); Ryan, Stacey, Bryan, Curt, Thomas, Andrew, Priest Demetrius Nicoloudakis, Megan, Jacob & family, Georgia, Maria, Blake, Keisha, 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); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, & William (family & friends of J. Barns); MISSIONARIES: Jesse & Juanita Brandow (Guatemala); SEMINARIANS: (St. Tikhon's) Fr. Nathan & M. Katharine Clausen - *Micaiah, Evangeline, Gideon, Zacharias, Ignatius, & Basil*; (St. Vladimir's) Fr. John & M. Alexandra Black Evyn, Lydia, Joshua, & Noah CATECHUMEN(S): John Romain; Joseph Middelkoop; Henry Laskowski; William Kenny; Dana Kenny; Vincent, Natalie, & Annika Kennedy; Gregory Spear; Mariana Cruz; Owen & Jessica Williams



Many Years!

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

Anniversaries: Dn. John Shingara (Ordination) – Apr 15;

Birthdays: Andrea Zart – Apr 10; Bill Dupkanick – Apr 10; Joe McClure – Apr 11; Jerry Cole – Apr 12; Jennifer Lewis – Apr 12; Jennifer Howanetz – Apr 12; Olivia Grace Drozd – Apr 13; Ella Irene Zuro – Apr 14; Kristen Iwancio – Apr 15; Stefan Gewiss – Apr 15;

Newly Chrismated: Jeanne Kormushoff

Candle Offering

To donate, please see a vestryperson



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