



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of August 7 - 13, 2016 ❖ 7th Sunday after Pentecost
Tone 6 ❖ Afterfeast of the Transfiguration*

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Romans 15:1-7

BRETHREN: We then who are strong ought to bear with the shortcomings of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Let each of us please his neighbor for his good, leading to edification. For even Christ did not please Himself; but as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached You fell on Me." For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope. Now may the God of patience and comfort grant you to be like-minded toward one another, according to Christ Jesus, that you may with one mind and one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore receive one another, just as Christ also received us, to the glory of God.

Matt. 9:27-35

AT THAT TIME: When Jesus was passing, two blind men followed Him, crying out and saying, "Son of David, have mercy on us!" And when He had

come into the house, the blind men came to Him. And Jesus said to them, "Do you believe that I am able to do this?" They said to Him, "Yes, Lord." Then He touched their eyes, saying, "According to your faith let it be to you." And their eyes were opened. And Jesus sternly warned them, saying, "See that no one knows it." But when they had departed, they spread the news about Him in all that country. As they went out, behold, they brought to Him a man, mute and demon-possessed. And when the demon was cast out, the mute spoke. And the multitudes marveled, saying, "It was never seen like this in Israel!" But the Pharisees said, "He casts out demons by the ruler of the demons." Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people.



DAILY READINGS:

Aug 8th

1 Cor. 9:13-18

Matt. 16:1-6

Aug 9th

1 Cor. 10:5-12

Matt. 16:6-12

Aug 10th

1 Cor. 10:12-22

Matt. 16:20-24

Aug 11th

1 Cor. 10:28-11:7

Matt. 16:24-28

Aug 12th

1 Cor. 11:8-22

Matt. 17:10-18

Aug 13th

Rom. 13:1-10

Matt. 12:30-37

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, August 7th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour

Wednesday, August 10th
Orthodoxy 101 @ 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, August 13th
Great Vespers 5:00 p.m.
Confession

Sunday, August 14th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour

Festal Great Vespers & Blessing
of Flowers 6:30 p.m.

Monday, August 15th
DORMITION
Festal Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, August 16th
Men's Club outing at the New
Britain Bees 6:30 p.m.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday August 7

Greeter: Mat. Melanie

Cleaning: Cleaning Committee

Coffee: A. Novikova

Sunday August 14

Greeter: Mat. Melanie

Cleaning: Cleaning Committee

Coffee: Bichun / Hromi

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 1,761

YTD:\$84,056 **[96.1%]**

YTD Goal:\$ 87,482.00

(31 wks) [\$ 2822.00/wk]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦ **FILL THE BAG:** We will be collecting school supplies for the children of our neighborhood. PLEASE check out the flyer and see Matushka Melanie or Gladys Labas to see where you can assist!! All items due by August 14th!



♦ **Men's Club outing:** The Men's Club will be going to the New Britain Bees basball game on Tuesday, August 16th at 6:35 pm. See Paul Culton for tickets!

♦ **Men's Club Golf Day:**

Sunday, August 28th, All golfers, everyone invited! Sign-up sheet available on the bulletin board. Start practicing and making your plans to attend!!



♦ **Greeters List:** For the second half of 2016 is posted on the Bulletin Board. PLEASE add your name to the list and welcome our guests and fellow parishioners.

♦ **Coffee Hour:** The Coffee Hour sign-up sheet is posted on the Bulletin Board. There are a couple of open dates for the second half of the year; November 27 & December 18. PLEASE take a date!!!



♦ **The August monthly charity collection** is for **The Friendship Service Center of New Britain.**

"For the sick and suffering"

Megan Bartos
Nicholas Hamisevicz
Arlene Potter
Catherine Szesztakow
Elizabeth Beck
Nelson Potter
Child Eleanor Parnell

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

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

Gregory Shesko (cancer - Maynard, MA)
John Delaney (Husband of Rosemary Delaney)
Kathy Collins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Paul Sulich (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Leslie Nutthall (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
David Nutthall (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Thomas Kirby (kidney failure - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Edie Simon (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Rosario Sarcia (Father of Leslie Delaney)
Marie Machado (cancer - rehab)
Cindy Eastman (Sister of Phyllis Bartos)
Polly Gunther (Friend of Phyllis Bartos)
Catherine Williamson (Daughter of Steve Bradford)

Michael Labbe (cancer - Friend of Mat. Melanie)
Thomas Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)
child Blake Curtis (surgery - Great-great Nephew of Marion Bichun)

Laura Bashar (Friend of the Bichun's)

Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)
Janet Roberts (Friend of Barbara Burrill)
Marc D'Antonio (Brother of Diane Karabin)
Richard Kusmirek (Friend of the Santoro's)
Daniel Poproski (Nephew of Ellen Santoro)
Kevin Ward (Friend of the Polzun's)
Mary Presta (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Marge Bargielski (cancer - Sister of Potter's Brother-in law)

Anita Hall (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Patricia Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Gerald Mikulske (Father-in-law of Christopher Truhan)

Matthew Murphy (Nephew of Marie Shimchick)
Camille Fusco (cancer - Friend of Marie Shimchick)

James Fisher (cancer - Friend of Marie Shimchick)

William McKinney (cancer - Friend of Diane Dounouk)

Frank Lozis (Brother-in-law of Diane Dounouk)
child Daniel Hawn (brain cancer - Friend of Diane Dounouk)

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.

..... and all those shut-in at home or in Nursing Homes!

NEWLY DEPARTED:

Prdn. Basil Safchuk [July 14] (Salem, MA)
Helen Skrobat [July 2] (Mother of John Skrobat)
Gregory Savoie [July 18] (Friend of the Santoro's)
Olga Blasko [Aug 4] (Cousin of Antoinette Rudy)

ВѢЧНАА ПАМЯТЬ

Our Mission:

The mission of the Friendship Center of New Britain is to provide friendship and direct service to the poor and needy of Central Connecticut, including the ownership and operation of housing for the poor.

Visit their website at:

www.friendshipservicecenter.org

The collection will be taken the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!



♦Future Dates:

Monday, August 15th: THE GREAT FEAST OF THE DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS - Festal "New Britain" Vigil with Blessing of Flowers Sunday, August 14th at 6:30 p.m. and the Festal Divine Liturgy Monday at 9:00 a.m.

Thursday, September 8th: THE GREAT FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF THE THEOTOKOS - Festal Great Vespers Wednesday, Sept. 7th at 5:00 p.m. and Festal Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, New Britain.

♦Men's Club Lotto -

48 Paul Salina

Support the Men's Club
Special Projects Fund!!

Sign up today.

Do you have your number??!

July Finances

Income: \$ 13,000.05
Expense: \$ 14,789.64
Exp/Inc: \$ **-1,789.59**

Year-to-date Finances

Income: \$ 95,813.54
Expense: \$ 94,103.62
Inc/Exp: \$ **1,709.92**