



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of February 15 - 21, 2015 ❖ Tone 3  
Judgment Sunday ❖ Meatfare Sunday*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### *1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2*

**BREThEREN:** food does not commend us to God; for neither if we eat are we the better, nor if we do not eat are we the worse. But beware lest somehow this liberty of yours become a stumbling block to those who are weak. For if anyone sees you who have knowledge eating in an idol's temple, will not the conscience of him who is weak be emboldened to eat those things offered to idols? And because of your knowledge shall the weak brother perish, for whom Christ died? But when you thus sin against the brethren, and wound their weak conscience, you sin against Christ. Therefore, if food makes my brother stumble, I will never again eat meat, lest I make my brother stumble. Am I not an apostle? Am I not free? Have I not seen Jesus Christ our Lord? Are you not my work in the Lord? If I am not an apostle to others, yet doubtless I am to you. For you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord.

### *Matthew 25:31-46*

**THE LORD SAID:** "When the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then He will sit on the throne of His glory. All the nations will be gathered before Him, and He will separate them one from another, as a shepherd divides his sheep from the goats. And He will set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left.

Then the King will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: 'for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me.' Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink? When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You? Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?' And the King will answer and say to them, 'Amen (Truly), I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.' Then He will also say to those on the left hand, 'Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels: for I was hungry and you gave Me no food; I was thirsty and you gave Me no drink; I was a stranger and you did not take Me in, naked and you did not clothe Me, sick and in prison and you did not visit Me.' Then they also will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to You?' Then He will answer them, saying, 'Amen (Truly), I say to you, as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.' And these will go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

## DAILY READINGS:

**Feb 16th**  
3 John 1:1-15  
Luke 19:29-40; 22:7-39  
**Feb 17th**  
Jude 1:1-10  
Luke 22:39-42, 45:23:1  
**Feb 18th**  
Joel 2:12-26  
Joel 3:12-21  
**Feb 19th**  
Jude 1:11-25  
Luke 23:2-34, 44-56  
**Feb 20th**  
Zech. 8:7-17  
Zech 8:19-23  
**Feb 21st**  
Rom. 14:19-23,16:25-27  
Matt. 6:1-13

## *Weekly Calendar*

Sunday, February 15th  
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.  
Coffee Hour  
**Sisterhood Meatfare Brunch**

Monday, February 16th  
Parish Council mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 21st  
Choir Rehearsal 3:30 p.m.  
Great Vespers 5:00 p.m.  
Confession

Sunday, February 22nd  
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. &  
Forgiveness Vespers  
Coffee Hour

Monday, February 23rd  
Canon of St. Andrew of Crete 6:30

Tuesday, February 24th  
Canon of St. Andrew of Crete 6:30

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday February 15th

Greeter: R. Delaney

Cleaning: Labas / Steffick

Coffee: Sisterhood

Sunday February 22nd

Greeter: R. Delaney

Cleaning: Labas / Steffick

Coffee: Delaney

## Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,208

YTD:\$18,619 **[107.2%]**

YTD Goal:\$ 17,370.00

(6 wks) [\$ 2895.50/wk]



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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦ **Welcome:** To Fr. Sergius Halvorsen who is substituting today!

♦ **Meat Fare Brunch:** TODAY following Divine Liturgy.

♦ **Coffee Hour:** The NEW 2015 Coffee Hour sign-up sheet is posted on the Bulletin Board.



♦ **Parish Council:** The first meeting of the 2014 council will be tomorrow, Monday, February 24th at 7:00 p.m.

♦ **Men's Club Lotto -**

# 82 Cameron Culton

Support the Men's Club  
Special Projects Fund!!

Sign up today!!!

New numbers start February 6th!!!

There are numbers available!

♦ **The February monthly charity collection is for Prudence Crandall Center** for Women. PCC offers comprehensive services to victims of domestic violence. It was established in June of 1973 by a group of women who had a vision of a place for women to meet, share, and support one another and to identify the health, employment and social service needs of area women and empower them to participate in all aspects of community life.

