



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of November 29 - December 5, 2009 ❖  
25th Sunday after Pentecost ❖ Tone 8*

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

**Eph. 4:1-6**

**BRETHREN:** I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, with all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

**Luke 13:10-17**

**AT THAT TIME:** Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the Sabbath. And behold, there was a woman who had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years, and was bent over and could in no way raise herself up. But when Jesus saw her, He called her to Him and said to her, "Woman, you are loosed from your infirmity." And He laid His hands on her, and immediately she was made straight, and glorified God. But the ruler of the synagogue answered with

indignation, because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath; and he said to the crowd, "There are six days on which men ought to work; therefore come and be healed on them, and not on the Sabbath day." The Lord then answered him and said, "Hypocrite! Does not each one of you on the Sabbath loose his ox or donkey from the stall, and lead it away to water it? So ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has bound - think of it - for eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the Sabbath? And when He said these things, all His adversaries were put to shame; and all the multitude rejoiced for all the glorious things that were done by Him.



### DAILY READINGS:

Nov 30th  
1Tim. 1:1-7  
Luke 19:37-44  
Dec 1st  
1Tim. 1:8-14  
Luke 19:45-48  
Dec 2nd  
1Tim. 1:18-20;2:8-15  
Luke 20:1-8  
Dec 3rd  
1Tim. 3:1-13  
Luke 20:9-18  
Dec 4th  
1Tim. 4:4-8,16  
Luke 20:19-26  
Dec 5th  
Gal. 3:8-12  
Luke 12:32-40

### *Weekly Calendar*

Sunday, November 29th  
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. -  
Coffee Hour

Monday, November 30th  
Parish Council Mtg. 7:00

Tuesday, December 1st  
Confession 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 2nd  
Visitation: Ledgecrest (for  
communion) 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, December 5th  
Panikhida 3:30 p.m.  
Vespers 4:00 p.m. -  
Confession

### PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday November 22nd	Sunday December 6th
Greeter: S. Maytczyk	Greeter: D. Dounouk
Cleaning: Myszka's	Cleaning: ???
Coffee: Bartos	Coffee: St. Nicholas Day

### Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,743  
YTD: \$117,166[85.4%]  
YTDGoal:\$137,122.50  
(47 wks) [\$ 2917.50/wk]



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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆ **The November monthly charity** is for **Fr. Vadim's "Mission of Mercy" to Russia**. Fr. Vadim Pis-menny, Holy Ghost Church, Bridgeport, CT has taken it upon himself to return to Russia to assist orphans and most-needy families. This winter he plans to visit the Sofino Orphanage where more than 100 orphans, ages 3-18 await his visit. Fr. Vadim has asked the parishes of the Connecticut Deanery to assist by raising funds, to be sponsors and donors in his effort to bring comfort and material relief to children, abandoned and orphaned in Russia.

◆ **Parish Council:** The Parish Council will gather tomorrow, Monday, November 30th, 7:00 p.m.

◆ **Homemade Pie Sale:** The Sisterhood is taking orders for homemade, frozen, unbaked apple pies which will be ready in time for Christmas. Cost: \$10. Please see Ellen Santoro to place your order.

◆ **Cleaners:** We still have NO ONE to clean during December. We know how busy this time of year is, **but .....** Your stewardship of time and effort is needed!!

## *"For the sick and suffering"*

John Steffick

Archpriest Sergei Glagolev (Long

Island, NY)

Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS -

Johnstown, PA)

Archpriest William DuBovik (All Saints,  
Hartford)

Protodeacon Simeon Kopcha (Father of  
Mat. Melanie Koles)

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

Judy Flood (Sister-in-Law of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Joan Anderson (Sister-in-Law of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Justin Waleski (Friend of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Andrew Eames (Friend of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)

Tasha Lucas (Daughter-in-law of  
Ruth Lucas)

Stanley Bartos (Father of David Bartos)

Sonya Bartos (Mother of David Bartos)

Eva Jackson (Friend of Margaret Wagner)

Lillian Falko (Cousin of the Bichun's)

Janet Gernat (Cousin of the Bichun's)

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

**NEWLY DEPARTED:** His Holiness Pavle, Patriarch of Serbia [November 15]  
Priest Daniil Sysoyev (Moscow) [November 19]

ВЪЧНА ПАМАТЬ

◆ **Stewardship:** We are now down to the last six weeks of the year and it is time for **all of us** to look at our financial obligation to HTOC. As of this past Sunday we are at **85.4%** of our needed income dropping from a high of over 97% back on the 19th week. This should be a time of **"catching up"** not falling farther behind.

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

◆ **Greeters and cleaners:** Sign-up sheets for Greeters and Cleaners for the first half of 2010 are on the bulletin board. Please sign-up today to help next year. Your stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated.

◆ **Visit of St. Nicholas:** During Coffee Hour next Sunday, "St. Nicholas" will visit the with the Church School children. Everyone is invited to stay for the luncheon and visit.

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

Dennis Cosina (Friend of Dan Bradanini  
& George Ludko)

Dorothy Ludko (Cousin of Barbara  
Raymond & George Ludko)

Alla Wheeler (cancer - Friend of  
Diane Dounouk)

Lawrence Beck (recovery / knee surgery)  
Alex Polzun (recovery / knee surgery)

child Christopher Elliot (Son of Fr. George  
& Kim Elliot, St. Paul, Las Vegas, NV)

Sarah Croft (back surgery - Friend of  
Marie Shimchick)

Resa Ellison (H1N1/pneumonia - Choir  
Director, St. Mary's Cathedral, Minneapolis)

Arlene Osuch (cancer - Ss. Cyril &  
Methodius, Terryville)

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

in need of our prayers:

Lydia Dorsey

◆ **Men's Club Lotto -**

# 45 Louise Balkun

**Support the Men's Club  
Church Improvement Fund!!**

**Remember to make your  
payment for your numbers!!**

◆ **Future Dates:**

Saturday, December 5th, 3:30 p.m. -  
Panikhida for the Hamisevich family.

Saturday, December 12th, 8:00 a.m. -  
Pre-Christmas church clean-up.

Saturday, December 12th & 19th,  
2:15 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal.

December 24th & 25th - Nativity of  
Christ: Vesperal 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.

Thursday, December 31st 6:00 p.m. -  
Vesperal Liturgy for St. Basil the  
Great & Molieben for the New Year.