



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of March 27 - April 2, 2011 ❖ Tone 3
3rd Sunday of Great Lent ❖ Veneration of the Holy Cross*

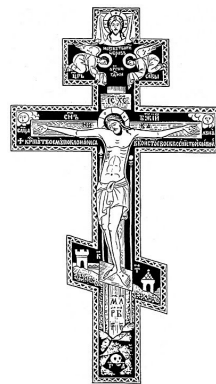
SCRIPTURE READINGS

Heb. 4:14-5:6

BRETHREN: Seeing then that we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need. For every high priest taken from among men is appointed for men in things pertaining to God, that he may offer both gifts and sacrifices for sins. He can have compassion on those who are ignorant and going astray, since he himself is also subject to weakness. Because of this he is required as for the people, so also for himself, to offer sacrifices for sins. And no man takes this honor to himself, but he who is called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not glorify Himself to become High Priest, but it was He who said to Him: "You are My Son, Today I have begotten You." As He also says in another place: "You are a priest forever According to the order of Melchizedek"

Mark 8:34-9:1

THE LORD SAID, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake and the gospel's will save it. For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul? For whoever is ashamed of Me and My words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him the Son of Man also will be ashamed when He comes in the glory of His Father with the holy angels. And He said to them, "Assuredly, I say to you that there are some standing here who will not taste death till they see the kingdom of God present with power."



DAILY READINGS:

March 28th
Gen. 8:21-9:7
Prov. 11:19-12:6
March 29th
Gen. 9:8-17
Prov. 12:8-22
March 30th
Gen. 9:18-10:1
Prov. 12:23-13:9
March 31st
Gen. 10:32-11:9
Prov. 13:19-14:6
April 1st
Gen. 12:1-7
Prov. 14:15-26
April 2nd
Heb. 6:9-12
Mark 7:31-37

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, March 27th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. -
Coffee Hour -
Vespers @ St. Nicholas Antiochian Church, Bridgeport 4:00 p.m.

Monday, March 28th
Parish Council mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 29th
Visitation: Walnut Hill
(for Communion) 9:30 a.m.
Confession 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 30th
Confession 5 - 5:30 p.m.
Presanctified Liturgy 6:00 p.m.
Soup & Bread

Thursday, March 31st
CT Deanery Clergy Lenten Retreat at HTOC

Saturday, April 2nd
Choir Rehearsal 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Confession 4 - 4:30 p.m.
Vespers 5:00 p.m. - Confession

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday March 27th
Greeter: S. Matyczuk
Cleaning: R. Delaney
Coffee: K. Murphy

Sunday April 3rd
Greeter: Bartos
Cleaning: Bartos
Coffee: Shafran / Delaney

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 3,129
YTD:\$ 30,935 [89.9%]
YTD Goal: \$34,413.00
(12 wk) [\$ 2867.75/wk]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆**Sunday Lenten Vespers:** The FORCC Vespers is today at St. Nicholas Antiochian Church, Bridgeport at 4:00 p.m.



◆**Men's Club:** Meeting today during coffee hour!

◆**Parish Council:** The next meeting is tomorrow March 28th at 7:00 p.m.

◆**The March monthly charity** is for the **Operation Fuel!** The mission of Operation Fuel is to partner with communities, businesses, government and individuals to ensure people in need have access to year-round energy assistance. The collection will be taken TODAY the last of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!



OPERATION FUEL

◆**Confessions during Great Lent:** Check the calendar for times when Fr. David will be available for confession. Please make your Lenten con-

"For the sick and suffering"

Vladimir Jim' Dounouk Vera Luzetti
Irene Prigodich Edward Bichun
Megan Bartos Sophia Zurawlew
Alexy Rudy Arlene Osuch

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)
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)
JoAnn Hensley (stroke - Friend of Jennie Everson)
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

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

Newly Departed: Metropolitan NICHOLAS [March 13] (American Carpatho-Russian Diocese)
Raymond Santoro [February 18] (Cousin of Rico Santoro)
June Koles [March 5] (Fr. David's Aunt)
Eva Jackson [March 25] (Friend of Margaret Wagner)



fession before the end of Great Lent, Friday, April 15th.

◆**Clean-up!!!** Our Pre-Pascha church clean-up is scheduled for Saturday, April 9th starting around 8:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome and many are needed!

◆**Coffee Hour:** The 2011 Coffee Hour sign-up sheet is posted. **PLEASE** put your name on the list!!!



◆**Men's Club Lotto** - # 9 Mike Karabin
Support the Men's Club Church Improvement Fund!!

The New 2011 Men's Club Lotto has begun. Payments are due during **MARCH!** There are open numbers for new participants or get another number for additional chances.

◆**ONE Stewards: March is ONE Stewards month.** Support our diocesan youth and missions when you received the appeal in the mail.



◆**Future Dates:**
Sunday, March 27th, 4:00 p.m. - Sunday Lenten Vespers @ Ss. Peter & Paul Church, Springfield, MA.
Sunday, April 3rd, 4:00 p.m. - Holy Unction @ Three Saints Church, Ansonia.
Friday, April 8th, 6:30 p.m. - Akathist of the Theotokos
Sunday, April 17th - Palm Sunday.
Holy Week - April 18th - 23rd
Sunday, April 24th - PASCHA!
Monday, April 25th - Bright Monday.
Sunday, May 1st - Blessing of Graves at our parish cemetery.
Monday, May 14th, 7:00 p.m. - Parish Council meeting.