



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of June 24 - 30, 2012 ❖ Tone 2 ❖ 3rd Sunday after Pentecost
Nativity of the Holy, Glorious Prophet, Forerunner & Baptist John*

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Romans 5:1-10 & Romans 13:11-14:4
(Forerunner)

BRETHREN: Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God. And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope. Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us. For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him. For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

BRETHREN: do this, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep; for now our salvation is nearer than when we first believed. The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light. Let us walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy. But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill its lusts. Receive one who is weak in the faith, but not to disputes over doubtful things. For one believes he may eat all things, but he who is weak eats only

vegetables. Let not him who eats despise him who does not eat, and let not him who does not eat judge him who eats; for God has received him. Who are you to judge another's servant? To his own master he stands or falls. Indeed, he will be made to stand, for God is able to make him stand.

Matt. 6:22-33

THE LORD SAID: The lamp of the body is the eye. If therefore your eye is good, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in you is darkness, how great is that darkness! No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be loyal to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. Therefore I say to you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink; nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air, for they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? Which of you by worrying can add one cubit to his stature? So why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin; and yet I say to you that even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, "What shall we eat?" or "What shall we drink?" or "What shall we wear?" For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

& Luke 1:1-25, 57-68, 76, 80 (Forerunner)

DAILY READINGS:

June 25th
Rom. 9:18-33
Matt. 11:2-15
June 26th
Rom. 10:11-11:2
Matt. 11:16-20
June 27th
Rom. 11:2-12
Matt. 11:20-26
June 28th
Rom. 11:13-24
Matt. 11:27-30
June 29th
Rom. 11:25-36
Matt. 12:1-8
June 30th
Rom. 6:11-17
Matt. 8:14-23

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 24th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour - Study Group

Monday, June 25th
Parish Council mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 27th
Visitation: Ledgecrest 9:30 a.m. & St. Lucian's 11:00 am

Thursday, June 28th
Festal Vesperal Liturgy 6:00 p.m. at Ss. Peter & Paul Church, Meriden, CT

Friday, June 29th
Akathist followed by a picnic 5:30 p.m. at Ss. Peter & Paul Church, Meriden, CT

Saturday, June 30th
Great Vespers 5:00 p.m.
Confession

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday June 24th	Sunday July 1st
Greeter: A & D Polzun	Greeter: ? ? ?
Cleaning: Dilger/Everson	Cleaning: Bartos
Coffee: Bartos	Coffee: Myszka

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 1,238
YTD:\$ 61,882 [83.7%]
YTD Goal:\$ 73,925.00
(25 wks) [\$ 2957.00/wk]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆ **Parish Education:** The Study Group will meet TODAY following coffee hour and then we will take a summer break.

◆ **The June monthly charity collection** is for **St. Spyridon Orthodox Mission, Trujillo Alto, PR.** St. Spyridon's Orthodox Church is a Pan-Orthodox Church. Our multi-ethnic community includes Greeks, Russians, Serbians, Bulgarians, Americans, Moldavians, and Puerto Ricans. The collection will be taken TODAY the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!

◆ **Coffee Hour:** Please take a look at the second half of 2012, there are many open dates just waiting for your name! Thank you!



◆ **Cleaners & Greeters:** Cleaners, by weeks, for **June through August** is posted on the bulletin board. PLEASE sign-up today. Thank you to everyone who has taken the time to beautify OUR church! Greeters List for the second half of 2012 is also available for your participation. We have **NO Greeter** for July!

"For the sick and suffering"

Megan Bartos Paul Sachok
Alla Hamisevich Ruth Lucas
Eugenia "Jennie" Pich Helen Roberts
Dorothy Kowar

Archpriest Paul Lazor (recover from surgery)
Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS - All Saints,
Johnstown, PA)

Archpriest William DuBovik (All Saints,
Hartford)

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

Michael Myszka (recovering from surgery -
Brother of Mark Myszka)

Vincent MacKenzie (cancer - Friend of
Rosemary Delaney)

David Flood (Brother-in-law of
Rosemary Delaney)

Patricia Minter (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)

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)

Charles Casciotta (Friend of the Bichun's)

child Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)

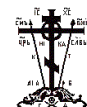
Thomas Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)

Robert Vrakas (Husband of
Anne-Christine Vrakas)

Krista Nordmark (cancer - Friend of
Laura Burrill)

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

Newly His Eminence, Metropolitan Constantine [May 21] (Primate of the
Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA)
Departed: Jeffrey Partyka [May 16] (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Anne Tonkowich [May 29] (Inverness, Florida)



◆ **Parish Council:** Meeting tomorrow
June 25th at 7:00 p.m.

◆ **Feast of Ss. Peter & Paul:** Festal Vesp-
eral Liturgy, 6:00 p.m. **Thursday, June
28th** at Meriden for the parish feast and
Friday, June 29th Akathist 5:30 p.m.
followed by a PICNIC!

◆ **Men's Club Lotto -**

64 Kelsey Rembisz

Support the Men's Club
Special Projects Fund!!

There are still open numbers for new
participants or get another number for
additional chances.

◆ **Cards for all occasions:** Baptisms,

Janet Roberts (Friend of Barbara Burrill)
Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)
child Isabelle Negron (Friend of
Larissa Rembisz)

Lorraine Lynch (Mother-in-law of Peter Anop)
Raymond Bargielski (cancer - Friend of
Nelson & Arlene Potter)

Twyla Mah (recover from surgery - Sister in law
of Tessa & John Mah)

David Hull (cancer - Physician of
Arlene Potter)

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

JoAnn Hensley (stroke - Friend of
Jennie Everson)

Dorothy Ludko (Friend of Barbara Raymond)
Avril LaCouer (cancer - Friend of
Marie Shimchick)

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)

Ann Belonick (Grandmother of
Daniel Belonick)

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

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)

Weddings, Get Well, etc,
are located in the narthex
for everyone; a gift of the
Men's Club.



◆ **Future Dates:**

Saturday, July 21st, 4:30 p.m. -

Panikhida on the first Anniversary of
the falling-asleep of Al Rudy.

**Men's Club Rock Cats Baseball - Mon-
day, July 23**

**The Great Feast of the Transfigura-
tion of our Lord:** Festal Great Vespers
with Litya, Sunday, August 5th at 6:30

p.m. Festal Divine Liturgy & Blessing of
Fruit, Monday, August 6th at 9:00 a.m.

**Men's Club Golf Day - Sunday, August
26th, everyone invited!**

**Dormition Fast - Wednesday, August
1st till Wednesday, August 15th.**