



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of October 22 - 28, 2017 ❖ 20th Sunday after Pentecost ❖ Tone 3*

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### *Galatians 1:11-19*

**BRETHREN:** I make known to you, that the gospel which was preached by me is not according to man. For I neither received it from man, nor was I taught it, but it came through the revelation of Jesus Christ. For you have heard of my former conduct in Judaism, how I persecuted the church of God beyond measure and tried to destroy it. And I advanced in Judaism beyond many of my contemporaries in my own nation, being more exceedingly zealous for the traditions of my fathers. But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb and called me through His grace, to reveal His Son in me, that I might preach Him among the Gentiles, I did not immediately confer with flesh and blood, nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were apostles before me; but I went to Arabia, and returned again to Damascus. Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to see Peter, and remained with him fifteen days. But I saw none of the other apostles except James, the Lord's brother.

### *Luke 16:19-31*

**THE LORD SAID:** There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table. Moreover the dogs came

and licked his sores. So it was that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented. 'And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, 'for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' But he said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.'



## DAILY READINGS:

October 23rd

Phil. 4:10-23

Luke 10:22-24

October 24th

Col. 1:1-2, 7-11

Luke 11:1-10

October 25th

Col. 1:18-23

Luke 11:9-13

October 26th

Col. 1:24-29

Luke 11:14-23

October 27th

Col. 2:1-7

Luke 11:23-26

October 28th

2 Cor. 3:12-18

Luke 8:16-21

## Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 22nd

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Coffee Hour

Friday, October 27th

54th Diocesan Assembly at St. Jacob of Alaska Church, Northfield Falls, VT

Saturday, October 28th

54th Diocesan Assembly at St. Jacob of Alaska Church, Northfield Falls, VT

**! NO VESPERS !**

Sunday, October 29th

Church School 8:30 a.m.

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Coffee Hour

Monday, October 30th

Parish Council mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Friday, November 3rd

Visitation of the Myrrh-streaming icon of the Theotokos "Tenderhearted" @ St. Mary's Ukrainian Orthodox Church 6:00 p.m.

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday October 22

Greeter: A. Novikova

Cleaning: Steffick's

Coffee: Wagner/Delaney

Sunday October 29

Greeter: A. Novikova

Cleaning: Santoro's

Coffee: Everson/Dilger

## Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 3,413

YTD:\$109,521 **[92.8%]**

YTD Goal:\$118,062.00

(42 wks) [\$ 2811.00/wk]

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦**Winter Coat / Clothes Drive:** We are taking a monetary collection for the purchase of winter coats / clothes for our neighborhood children. Please put your donation in the designated basket or give it to Matushka Melanie or Gladys by Sunday, November 5th.

♦**Tailgate-to-go:** Stop by and pick up your complete homemade meal (\$10) ready to eat while watching your favorite game. The Sisterhood is taking pre-orders (preferred), see Marina Kaplan, Annette Salina, Barbara Burrill or the sign-up sheet. Orders will be available on Sunday, October 29th from 11:00 - 2:00.

♦**Coffee Hour:** There is only  open date on the Coffee Hour sign-up sheet posted on the Bulletin Board. Can you fill the vacancy?!



♦**Cleaners List:** We have a NEW weekly Cleaners List posted on the bulletin board. Please see Nadine Cabrera (or she will find you) to participate. This is our church and we need to keep it cleaned!



♦**Greeters List:** For the second half of 2017 is posted on the Bulletin Board. November & December are open. **PLEASE** add your name to the list and welcome our guests and fellow parishioners.

