



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of November 21 - 27, 2010 ❖ 26th Sunday after Pentecost  
Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple ❖ Tone 1*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

*Eph. 5:9-19 & Heb. 13:17-21*

**BRETHREN:** the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness, righteousness, and truth, finding out what is acceptable to the Lord. And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather expose them. For it is shameful even to speak of those things which are done by them in secret. But all things that are exposed are made manifest by the light, for whatever makes manifest is light. Therefore He says: "Awake, you who sleep, Arise from the dead, And Christ will give you light." See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be unwise, but understand what the will of the Lord is. And do not be drunk with wine, in which is dissipation; but be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord,

**BRETHREN:** Even the first covenant had ordinances of divine service and the earthly sanctuary. For a tabernacle was prepared: the first part, in which was the lampstand, the table, and the showbread, which is called the sanctuary; and behind the second veil, the part of the tabernacle which is called the Holiest of All, which had the golden censer and the ark of the covenant overlaid on all sides with gold, in which were the golden pot that had the manna, Aaron's rod that budded, and the tablets of the covenant; and above it were the cherubim of glory overshadowing the mercy seat. Of these things we cannot now speak in detail. Now when these things had been thus prepared, the priests always went into the first part of the tabernacle, performing the services. But into the second part the high priest went alone once a year, not without blood, which

he offered for himself and for the people's sins committed in ignorance.

*Luke 12:16-21 & Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28*

### ***THE LORD SPOKE THIS PARABLE:***

The land of a certain rich man yielded plentifully. And he thought within himself, saying, "What shall I do, since I have no room to store my crops?" So he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods.' And I will say to my soul, "Soul, you have many goods laid up for many years; take your ease; eat, drink, and be merry." But God said to him, "Fool! This night your soul will be required of you; then whose will those things be which you have provided?" So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.

**AT THAT TIME:** Jesus entered a certain village; and a certain woman named Martha welcomed Him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, who also sat at Jesus' feet and heard His word. But Martha was distracted with much serving, and she approached Him and said, "Lord, do You not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Therefore tell her to help me." And Jesus answered and said to her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and troubled about many things. But one thing is needed, and Mary has chosen that good part, which will not be taken away from her. And it happened, as He spoke these things, that a certain woman from the crowd raised her voice and said to Him, "Blessed is the womb that bore You, and the breasts which nursed You!" But He said, "More than that, blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"

## DAILY READINGS:

Nov 22nd  
1Tim. 5:1-10  
Luke 17:20-25  
Nov 23rd  
1Tim. 5:11-21  
Luke 17:26-37  
Nov 24th  
1Tim. 5:22-6:11  
Luke 18:15-17,26-30  
Nov 25th  
1Tim. 6:17-21  
Luke 18:31-34  
Nov 26th  
2Tim. 1:1-2,8-18  
Luke 19:12-28  
Nov 27th  
Gal. 5:22-6:2  
Luke 10:19-21

## *Weekly Calendar*

Sunday, November 21st  
Entrance of the Theotokos  
into the Temple

Festal Divine Liturgy  
9:00 a.m. - Coffee Hour

Monday, November 22nd  
Funeral for Mary Bogdan  
11:30 a.m. at HTOC

Tuesday, November 23rd  
Visitation: Ledgecrest (for  
communion) 9:30 a.m.  
Confession 1:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 25th  
**THANKSGIVING DAY**

Saturday, November 27th  
Great Vespers 5:00 p.m. -  
Confession



Join today!!  
100 PLUS CLUB  
Collected: \$3900

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday November 21st

Greeter: S. Matyczuk

Cleaning: Myszka's

Coffee: Raymond/Ludko

Sunday November 28th

Greeter: S. Matyczuk

Cleaning: Myszka's

Coffee: Santoro / Beck

## Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,931

YTD:\$110,420 [84.8%]

YTD Goal: \$130,272.00

(46 wks) [\$ 2832.00/wk]

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆ **Cleaners:** The list for cleaners, by weeks, for December through February is posted on the bulletin board. **WE HAVE NO ONE**



**FOR DECEMBER!** PLEASE sign-up today!! Thank you to everyone who has taken the time to beautify OUR church!

◆ **Nativity Fast:** Monday, November 15th, and for the next 40 days, through December 24th we participate in the Nativity Fast (Lent) in preparation for the birth of our Lord. We are called to focus on increased prayer; by attending more services, private prayer & study and private confession, alms giving; caring for those in need and sharing with those who are less fortunate and fasting; abstaining from foods, meat and dairy, similar to Great Lent preceding the Resurrection of Christ.

