



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

305 Washington Street

New Britain, Connecticut 06051

(860) 223-1976 www.htocnb.org

Week of October 2 - 8, 2016 ❖ Tone 6
15th Sunday after Pentecost

SCRIPTURE READINGS

2 Cor. 4:6-15

BRETHREN: For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellence of the power may be of God and not of us. We are hard-pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed- always carrying about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our body. For we who live are always delivered to death for Jesus' sake, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. So then death is working in us, but life in you. And since we have the same spirit of faith, according to what is written, "I believed and therefore I spoke," we also believe and therefore speak, knowing that He who raised up the Lord Jesus will also raise us up with Je-

sus, and will present us with you. For all things are for your sakes, that grace, having spread through the many, may cause thanksgiving to abound to the glory of God.

Luke 6:31-36

THE LORD SAID: "As you wish men to do to you, you also do to them likewise. But if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive back, what credit is that to you? For even sinners lend to sinners to receive as much back. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, hoping for nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High. For He is kind to the unthankful and evil. Therefore be merciful, just as your Father also is merciful."

DAILY READINGS:

October 3rd

Gal. 4:28-5:10

Luke 6:24-30

October 4th

Gal. 5:11-21

Luke 6:37-45

October 5th

Gal. 6:2-10

Luke 6:46-7:1

October 6th

Eph. 1:1-9

Luke 7:17-30

October 7th

Eph. 1:7-17

Luke 7:31-35

October 8th

1 Cor. 10:23-28

Luke 5:27-32

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 2nd
 Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
 Sisterhood Panikhida
 Coffee Hour

Saturday, October 8th
 Festal Great Vespers 5:00p.m.
 Confession

Sunday, October 9th
 Festal Divine Liturgy 9:00a.m.
 Coffee Hour

Tuesday, October 11th
 Orthodoxy 101 @ 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, October 15th
 Great Vespers 5:00p.m.
 Confession

Sunday, October 16th
 Divine Liturgy 9:00a.m.
 Coffee Hour
 Cemetery & Parish Life
 Committee meetings



PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday October 2

Greeter: Greg Dresko

Cleaning: Cleaning Committee

Coffee: Delaney

Sunday October 9

Greeter: Greg Dresko

Cleaning: Cleaning Committee

Coffee: Koles

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 1,449

YTD:\$106,262 **[96.6%]**

YTD Goal:\$110,058.00

(39 wks) [\$ 2822.00/wk]

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH
305 WASHINGTON STREET
PO BOX 2876
NEW BRITAIN, CT 06050-2876
(860) 223-1976

V. Rev. David Koles, Pastor
9 Frankie Lane -Terryville, CT 06786
Cell: (860) 573-0013
Home: (860) 582-7686
frdavid@htocnb.org

Christopher Dresko, Council Warden,
Choir Director
(860) 794-3346
professor@htocnb.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦**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 in **November & December!**

♦**Outreach:** The Parish Life Committee, made up of Parish Council members and parishioners of the Holy Trinity Parish, has begun an outreach program starting with our own parishioners – homebound parishioners. **The committee is looking for volunteers to help prepare a meal once a month – the last Saturday of each month – and then for additional volunteers to help distribute the prepared meals the next day, Sunday, after Divine Liturgy.** This will continue on a monthly basis so there will be many opportunities for all to get involved in some aspect of the outreach. The committee will also be asking for one or two donated desserts to go along with the prepared meals to be distributed. The homebound parishioners are listed in the monthly Newsletter.

♦**The October monthly charity collection is for FOCUS North America.** Mission:

As an expression of Christ's love FOCUS North America serves the hungry, thirsty, stranger, naked, sick and imprisoned by providing Food, Occupation, Clothing, Understanding, and Shelter.

FOCUS North America will: **Serve** those in need, by providing aid through our programs and partners, **Support** Orthodox Christian social action ministries, agencies, professionals, and volunteers; and **Supply** parishes and others with the education, resources and training needed to initiate



"For the sick and suffering"

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

Archpriest Paul Lazor
Archpriest Steven Belonick (Holy Ghost Church,
Bridgeport, CT)

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

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

Mat. Laryssa Hutnyan (ovarian cancer -
Sagamore Hills, Ohio)

Veronika Dubnansky (recovery: liver transplant -
Grand-daughter of Raisa Shafran)

Gregory Shesko (cancer - Maynard, MA)

John Delaney (Husband of Rosemary Delaney)

Kathy Collins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Anne Healey (cancer - Friend of
Rosemary Delaney)

Thomas Kirby (kidney failure - Friend of
Rosemary Delaney)

Daniel DeRosa (cancer - Friend of
Rosemary Delaney)

John Skrobat (Brother-in-law of
Rosemary Delaney)

Marie Machado (cancer - rehab)

Cindy Eastman (Sister of Phyllis Bartos)

Polly Gunther (Friend of Phyllis Bartos)

Catherine Williamson (Daughter of
Steve Bradford)

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)

Jennifer Ganley (MS - Friend of Chris Dresko)

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: Theckla "Tessie" Preslopsky [Aug 27] (Koles extended family)
Olga Petrov [Sept 19] (Aunt of Diane Steffick - 103 yrs. 7mo.)
Alex Fisher [Sept 30] (Nephew of Phyllis & David Bartos)

ΕΒΧΗΝΑΑ ΠΑΜΑΤΗ

social action ministries in their own communities.

Please be generous by using the envelopes provided in our monthly mailing. Collection will be taken on the last Sunday of the month.

Visit the FOCUS web site at
<http://focusnorthamerica.org/>.

♦**Men's Club Lotto –**

71 Diane Polzun

**Support the Men's Club
Special Projects Fund!!**

Sign up today.

Do you have your number?!?!

♦**Future Dates:**

Saturday, October 22nd: Sisterhood Turkey Dinner following Great Vespers.

Monday, October 24th: Parish Council at 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 26th: Orthodoxy 101 at 6:30 p.m.

Friday & Saturday, October 28th & 29th: 53rd Diocesan Assembly at Ss. Peter & Paul Church, Springfield, MA.

Sunday, November 6th: ST. NECTARIÖS DAY - Festal Great Vespers, 4:00 p.m. at Christ the Savior Church, Southbury.

Saturday, October 29th:

!!NO VESPERS!!

Tuesday, November 15th: Orthodoxy 101 at 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, November 15th - Sunday, December 25th: Nativity Fast.

Monday, November 28th: Parish Council at 7:00 p.m.

<u>September Finances</u>	
Income:	\$ 12,076.06
Expense:	\$ 11,696.30
Inc/Exp:	\$ 379.76
<u>Year-to-date Finances</u>	
Income:	\$ 117,762.63
Expense:	\$ 116,644.06
Inc/Exp:	\$ 1,118.57