



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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## SCRIPTURE READINGS

*2Cor. 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 Jesus, 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 5:1-11*

**AT THAT TIME:** as the multitude pressed about Him to hear the word of God, that He stood by the Lake of Gennesaret, and saw two boats standing by the lake; but the fishermen had gone from them and were washing their nets. Then He got into one of the boats, which was Simon's, and asked him to put out a little from the land. And He sat down and taught

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the multitudes from the boat. When He had stopped speaking, He said to Simon, "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." But Simon answered and said to Him, "Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net." And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking. So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord!" For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish which they had taken; and so also were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid. From now on you will catch men." So when they had brought their boats to land, they forsook all and followed Him. But before all these things, they will lay their hands on you and persecute you, delivering you up to the synagogues and prisons. You will be brought before kings and rulers for My name's sake. But it will turn out for you as an occasion for testimony. Therefore settle it in your hearts not to meditate beforehand on what you will answer; for I will give you a mouth and wisdom which all your adversaries will not be able to contradict or resist. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. And you will be hated by all for My name's sake. But not a hair of your head shall be lost. By your endurance you will gain your souls.

## DAILY READINGS:

September 25th

Gal. 4:28-5:10

Luke 4:37-44

September 26th

Gal. 5:11-21

Luke 5:12-16

September 27th

Gal. 6:2-10

Luke 5:33-39

September 28th

Eph. 1:1-9

Luke 6:12-19

September 29th

Eph. 1:7-17

Luke 6:17-23

September 30th

1 Cor. 10:23-28

Luke 5:17-26

## *Weekly Calendar*

Sunday September 24th

Divine Liturgy 9:00a.m.

Coffee Hour

Monday September 25th

St. Vladimir's Institute @

Holy Transfiguration, New

Haven 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Parish Council Mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday September 26th

Wednesday September 27th

Thursday September 28th

Friday September 29th

Saturday September 30th

Sisterhood Panikhida

4:30 p.m.

Great Vespers 5:00 p.m.

Sisterhood Parish Dinner

6:00 p.m.

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Sept 24th

Greeter: Tania Bouteneff

Cleaning: The Beck's

Coffee: Petriw & Co.

Sunday Oct 1st

Greeter: Carol Skerpan

Cleaning: Labas / Bichun

Coffee: Kowar / Kumor

## Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2174

YTD: \$ 79,670

YTD Goal: \$ 113,848

(38wks)

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆**Parish Council Meeting:** The September meeting of the Parish Council will be tomorrow September 28th at 7:00 p.m.

◆**Sisterhood Dinner:** The Sisterhood will be hosting a Turkey Dinner after vespers, Saturday, September 30th, the eve of the feast of the Protection of the Theotokos. Tickets are available NOW, Please see Rosemary Delaney.

◆**Adult Education Institute:** The second lecture for this years topic, "A Christian Ending to Our Life: The Mystery of Death" will be tomorrow evening, September 25th, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Holy Transfiguration Church, New Haven.

◆**The September monthly charity** is St. Vladimir Orthodox Theological Seminary's Education Day. OE Day is Saturday, October 7th. Today is the last Sunday of the month!



## *"For the sick and suffering "*

Nina Molchan Olga Skotnicki  
Milenty Stregorsky Mary Glowacki  
Nicholas Zamayduk Mary Roman

— in need of our prayers:

Lydia Dorsey Edward Czerwinski  
Archbishop KYRILL (Pittsburgh and  
Western PA and the Bulgarian Diocese)  
Archbishop PETER (Retired Abp. of  
New York)

Archpriest Nicholas Timpko  
(Three Saints, Ansonia)

Archpriest William DuBovik  
(All Saints, Hartford)

Mother Christophora (breast cancer —  
Abbess, Ellwood City, PA)

Matushka Karen Mahaffey (cancer—  
Old Forge, PA)

Nicholas Selivonik (Friend of  
Tania Bouteneff)

Tatiana Selivonik (Friend of  
Tania Bouteneff)

Caroline Skerpan (Mother of  
Carol Skerpan)

Ruth Matyschysk (Wife of Leo)

Irene Hetman (Sister of Anna Makula)

Louise Bechum (Sister of Matczyzys')

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth)  
Alexandra Lozis (Sister of Jim &  
Diane Dounouk)  
Elizabeth Novosett (Cousin of  
Nadine Cabrera)

child Justin Holmes (Infant friend of  
the Bichums)

Thomas Hricus (Brother of  
Marion Bichum)

Wayne Demske (Cousin of  
Rosemary Delaney)

Tatiana Kokotiuk (Mother of  
Raisa Shafran)

Barbara Kadja (Friend of the  
Dounouks)

Carole Needham (Mother of  
Jennifer Needham)

Judy Pitre (Friend of the Dresko's)  
Carol Boyer (stroke—Mother of a  
friend of Greg Dresko)

Barbara Lacey (Auto Accident - HTC  
Willimantic)

John White (cancer - friend of the  
Santoro family)

Frank Guba (MS— SS C&M, Terryville)

Peter Sacco (coma—Prof. of Music,  
UCONN)

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

## NEWLY DEPARTED:

Apr. Raphael Biernacki (8/23)

Flint, MI

Wasili (8/19) Brother-in-law of

Sophia Zurawlew



◆**Greeters and cleaners are needed.** We only need TWO, a cleaner for November and a greeter for December to complete this year. Your stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated.

◆**Men's Club Lotto —**

#40 Nadine Cabrera

Support the Men's Club Church Improvement Fund!! There are eight numbers available. Sign up today!!

◆**Future Dates to remember:**

Sept. 30th 4:30 p.m. Sisterhood Panikhida.

Oct. 8th 4:00 p.m. YALE Russian Chorus @ SS. Peter & Paul, Meriden, CT

Oct. 10th 7:00 p.m. Stremsky Family Singers from Saraktash, Russia @ Holy Transfiguration, New Haven.

Oct. 14th 8:00 a.m.—?? **General Parish Maintenance Day.** Everyone needed, young & old!!

Oct. 15th 5:00 p.m. Bp. Kallistos (Timothy) Ware Lecture @ St. George Cathedral, Hartford.

Oct. 21st 3:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal