

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Week of August 17 - 23, 2008 ❖ 9th Sunday after Pentecost

SCRIPTURE READINGS

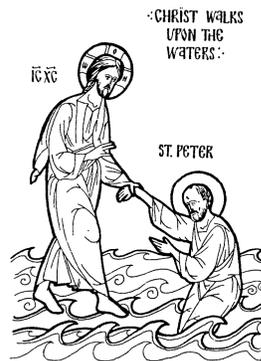
1 Cor. 3:9-17

BRETHREN: For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, you are God's building. According to the grace of God which was given to me, as a wise master builder I have laid the foundation, and another builds on it. But let each one take heed how he builds on it. For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if anyone builds on this foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, each one's work will become clear; for the Day will declare it, because it will be revealed by fire; and the fire will test each one's work, of what sort it is. If anyone's work which he has built on it endures, he will receive a reward. If anyone's work is burned, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire. Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? If anyone defiles the temple of God, God will destroy him. For the temple of God is holy, which temple you are.

Matt. 14:22-34

AT THAT TIME, Jesus made His disciples get into the boat and go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away. And when He had sent the multitudes away, He went up on the mountain by Himself to pray. Now when evening came, He was

alone there. But the boat was now in the middle of the sea, tossed by the waves, for the wind was contrary. Now in the fourth watch of the night Jesus went to them, walking on the sea. And when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out for fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them, saying, "Be of good cheer! It is I; do not be afraid." And Peter answered Him and said, "Lord, if it is You, command me to come to You on the water." So He said, "Come." And when Peter had come down out of the boat, he walked on the water to go to Jesus. But when he saw that the wind was boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink he cried out, saying, "Lord, save me!" And immediately Jesus stretched out His hand and caught him, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. Then those who were in the boat came and worshiped Him, saying, "Truly You are the Son of God." When they had crossed over, they came to the land of Gennesaret.



DAILY READINGS:

Aug 18th

1 Cor. 15:12-19

Matt. 21:18-22

Aug 19th

1 Cor. 15:29-38

Matt. 21:23-27

Aug 20th

1 Cor. 16:4-12

Matt. 21:28-32

Aug 21st

2 Cor. 1:1-7

Matt. 21:43-46

Aug 22nd

2 Cor. 1:12-20

Matt. 22:23-33

Aug 23rd

Rom. 15:30-33

Matt. 17:24-18:4

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, Aug 17th

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Coffee Hour

Monday, Aug 18th

Tuesday, Aug 19th

Wednesday, Aug 20th

Thursday, Aug 21st

Friday, Aug 22nd

Wedding of

Tessa Karabin & John Mah

4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Aug 23rd

Vespers 5:00 p.m. -

Confession

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Aug 17th

Greeter: D & P Bartos

Cleaning: D & P Bartos

Coffee: Skerpan/Lucas/Bartos

Sunday Aug 24th

Greeter: D & P Bartos

Cleaning: D & P Bartos

Coffee: Santoro / Murphy

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,743

YTD: \$ 82,556 [86.1%]

YTD Goal: \$ 95,936

(32wks) [\$2998/wk]



Join today!!

100 PLUS CLUB

Collected: \$ 500

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦**Sisterhood:** Ladies, there will be a meeting TODAY after coffee hour. ALL members please stay to discuss future plans.

♦**Wedding Bans:** This is the third announcement that Tessa Karabin and John Mah will be united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Friday, August 22, 2008.

♦**"Row to Middletown"** Juliana Dresko will participate in this 17 mile row from Hartford to Middletown. Rowers ask for sponsors in order to fundraise money to be used at the boathouse for supplies, maintenance, and after school inner city student programs. She is asking for \$17 (a dollar per mile) pledge from anyone who would like to be a sponsor. Of course any amount, smaller or larger, would be appreciated. Donations are due by August 19th and the actual event takes place August 23rd.



"For the sick and suffering"

Olga Skotnicki Mary Glowacki
Vera Luzetti Nona Belomyzy
Tatiana Kowar Diane Polzun
— in need of our prayers:

Lydia Dorsey

Peter Roshak (son of Fr. Michael Roshak,
Three Saints, Ansonia)

Archpriest Nicholas Timpko
(recovery - knee surgery)

Archpriest William DuBovik
(All Saints, Hartford)

Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS -
Johnstown, PA)

Protodeacon Simeon Kopcha (Father of
Mat. Melanie Koles)

Mat. Barbara Sokolov (cancer - SF, CA)
child Justin Holmes (Infant friend of
the Bichun's)

Helen Kumor (cancer - Mother-in-law
of Dori Kumor)

Donat Martin (Father-in-law
of Nancy Martin)

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)
Stanley Bartos (Father of David Bartos)

Judy Flood (Sister-in-Law of
Rosemary Delaney)

Joan Anderson (Sister-in-Law of
Rosemary Delaney)
Rosario Sarcia (Father-in-Law of
Kevin Delaney)
Sawa Kokotiuk (Father of Raisa Shafran)
Tatiana Kokotiuk (Mother of
Raisa Shafran)

Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)
Louise Lefebvre (cancer - Friend of
Diane Polzun)
child Timothy Armstrong Jr. (Great-
nephew of Ann Myszka)

Jerrold Everson (Brother-in-law
of Jennie Everson)
Lucille Boynton (Aunt of Maureen
& George Ludko)

Ronald Canciani (cancer - Friend of
Barbara Raymond)
Mary S. Cherpak (Aunt of Evelyn
Cherpak & Beth Bradanini)

William Murphy (Brother-in-law
of Marie Shimchick)
Robert Michael Barber (cancer - Friend of
Diane Dounouk)

Alla Wheeler (cancer - Friend of
Diane Dounouk)
Frank Guba (MS - Ss. Cyril &
Methodius, Terryville)

..... and all those shut-in and in Nursing Homes!

RECENTLY DEPARTED: Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn (8/3) ВЪЧНДА ПАМАТЬ

♦**The August monthly charity** is for the **Special Olympics of Connecticut** which gives athletes, both children and adults, with intellectual disabilities opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy, and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families and other Special Olympians. The collection will be taken on the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!



♦**Parish Council:** The council's next meeting will be Monday, August 25th at 7:00 p.m. ALL council members are asked to be in attendance.

♦**Greeters and cleaners:** Thanks to all who have volunteered during this

year!! We still need a Greeter a Cleaner for **December**. Your stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated. PLEASE sign-up today!!

♦**Coffee Hour hosts:** We are down to 3 open Sundays for the 2008 Coffee Hour List. See updated list on bulletin board and let Dave or Phyllis Bartos know if you can help. We need everyone to sign up for at least one Sunday.



♦**Men's Club Lotto** -
80 Peter Anop

Support the Men's Club
Church Improvement Fund!!

Do you have a number ?

There are open numbers available!! Sign up for your 2008 numbers today.