



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of January 20 - 26, 2013 ❖ 33rd Sunday after Pentecost
Tone 8 ❖ Venerable Father Euthymius the Great*

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Col. 1:12-18 & Heb. 13:17-21

BRETHREN: giving thanks to the Father who has qualified us to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him. And He is before all things, and in Him all things consist. And He is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence.

BRETHREN: Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive, for they watch out for your souls, as those who must give account. Let them do so with joy and not with grief, for that would be unprofitable for you. Pray for us; for we are confident that we have a good conscience, in all things desiring to live honorably. But I especially urge you to do this, that I may be restored to you the sooner. Now may the God of peace who brought up our Lord Jesus from the dead, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you complete in every good work to do His will, working in you what is well pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Luke 18:35-43 & Luke 6:17-23

AT THAT TIME: as Jesus was coming near

Jericho, that a certain blind man sat by the road begging. And hearing a multitude passing by, he asked what it meant. So they told him that Jesus of Nazareth was passing by. And he cried out, saying, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Then those who went before warned him that he should be quiet; but he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" So Jesus stood still and commanded him to be brought to Him. And when he had come near, He asked him, saying, "What do you want Me to do for you?" He said, "Lord, that I may receive my sight." Then Jesus said to him, "Receive your sight; your faith has made you well." And immediately he received his sight, and followed Him, glorifying God. And all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God.

AT THAT TIME: Jesus came down with them and stood on a level place with a crowd of His disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea and Jerusalem, and from the seacoast of Tyre and Sidon, who came to hear Him and be healed of their diseases, as well as those who were tormented with unclean spirits. And they were healed. And the whole multitude sought to touch Him, for power went out from Him and healed them all. Then He lifted up His eyes toward His disciples, and said: Blessed are you poor, For yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who hunger now, For you shall be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, For you shall laugh. Blessed are you when men hate you, And when they exclude you, And revile you, and cast out **your name as evil**, For the Son of Man's sake. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy! For indeed your reward is great in heaven, For in like manner their fathers did to the prophets.

DAILY READINGS:

Jan 21st
Heb. 3:5-11; 3:17-19
Luke 20:27-44

Jan 22nd
Heb. 4:1-13
Luke 21:12-19

Jan 23rd
Heb. 5:11-6:8
Luke 21:5-7,10-11,20-24

Jan 24th
Heb. 7:1-6
Luke 21:28-33

Jan 25th
Heb. 7:18-25
Luke 21:37-22:8

Jan 26th
Eph. 2:11-13
Luke 13:18-29

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, January 20th
Church School 8:30 a.m.
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour -
Sisterhood & Men's Club
Annual meetings

Saturday, January 26th
Great Vespers 5:00 p.m.
GENERAL CONFESSION

Sunday, January 27th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour -
Annual Parish Meeting

Thursday, January 31st
Finance Committee meeting
7:00 p.m.

Friday, February 1st
Festal Great Vespers w/Litya
6:30 p.m.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday January 20th

Greeter: ? ? ?

Cleaning: Myszka

Coffee: Burrill

Sunday January 27th

Greeter: ? ? ?

Cleaning: Myszka

Coffee: PARISH COUNCIL

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,678

YTD:\$ 6,782 [117.3%]

YTD Goal:\$ 5,781.00

(2 wks) [\$ 2890.50/wk]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆Sisterhood & Men's Club:

Annual Meetings for both with election of officers will take place after coffee hour today.

◆**Annual Parish Meeting:** The annual gathering of the entire parish in council will be held NEXT Sunday, January 27th following Divine Liturgy & coffee hour. EVERYONE who is qualified as a "voting member" is asked to make every effort to attend. We have a number of important items to discuss and approve, so everyone's participation is needed!

◆**Greeters: Greeters List** for the first half of 2013 is available for your participation. **WE HAVE NO ONE FOR JANUARY.**

◆**Coffee Hour:** The NEW 2013 Coffee Hour sign-up sheet is posted on the Bulletin Board. PLEASE put your name on the list!!!

