

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of April 24 - 30, 2011 ❖ Bright Week
PASCHA ❖ Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ*

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Acts 1:1-8

In the first book, O Theophilus, I have dealt with all that Jesus began both to do and teach, until the day in which He was taken up, after He through the Holy spirit had given commandments to the apostles whom He had chosen, to whom He also presented Himself alive after His suffering by many infallible proofs, being seen by them during forty days and speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God. And being assembled together with them, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, "which," He said, "you have heard from Me; for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now. Therefore, when they had come together, they asked Him, saying, "Lord, will You at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" And He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has put in His own authority. But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

John 1:1-17

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was

God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made. In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. This man came for a witness, to bear witness of the Light, that all through him might believe. He was not that Light, but was sent to bear witness of that Light. That was the true Light which gives light to every man coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world did not know Him. He came to His own, and His own did not receive Him. But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name: who were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God. And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth. John bore witness of Him and cried out, saying, "This was He of whom I said, 'He who comes after me is preferred before me, for He was before me.'" And of His fullness we have all received, and grace for grace. For the law was given through Moses, but grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.

DAILY READINGS:

April 25th
Acts 1:12-17,21-26
John 1:18-28
April 26th
Acts 2:14-21
Luke 24:12-35
April 27th
Acts 2:22-36
John 1:35-51
April 28th
Acts 2:38-43
John 3:1-15
April 29th
Acts 3:1-8
John 2:12-22
April 30th
Acts 3:11-16
John 3:22-33

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, April 4th
Paschal Vespers 12:00 p.m.
(Noon) Easter Egg Hunt

Monday, April 5th
BRIGHT MONDAY
Paschal Divine Liturgy
& procession 9:00 a.m.
Fast Free Week

Saturday, April 10th
BRIGHT SATURDAY
Vespers 5:00 p.m.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday April 24th

Greeter: Bartos

Cleaning: Santoro/Everson

Coffee: **ΠΑΣΧΑ**

Sunday May 1st

Greeter: R. Delaney

Cleaning: Polzun/Delaney

Coffee: Ahern/Karabin/Mah/

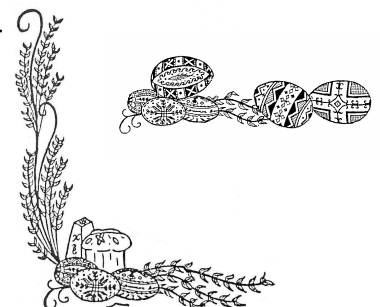
Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,053

YTD:\$ 43,124 [94.0%]

YTD Goal: \$45,884.00

(16 wk) [\$ 2867.75/wk]



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◆CHRIST IS RISEN!

To all who have journeyed through Great Lent with us: We greet you in the joy of the Feast and hope and pray that the Light of the Resurrection shines brightly in your life!

Christ is risen
Χριστός Ἀνέστη
Christos a Inviat
XPICTOC BOCKPECE

PASCHAL GREETINGS

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!
Slavonic: Khristos Voskrese!
Vo Istinu Voskrese!

GREEK: Christos Anesti!
Alithos Anesti!

Arabic: Almasikh Qam!
Haqam Qam!

Albanian: Krishti Ungjal!
Vertet Ungjal!

Romanian: Chritos a Inviat!
Adevarat a Inviat!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆Blessing of Baskets / Meal:

Following the Paschal services everyone is invited to stay and 'break the fast' together from the bounty of our baskets. Let us share the joy of



"For the sick and suffering"

Vladimir 'Jim' Dounouk Vera Luzetti
Irene Prigidich Edward Bichun
Megan Bartos Alexy Rudy
Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS - All Saints, Johnstown, PA)
Archpriest William DuBovik (All Saints, Hartford)
Deacon John Zarras (cancer - Christ the Savior, Southbury)
child Timothy Armstrong Jr. (Great-nephew of Ann Myszka)
Michael Myszka (surgery - Brother of Mark Myszka)
Vincent MacKenzie (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Raymond Radovich (heart attack - Classmate of Rosemary Delaney)
Michael Foligno (congestive heart failure - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Robin Prince (Cousin of John Delaney)
Jody O' Reilly (infection - Skrobat cousin)
Helen Skrobat (recovery for hip surgery - Mother of John Skrobat)
Sonya Bartos (Mother of David Bartos)
Nicholas Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)
child Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)
Sawa Kokotiuk (Father of Raisa Shafran)

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

Newly Departed: Fredrick Howard [March 23] (Grandfather of Amber Fiedler)
Eva Jackson [March 25] (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Arlene Osuch [March 27]
Albert Murr [March 27]

ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ
ΒΟΚΡΕΣΕ!

the Resurrection with our brothers and sisters in Christ! – please join us!!

◆Egg Hunt: The Egg Hunt for the children will follow the Vespers of Pascha today at 12:00 noon.



◆Cemetery Clean-up & visit! Please remove old Christmas flowers and decorations from gravesites. We will be visiting the graves next Sunday, May 1st, around 11:30-

11:45, for the all parish Panikhida following coffee hour.

◆The April monthly charity is for the Visiting Nurse Association of Wallingford, Inc. which is a non-profit Agency providing community health and home care services to the residents of Wallingford and surrounding areas. Please



Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)
Walter Rembisz (Father-in-law of Larissa Rembisz)
child Isabelle Negron (Friend of Larissa Rembisz)
Krista Nordmark (cancer - Friend of Laura Burrill)
Raymond Bargielski (cancer - Friend of Nelson & Arlene Potter)
David Hull (cancer - Physician of Arlene Potter)
child Daniel Hawn (brain cancer - Friend of Diane Dounouk)
Marcia Marsted (Friend of the Bradanini's)
Lorraine Lynch (Mother-in-law of Peter Anop)
JoAnn Hensley (stroke - Friend of Jennie Everson)
Dorothy Ludko (Friend of Barbara Raymond)
Roy Fongemie (Cancer - Friend of Barbara Raymond)
Patricia Heinze (Cancer - Friend of Barbara Raymond)
Bruce McCallum (Father of Rebecca McCallum)
Jen Gowac (pericarditis - Friend of Juliana Koles)
Alexandra Hopko (in-operable tumors - Sister of Fr. John Hopko)
Frank Guba (MS - Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Terryville)
John Dorsey (Husband of Lydia Dorsey)
in need of our prayers:
Lydia Dorsey

use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing for your donations and please be generous!!

◆Men's Club Lotto -
58 Jennie Everson
Support the Men's Club
Church Improvement Fund!!

There are open numbers for new participants or get another number for additional chances. All proceeds will go to the church for renovations!

◆Future Dates:

Monday, May 16th, 7:00 p.m. - Parish Council meeting.

Saturday, May 14th, - OT Bible study @ Christ the Savior, Southbury. See flyer on bulletin board.

Sunday, May 22nd, 2:00 p.m. - Picnic at the Koles.

Sunday, June 12th - PENTECOST

Monday, June 20th - Pre-renovation work crew!!! VERY IMPORTANT