



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of March 9 - 15, 2008 ❖ Forgiveness Sunday
40 Holy Martyrs of Sebaste*

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Romans 13:11-14:4

BRETHHEREN: 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.

& Hebrews 12:1-10 (40 Martyrs)

Matthew 6:14-21

THE LORD SAID: If you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses. Moreover, when you fast, do not be like the hypocrites, with a sad countenance. For they disfigure their faces that they may appear to men to be fasting. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. But you, when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face, so that you do not appear to men to be fasting, but to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly. Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

& Matthew 20:1-16 (40 Martyrs)

DAILY READINGS:

March 3rd

Gen. 1:1-13

Prov. 1:1-20

March 4th

Gen. 1:14-23

Prov. 1:20-33

March 5th

Gen. 1:24-2:3

Prov. 2:1-22

March 6th

Gen. 2:4-19

Prov. 3:1-18

March 7th

Gen. 2:20-3:20

Prov. 3:19-3:20

March 8th

2 Tim. 2:1-10

John 15:17-16:2

Weekly Calendar

Sunday March 9th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. and
Forgiveness Vespers -
Coffee Hour

Monday March 10th
Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
6:30 p.m.

Tuesday March 11th
Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
6:30 p.m.

Wednesday March 12th
Presanctified Liturgy 6:00 p.m.
Soup & Bread

Thursday March 13th
Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
6:30 p.m.

Friday March 14th
Panikhida 5:30 p.m.

Saturday March 15th
Baptism of Isabella Salina
10:00 a.m.
Great Vespers **5:00 p.m.**
Confession

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Mar 9th
Greeter: Potter's
Cleaning: J. Dresko
Coffee: Koles & Santoro

Sunday Mar 16th
Greeter: Potter's
Cleaning: J. Dresko
Coffee: Bartos

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 3,981
YTD: \$ 20,096 [74.5%]
YTD Goal: \$ 26,982
(9 wks) [\$2998/wk]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦**Time Change:** Saturday Vespers will now begin at **5:00 p.m.** DST!!

♦**Work Crew:** Calling all painters! Starting on Monday, March 17th we will be painting the downstairs. The hope is to have everything done by Wednesday. The more hands to easier and quicker the job. Thank you

♦**Soup & Bread:** Please see Phyllis or Rosemary to signup for soup and bread to break the fast after Presanctified Liturgy on Wednesdays. The more hands the easier the task.

♦**Confessions during Great Lent:**

Check the calendar for times when Fr. David will be available for confession. Please make your Lenten confession before the end of Great Lent, Friday, April 18th.



♦**Coffee Hour:** Please see Phyllis or David Bartos to add your name to the 2008 calendar to host coffee hour. There are **SEVEN** Sunday open.



“For the sick and suffering ”

Olga Skotnicki Mary Glowacki
Mary Roman Vera Luzetti
Nona Belomyzy Tatiana Kowar

Lillian Maddaluno

— in need of our prayers:

Lydia Dorsey

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

Metropolitan Theodosius

Archpriest Nicholas Timpko
(recovery - knee surgery)

Archpriest William DuBovik
(All Saints, Hartford)

Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS -
Johnstown, PA)

Stephen Tvardzik (grandson of Fr. John
& Pani Pat Duranko)

child Justin Holmes (Infant friend of
the Bichun’s)

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

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)

Stanley Bartos (Father of David Bartos)

Barbara Eastman (back surgery - Mother
of Phyllis Bartos)

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

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

Joan Anderson (Sister-in-Law of
Rosemary Delaney)

Wayne Demske (Cousin of
Rosemary 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)

Lucille Boynton (Aunt of Maureen
& George Ludko)

Douglas Jipping (Brother-in-law of
Barbara Raymond & George Ludko)

Ted Rowland (cancer - Father of a co-
worker of Juliana Koles)

Donna Kriniske (cancer - Cousin of
Mat. Melanie Koles)

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

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

**NEWLY
DEPARTED:**

Elena Deschene (1/31) [Cousin of Ed Bichun]

Barbara Steffick (2/28)



♦**Men’s Club Lotto -**

97 Chris Burrill

Support the Men’s Club
Church Improvement Fund!!

Do you have a number ?
Sign up for your 2008 numbers!

♦**The March monthly charity is the Religious Books for Russia.** For more than twenty-five years RBR has worked together to rebuild the foundation of religious faith in Russia through the enduring gift of books, everything from simple catechisms to serious theological studies. With your help, we have sown the seeds of knowledge and understanding across the vast expanse of the former Soviet Union..



♦**Future Dates to remember:**

Sunday, March 16th - Sunday of Orthodoxy: Deanery Lenten Vespers at Nativity of the Virgin Church, Waterbury, CT 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 18th - Confession: 2:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 23rd - Deanery Lenten Vespers at St. Alexis of Wilkes-Barre Church, Clinton, CT 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 25th - Feast of the Annunciation: Vespers at 6:00 p.m.

Mar 28th & 29th Vareniki Workshop
Friday: 8:00 am Potato Peeling, et al;
Sat: 8:00 am Stuffing & pinching. For orders see Marion Bichun.

Monday, March 31st - Parish Council meeting at 7:00 p.m.