◆**The January monthly charity collection** is for "Warm the Children". Warm The Children is a program whose mission is to provide new



"For the sick and suffering"

Megan Bartos
Leonid Matyschysk
Alla Hamisevich
Eugenia "Jennie" Pich
Nona Belomyzy

Archpriest Paul Lazor
Archpriest Ernesto Rios (Port St. Lucie, FL)
Archpriest William DuBovik (All Saints, Hartford)

Mat. Kimberly Donovan (recovery:brain surgery - Holy Trinity, Springfield, VT)

Pam (Paraskeva) Parsons (stroke - PC President & Choir Director; Ss P&P, Springfield, MA)

Edward Skotnicki (stroke - Husband of Olga Skotnicki)

child Timothy Armstrong Jr. (Great-nephew of Ann Myszka)

Patricia Minitier (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Jennifer Akerley (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Robin Prince (Cousin of John Delaney)

Helen Skrobat (Mother of John Skrobat)

Sonya Bartos (Mother of David Bartos)

Jean O'keefe (Friend of Ewa Zagorska)

Faith O'keefe (Friend of Ewa Zagorska)

child Dalton Deack (Friend of Ewa Zagorska)

Halina Kretowska (Mother of Ewa Zagorska)

Christine Stoj (Friend of the Bichun's)

Thomas Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)

child Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)

Haralamvos Vrakas (Husband of Anne-Christine Vrakas)

Lorraine Lynch (Mother-in-law of Peter Anop)

Janet Roberts (Friend of Barbara Burrill)

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

Newly

Preist Jacob Myers [Jan 16] (Atlanta, GA)

Departed:

Rose Vukotich [Jan 5] (Grandmother of Dr. Tessa Balach)

ВЪЧНАА ПАМАТЬ

warm winter clothing for children of needy families. The collection will be taken on the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!

◆Men's Club Lotto -

85 Patricia Pagani

Support the Men's Club
Special Projects Fund!!

Sign up today!!!

NEW Lotto begins in February!

See a Men's Club Officers to renew or add new numbers!

◆Future Dates:

Meeting of the Lord: Friday, February 1st, 6:30 p.m. for Festal Vigil & Saturday, February 2nd, 9:00 a.m. for Festal Divine Liturgy & Blessing of Candles.

Krista Nordmark (cancer - Friend of Laura Burrill)

Olga Kuscok (Sister of Stella Liwen)

James Kuscok (cancer - Nephew of Stella Liwen) child Isabelle Negron (Friend of Larissa Rembiss)

Raymond Bargielski (cancer - Friend of Nelson & Arlene Potter)

David Hull (cancer - Physician of Arlene Potter)

JoAnn Hensley (stroke - Friend of Jennie Everson)

Dorothy Ludko (Friend of Barbara Raymond)

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

John Ludko (stroke- Brother of George Ludko)

Louise Shimchick (recovery from surgery - Aunt of Marie Shimchick)

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

Ronald Schmitt (stroke - Friend of Jennie Everson & Paul Culton)

Steven Belonick (Grandfather of Daniel Belonick)

Ann Belonick (Grandmother of Daniel Belonick)

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

Tatiana Leardi (Friend of the Koles - Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Terryville)

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

Donna Kriniske (recovery from brain surgery - Cousin of Matushka Melanie)

Sue Spadjinske (lung cancer - Colleague of Chris Dresko)

Lisa Baker (breast cancer -Wife of Brian Baker)

Saturday, February 2nd, 2:00 p.m. -

Baptism of Matthew Dresko.

Saturday, February 9th, 10:00 a.m. -

Baptism of Tenley Morrison.

Sunday, February 10th - Blessing of new Parish Council, Sisterhood & Men's Club Officers.

Monday, February 25th, 7:00 p.m. - Parish Council meeting.

January Finances

Income: \$ 16,975.80

Expense: \$ 15,255.97

Inc/Exp: \$ 1,719.83

2012 Year to Date

Income: \$ 149,133.11

Expense: \$ 170,148.33

Exp/Inc: \$ -21,015.22