



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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32nd Sunday after Pentecost ❖ Week of Jan. 6 - 12, 2008
Holy Theophany

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7

MY CHILD TITUS: The grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works. But when the kindness and the love of God our Savior toward man appeared, not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Savior, that having been

justified by His grace we should become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Matt. 3:13-17

AT THAT TIME: Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. And John tried to prevent Him, saying, "I need to be baptized by You, and are You coming to me?" But Jesus answered and said to him, "Permit it to be so now, for thus it is fitting for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he allowed Him. When He had been baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting upon Him. And suddenly a voice came from heaven, saying, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."



DAILY READINGS:

Jan 7th
2 Tim. 2:20-26
Luke 19:37-44
Jan 8th
2 Tim. 3:16-4:4
Luke 19:45-48
Jan 9th
2 Tim. 4:9-22
Luke 20:1-8
Jan 10th
Titus 1:5-2:1
Luke 20:9-18
Jan 11th
Titus 1:15-2:10
Luke 20:19-26
Jan 12th
Eph. 1:16-23
Luke 12:32-40

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, Jan 6th
HOLY THEOPHANY
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour

Monday, Jan 7th
HOME BLESSING

Tuesday, Jan 8th
HOME BLESSING

Wednesday, Jan 9th
HOME BLESSING

Thursday, Jan 10th
HOME BLESSING

Friday, Jan 11th
HOME BLESSING

Saturday, Jan 12th
HOME BLESSING
Vespers 4:00 p.m.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Jan 6th
Greeter: M. Koles
Cleaning: Fr. David
Coffee: Bartos'

Sunday Jan 13th
Greeter: M. Koles
Cleaning: Fr. David
Coffee: Dresko's

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 5173
YTD: \$134,860 [84.7%]
YTD Goal: \$ 159,172
(52wks) [\$3061/wk]



100 PLUS CLUB
Collected: \$ 5900

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦The January monthly charity is the International Orthodox Christian Charities. The IOCC is the official international humanitarian organization of the Standing Conference of Canonical Orthodox Bishops in the Americas (SCOBA). Its mandate is to undertake purely humanitarian activities. The collection will be taken on the last Sunday of the month. You may donate early by using the envelope provided in your monthly mailing. PLEASE be generous!!

♦**Home Blessing:** Please check the January newsletter or the bulletin board downstairs for the Home Blessing schedule. Any problems, question or conflicts see Fr. David at coffee hour.

♦**Parish Council:** The December/January Parish Council Meeting will be held on Monday, January 14th at 7:00 p.m.



"For the sick and suffering"

Olga Skotnicki Mary Glowacki
Mary Roman Maria Stregotsky
Vera Luzetti Michael Truhan

Alexy Rudy

— in need of our prayers:

Lydia Dorsey

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

Archpriest Nicholas Timpko (recovery - knee surgery)

Archpriest William DuBovik (All Saints, Hartford)

Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS - Johnstown, PA)

Nicholas Selivonik (Friends of Tania Bouteneff)

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

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

Elena Deschesne (Cousin of Ed Bichun)

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)
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)

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

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

Lucille Boynton (Aunt of Maureen & George Ludko)

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

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

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

RECENTLY DEPARTED: Matrona Aguzzi (12/30)



♦**Greeters and cleaners:** Sign-up sheets for Greeters and Cleaners for 2008 are on the bulletin board. Please sign-up today to help next year. Your stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated.

♦**Coffee Hour:** Please see Phyllis or David Bartos to add your name to the 2008 calendar to host coffee hour. The best thing is to pair-up with someone and sign-up for two or three Sundays. THANK YOU!



♦**Church School:** Church School Parent/Teacher meeting at coffee hour will be next Sunday, January 13th.



♦**ANNUAL PARISH MEETING:** will be held on Sunday, January 27th following Divine Liturgy and coffee

hour. EVERYONE who is qualified as a "voting member" is asked to make every effort to attend.



♦**Men's Club Lotto -**

51 Barbara Burrill

Support the Men's Club Church Improvement Fund!!

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

♦**Weather Alerts:** When the miserable weather hits, check with NBC 30 or WTIC 1080 for changes to the regular schedule or go to our web site and click the links for online information.