◆ **Stewardship:** We have come to the last months of the year and it is time for all of us to look at our financial obligation to HTOC. This



## "For the sick and suffering"

George Liwen  
Megan Bartos  
Marion Bichun  
Archimandrite Alexander [Golitzin] (stroke - friend of Fr. David; Milwaukee, WI)  
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)  
Judy Flood (Sister-in-Law of Rosemary Delaney)  
Ria Coleman (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)  
Rosario Sarcia (Father-in-Law of Kevin Delaney)  
Thomas Prince (Cousin of John Delaney)  
Joyce Prince (Cousin of John Delaney)  
Robin Prince (Cousin of John Delaney)  
Helen Skrobat (recovery for hip surgery - Mother of John Skrobat)  
Sonya Bartos (Mother of David Bartos)  
Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)  
Eva Jackson (Friend of Margaret Wagner)  
Nicholas Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)

John Steffick  
Vera Luzetti

## Traveling: Jillian Wanik (in China)

Donald Rotenberg (Physician of Margaret Wagner)  
child Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)  
Sawa Kokotiuk (Father of Raisa Shafran)  
Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)  
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)  
Daria Zagorska (Daughter of Eva Zagorska)  
child Daniel Hawn (brain cancer - Friend of Diane Dounouk)  
John Buckeye (Fr. David's SVS schoolmate)  
Jen Gowac (pericarditis - Friend of Juliana Koles)  
Alexandra Hopko (in-operable tumors - Sister of Fr. John Hopko)  
Frank Guba (MS - Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Terryville)  
Infant Leo DuMoulin (Holy Resurrection, Claremont, NH)  
John Dorsey (Husband of Lydia Dorsey)  
in need of our prayers:  
Lydia Dorsey

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

Newly Departed: Tatiana Kokotiuk [Nov 4] (Mother of Raisa Shafran)  
Shayne Wrobel [Nov 6] (Student at Alicyn Pulcini's school)  
Mary Bogdan [Nov 17]



should be a time of "catching up" not falling farther behind. We also need to make our commitment for 2011 by filling out a pledge form and returning it by December 12th.

*"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Luke 12:34)*

◆ **Visit of St. Nicholas:** During Coffee Hour on Sunday, December 5th "St. Nicholas" will visit the with the Church School children. Everyone is invited to stay for the coffee hour as usual!

◆ **The November monthly charity** is for "Warm the Children" which is a program that provides new winter clothing for the children of needy families. The collection is taken on the last Sunday of the month. You may donate early by using the envelope provided in your monthly mailing. Please be generous.



◆ **Men's Club Lotto -**  
# 15 Margaret Wagner  
**Support the Men's Club Church Improvement Fund!!**  
All proceeds will go to the church for renovations!

◆ **Future Dates:**  
**Monday, Nov. 29th, 7:00 p.m.** - Parish Council meeting.  
**Saturday, December 4th, 3:00 p.m.** - Panikhida for the Hamisevich family.  
**Saturday, December 11th, 8:00 until ??** - Pre-Christmas church cleaning and polishing.  
**December 24th & 25th - Nativity of Christ:** Vespertal Liturgy 9:00 a.m.; The Vigil of Christmas (Compline & Matins) at 5:00 p.m. and the Festal Divine Liturgy at 9:00 a.m.  
**Sunday, Jan. 23, 2011** - Annual Parish Meeting following Divine Liturgy and extended coffee hour.