Visit their website at:

## "For the sick and suffering"

Megan Bartos Michael Horbal  
John Steffick

Protopresbyter Thomas Hopko  
Archpriest Paul Lazor

Archpriest Michael Kobloch (chemotherapy  
Alexandria, VA)

Priest Michael Shuster (Holy Trinity Church,  
Spring Hill, FL)

Mat. Susanne Senyo (cancer - Pittsburgh, PA.  
schoolmate of Fr. David)

Mat. Mary Balmer (St Raphael Church,  
Inverness, FL)

Mat. Elizabeth Bacon (Chelsea, MA)

Officer Brett Morgan (NBPB)

Patricia Minitier (cancer - Friend of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Jennifer Akerley (cancer - Friend of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Luba Martins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Kathy Collins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Leslie Nutthall (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Paul Sulich (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Helen Skrobat (Mother of John Skrobat)

Cindy Eastman (Sister of Phyllis Bartos)

Catherine Williamson (Daughter of  
Steve Bradford)

Thomas Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)

Margaret Wallick (Sister of Marion Bichun)

Lovey (Luba) Kovalesky (Friend  
of the Bichun's)

Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)

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

Newly Departed: Deacon David Daumit [Jan 28] (Schoolmate of Fr. David)



[www.prudencecrandall.org/index.htm](http://www.prudencecrandall.org/index.htm)  
Please be generous by using the envelopes provided in our monthly mailing. Collection will be taken NEXT week, the last Sunday of the month.

### ♦ Future Dates:

**Clean Week:** February 23 - 26 Canon of St. Andrew, Mon, Tues, & Thurs, 6:30 p.m.; Presanctified Liturgy, Wed 6:10 p.m. followed by 'Soup & Bread'.

**Sunday of Orthodoxy:** Vespers 6:00 p.m. Sunday, March 1st at Holy Trinity Greek Church, Waterbury.

**Sunday Lenten Vespers - 4:00 p.m.:**  
March 8th - Holy Trinity, Willimantic.  
March 15th - FORCC Vespers - St. Nicholas Antiochian Church, Bridgeport.  
March 22nd - All Saints of America, Salisbury.

March 29th - Holy Unction @ Three Saints, Ansonia.

April 5th - Bridegroom Matins @ Holy Transfiguration, New Haven.

**Annunciation:** 6:10 p.m. Festal Vesperal

Janet Roberts (Friend of Barbara Burrill)  
Adriano Melluzzo (Son-in-law of the Potter's)  
Gregory Savoie (Friend of the Santoro's)  
JoAnn Hensley (stroke - Friend of  
Jennie Everson)

Anita Hall (Friend of Margaret Wagner)  
Patricia Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)  
Ann Ward (Friend of the Polzun's)  
Matthew Murphy (Nephew  
of Marie Shimchick)

Camille Fusco (cancer - Friend of  
Marie Shimchick)

James Fisher (cancer - Friend of  
Marie Shimchick)

child Daniel Hawn (brain cancer - Friend of  
Diane Dounouk)

Bruce McCallum (Parkinson's - Father of  
Rebecca McCallum)

Gloria DeMartino (Grandmother of  
Jen Belonick)

Steven Belonick (Grandfather of  
Daniel Belonick)

Andrew Veek (Grandfather of Brian Veek)

Alexandra Hopko (in-operable tumors -  
Sister of Fr. John Hopko)

Frank Guba (MS - Ss. Cyril &  
Methodius, Terryville)

Jennifer Ganley (MS - Friend of Chris Dresko)

### Captives:

Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John  
of Aleppo, Syria.

Liturgy, Wednesday, March 25th

**Friday, March 27th:** Akathist to the Theotokos 6:30 p.m.

**Saturday, March 28th:** Pre-Pascha Cleaning 8:30 a.m. - ???

**Monday, March 30th:** Parish Council meeting 7:00 p.m.

**Saturday, April 4th:** Lazarus Saturday Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Vigil with Blessing of Palms 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday, April 5th:** Palm Sunday Festal Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

**Holy Week: April 5-11**

**Winter weather: Watch NBC30 or listen to WTIC-AM1030 (or go to their web pages) for announcements concerning service cancellations during this winter.**

### February Finances

Income: \$ 5,564.17  
Expense: \$ 11,806.54  
Exp/Inc: \$ -6,242.37

### Year-to-date Finances

Income: \$ 30,196.20  
Expense: \$ 25,673.72  
Inc/Exp: \$ 4,522.48