♦**The October monthly charity collection is for Ginny Hood.** She is the Parish Council Vice President at St. Paul Orthodox Church, Las Vegas who has been diagnosed with Stage 2 Squamous Cell Cancer. Due to unforeseen issues, she needs help paying for her surgery (a minimum of \$100,000). A YouCaring Page has been set up: <https://www.youcaring.com/viginiaginnyhood-899443>

## *"For the sick and suffering"*

Catherine Szestakow      Nicholas Hamisevicz  
 Arlene Potter              Nelson Potter  
 Peter Labas                 Joseph Kowar  
    Diane Polzun

Mitred Archpriest Michael Margitich (hospice - Santa Rosa, CA)

Archpriest Paul Lazor (heart surgery/recovery)  
 Archpriest Steven Belonick (Holy Ghost Church, Bridgeport, CT)

Archpriest Peter DiLeo (cancer - St. Spyridon Church, Trujillo Alto, PR)

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)

Mat. Anne Hosking (St. Alexis, Clinton, CT)

Mat. Mara Burns (Three Saints, Ansonia, CT)

Nona Richards (Mother of Sarah Clark)

Michael Kokus (Father of Nick Kokus)

Gregory Shesko (cancer - Maynard, MA)

Barbara Eastman (surgery/recovery - Grand mother of Megan Bartos Stock)

John Delaney (Husband of Rosemary Delaney)

Kathy Collins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Ola Ferla (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Anne Healey (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Peter Doyle (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Thomas Kirby (kidney failure - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Daniel DeRosa (cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Catherine Williamson (Daughter of Steve Bradford)

Thomas Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)  
 Peter Lozewski (Friend of Marion Bichun's)  
 Gerri Lozewski (Friend of Marion Bichun's)  
 Janet Roberts (Friend of Barbara Burrill)  
 Robert Mix (surgery - in-law of Jennie Everson)  
 Ann Ward (chemo - friend of the Polzun's)  
 Richard Kusmirek (Friend of the Santoro's)  
 Wayne Norman (cancer - Friend of the Santoro's)  
 Barbara Davis (surgery - Friend of the Santoro's)  
 Daniel Poproski (Nephew of Ellen Santoro)

Marge Bargielski (cancer - Sister of Potter's Brother-in law)

John Ludko (Brother of George Ludko)

Patricia Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)

Anita Hall (Friend of Margaret Wagner)

Spencer Tracy (cancer - Friend of the Aherns)

Steven Ball (cancer - Friend of Marie Shimchick)

Cathryn Hatridge (cancer - Friend of Marie Shimchick)

Patricia Ranta (cancer - Friend of Marie Shimchick)

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)

Eva Kopcha (hospice - Mother of Mat. Melanie)

Hunter Weitowitz (Leukemia - Student 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:**

Nadia Wall [Sept 25] (Sister of Margaret Wagner)  
 John Kuzmich [Oct 2] (Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Terryville)  
 Daniel Bress [Oct 5] (Father-in-law of Julia Bress)

**ВЪЧНАА ПАМЪТЬ**

The collection will be taken NEXT week, the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!

### ♦Men's Club Lotto -

# 76 Julia Salina

Support the Men's Club  
 Special Projects Fund!!

Sign up today!!!

Do you have your number??!

### ♦Future Dates:

Friday, November 3rd & Saturday, November 4th: Visitation of the Myrrh-streaming icon of the Theotokos "Tenderhearted" from Taylor, PA at St. Mary's Ukrainian Orthodox Church. See flyer on bulletin board for times!

Saturday, November 4th: Chrismation of Megan Sirag before Great Vespers 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 4th: Intercessory Prayer Group following Great Vespers.

Sunday, November 12th: Big Bookstore Blowout Sale!!! during coffee hour.

Sunday, November 12th: **ST. NECTARĪOS DAY** - Festal Great Vespers, 4:00 p.m. at Christ the Savior Church, Southbury.

Wednesday, November 15th - Monday, December 25th: Nativity Fast.

Tuesday, November 21st: **GREAT FEAST OF THE ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS INTO THE TEMPLE** - Festal Vespers Liturgy Monday, November 20th, 6:00 p.m. followed by Pot

### October Finances

Income: \$ 7,310.00  
 Expense: \$ 11,695.22  
 Exp/Inc: \$ **-4,385.22**

### Year-to-date Finances

Income: \$ 118,900.81  
 Expense: \$ 135,870.22  
 Exp/Inc: \$ **-16,969.41**