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*Week of Sept. 26 - Oct. 2, 2010 ❖ 18th Sunday after Pentecost
Rest of St. John the Theologian ❖ Tone 1*

SCRIPTURE READINGS

2Cor. 9:6-11 & 1 John 4:12-19

BRETHREN: this I say: He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound toward you, that you, always having all sufficiency in all things, may have an abundance for every good work. As it is written: "He has dispersed abroad, He has given to the poor; His righteousness endures forever." now may He who supplies seed to the sower, and bread for food, supply and multiply the seed you have sown and increase the fruits of your righteousness, while you are enriched in everything for all liberality, which causes thanksgiving through us to God.

BRETHREN: No one has seen God at any time. If we love one another, God abides in us, and His love has been perfected in us. By this we know that we abide in Him, and He in us, because He has given us of His Spirit. And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent the Son as Savior of the world. Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God. And we have known and believed the love that God has for us. God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God, and God in him. Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as He is, so are we in this world. There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment. But he who fears has not been made perfect in love. We love Him because He first loved us.

Luke 5:1-11 & John 19:25-27; 21:24-25

AT THAT TIME: Jesus was standing 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 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.

AT THAT TIME: Standing by the cross of Jesus His mother, and His mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus therefore saw His mother, and the disciple whom He loved standing by, He said to His mother, "Woman, behold your son!" Then He said to the disciple, "Behold your mother!" And from that hour that disciple took her to his own home. This is the disciple who testifies of these things, and wrote these things; and we know that his testimony is true. And there are also many other things that Jesus did, which if they were written one by one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that would be written. Amen.



DAILY READINGS:

Sept 27th
Phil. 1:1-7
Luke 4:37-44

Sept 28th
Phil. 1:8-14
Luke 5:12-16

Sept 29th
Phil. 1:12-20
Luke 5:33-39

Sept 30th
Phil. 1:20-27
Luke 6:12-19

Oct 1st
Phil. 1:27-2:4
Luke 6:17-23

Oct 2nd
1 Cor. 15:58-16:3
Luke 5:17-26

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 26th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour -

Monday, September 27th
Parish Council Mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 30th
Festal Vespertal Liturgy 6:00 p.m. & Pot Luck supper

Friday, October 1st
PROTECTION OF THE
THEOTOKOS

Saturday, October 2nd
Orthodox Education Day @
St. Vladimir's Seminary
NO VESPER @ HTOC

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday September 26th
Greeter: B. Beck
Cleaning: L & B Beck
Coffee: Bartos

Sunday October 3rd
Greeter: R. Delane
Cleaning: ???
Coffee: Steffick/Bichun/Labas

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,187
YTD: \$ 91,261 [84.8%]
YTD Goal: \$107,616.00
(38 wks) [\$ 2832.00/wk]



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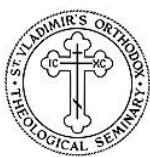
ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆Tag Sale & Food Festival:

THANK YOU!!! to all those who helped in organizing, shoring, pricing, selling, baking, cooking, serving, cleaning, etc. Unofficial total is \$ 2635.00



◆The September monthly charity is for collection is for St. Vladimir's Seminary Orthodox Education Day. Ed Day is Saturday, October 2nd. Our parish contribution is New Britain Kielbasa and Hot Dogs for the food booths. The collection will be taken TODAY, the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!



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◆Sisterhood Anniversary: Festal Vespers Liturgy for the Protection of the Theotokos is this Thursday, September 30th, 6:00 p.m. followed by Pot Luck supper to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Sisterhood. We will have a Panikhida following Divine Liturgy on Sunday, October 3rd. Tickets for the Banquet, Sunday, November 7th, 1:00 p.m. are now available. Please see Sisterhood President Ellen Santoro to pick-up yours today! We want ALL sisterhood members, young and old, to attend!!!



"For the sick and suffering"

George Liwen
Megan Bartos
Bishop NIKON (recovery from throat surgery)
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)
Helen Skrobat (recovery for hip surgery - Mother of John Skrobat)

Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)
Tasha Lucas (Daughter-in-law of Ruth Lucas)
Sonya Bartos (Mother of David Bartos)
Eva Jackson (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Nicholas Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Donald Rotenberg (Physician of Margaret Wagner)
child Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)
Sawa Kokotiuk (Father of Raisa Shafran)
Tatiana Kokotiuk (Mother of Raisa Shafran)
Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)
child Isabelle Negron (Friend of Larissa Rembisz)
Krista Nordmark (cancer - Friend of Laura Burrill)
John Buckeye (Fr. David's SVS schoolmate)
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:
Joan Anderson [Aug 23] (Sister-in-Law of Rosemary Delaney)
Teresa Dilger [Aug 26] (Mother-in-law of Gale Dilger)
Anthony Bichun [Sept 2]
Stanley Bartos [Sept 13] (Father of David Bartos)



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◆Greeters, Cleaners & Coffee

Hour Hosting: The list for cleaners, by weeks, for September through November is posted on the bulletin board.

We have **NO ONE** signed up for October! Weekly cleaning schedule is for the week beginning on Sunday. Also, there are **two** open Sundays during the second half of 2010 for hosting Coffee Hour. A reminder, Please take the trash down to the barrels next to the old rectory. Your stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated. PLEASE sign-up today!!



◆**Wedding Banns:** This is the first announcement of wedding banns for Alexander Cabrera and Jennifer King, who will be united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony in our parish on Sunday, October 10th.

◆Men's Club Lotto -

46 Helen Roberts
Support the Men's Club
Church Improvement Fund!!

All proceeds will go to the church for renovations!

◆Future Dates:

Saturday, Oct. 2nd - Orthodox Education Day at St. Vladimir's Seminary. NO Vespers at HTOC.
Monday, Oct. 25th, 7:00 p.m. - Parish Council meeting.
Sunday, Nov. 7th, 1:00 p.m. - 100th Anniversary Banquet for the Sisterhood at the Wethersfield Country Club.
Monday, Nov. 8th, 7:00 p.m. - Great Vespers @ Christ the Savior, Southbury for the Feast of St. Nectarios of Aegena with procession of relics.

