



HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Week of September 27 - October 3, 2015 ❖ Tone 8
17th Sunday after Pentecost

SCRIPTURE READINGS

2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1

BRETHREN: what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For you are the temple of the living God. As God has said: "I will dwell in them And walk among them. I will be their God, And they shall be My people." Therefore Come out from among them And be separate, says the Lord. Do not touch what is unclean, And I will receive you." I will be a Father to you, And you shall be My sons and daughters, Says the LORD Almighty." Therefore, having these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

Luke 5:1-11

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.



DAILY READINGS:

Sept 28th
Eph. 4:25-32
Luke 4:37-44
Sept 29th
Eph. 5:20-26
Luke 5:12-16
Sept 30th
Eph. 5:25-33
Luke 5:33-39
Oct 1st
Eph. 5:33-6:9
Luke 6:12-19
Oct 2nd
Eph. 6:18-24
Luke 6:17-23
Oct 3rd
1 Cor. 15:39-45
Luke 5:17-26

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 27th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour

Monday, September 28th
Parish Council mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 30th
Festal Vesperal Liturgy **6:10**
Festal Pot Luck supper

Thursday, October 1st
**PROTECTION OF
THE THEOTOKOS**

Saturday, October 3rd
Great Vespers 6:00 p.m. @
St. George Greek Orthodox
Church, New Britain

Sunday, October 4th
Church School 8:30 a.m.
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday September 27
Greeter: R. Delaney
Cleaning: Al Hromi
Coffee: Bartos

Sunday October 4
Greeter: Polzun's
Cleaning: Belonick's
Coffee: Delaney/Bartos

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,077
YTD:\$104,706 **[86.8%]**
YTD Goal:\$120,669.00
(38 wks) [\$ 3175.50/wk]

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆The September monthly charity collection is for St. Herman's Seminary, Alaska. At St. Herman Seminary we seek to continue the heroic educational and evangelistic work begun by Ss. Herman, Innocent, Jacob, and the host of dedicated clergy and laity who struggled to increase the presence of Holy Orthodoxy in Alaska.



Visit their website at:

<http://www.sthermanseminary.org/>

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

◆Parish Council: Meeting tomorrow Monday, September 28th: at 7:00 p.m.

◆THE PROTECTION OF THE THEOTOKOS - Festal Vespertal Liturgy Wednesday, September 30th, 6:10 p.m. followed by festal pot luck supper. Annual Sisterhood Panikhida Sunday, October 4th.

◆100th Anniversary: Saturday, October 3rd: Great Vespers @ St. George Greek Orthodox Church, New Britain at 6:00 p.m. for their 100th Anniversary. Reception to follow.

◆Coffee Hour: The 2015 Coffee Hour sign-up sheet is posted on the Bulletin Board. There are 6 open dates for the second half of the year.



◆Greeters List: We have no one for November! PLEASE add your name to the list and welcome our guests and fellow parishioners.

"For the sick and suffering"

Megan Bartos John Steffick
Catherine Szeszakow Alla Hamisevich
Peter Labas Child Eleanor Parnell

Archpriest Paul Lazor
Archpriest Michael Koblosh (chemotherapy
Alexandria, VA)

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

Deacon Zachary Wasuta (open heart
surgery - Berlin, NH)

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

Mat. Mary Balmer (St Raphael Church,
Inverness, FL)

Mat. Elizabeth Bacon (Chelsea, MA)

Mat. Mara Burns (Ansonia, CT)

Kathy Collins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Leslie Nutthall (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

Paul Sulich (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)

John Delaney (Husband of Rosemary Delaney)

Helen Skrobat (Mother of John Skrobat)

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)

Christine Stoj (Friend of the Bichun's)

Charles Casciotta (Friend of the Bichun's)

Laura Bashar (Friend of the Bichun's)

Justin Holmes (Friend of the Bichun's)

Fran Covaleski (Friend of the Bichun's)

Gerri Harbor (Friend of the Bichun's)
Olga Blasko (Cousin of Antoinette Rudy)
Janet Roberts (Friend of Barbara Burrill)
Marc D'Antonio (Brother of Diane Karabin)
Millie D'Antonio (Mother of Diane Karabin)
Gregory Savoie (Friend of the Santoro's)
Mary Presta (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Anita Hall (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Matthew Murphy (Nephew of
Marie Shimchick)
Camille Fusco (cancer - Friend of
Marie Shimchick)
James Fisher (cancer - Friend of
Marie Shimchick)
Frank Lozis (Brother-in-law
of Diane Dounouk)
child Daniel Hawn (brain cancer - Friend of
Diane Dounouk)
Bruce McCallum (Parkinson's - Father of
Rebecca McCallum)
Gloria DeMartino (Grandmother of
Jen Belonick)
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)

Captives:

Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John
of Aleppo, Syria.

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

Newly
Departed: Kim Angeillo McKenzie [Sept 4] (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Deborah Mainuli [Sept 14] (Friend of the Polzun's)
JoAnn Hensley [Sept 18] (Friend of Jennie Everson)
Nelson Ouelette [Sept 19] (Neighbor of the Koles)



◆Catch-up Sundays: We have completed 2/3 of our year and it is time for us to look at our financial commitment. We see that our Pledge/Weekly contributions are only at 86.8% of what is hoped for. If you would like to see where you stand verses what you promised please see Juliana Veek, our Assistant Treasurer, and she will get you an electronic or printed copy of your statement.

◆Men's Club Lotto -

18 George Ludko

Support the Men's Club
Special Projects Fund!!

◆Future Dates:

Friday & Saturday, October 23rd & 24th:
53rd Diocesan Assembly at Holy Trinity,
Willimantic.

Monday, October 26th: Parish Council at
7:00 p.m.

Sunday & Monday, November 8th & 9th:
St. Nectarios Day - Festal Great Vespers,
4:00 p.m. on Sunday and Festal Divine Liturgy
9:30 a.m. on Monday at Christ the Savior Church,
Southbury.
Saturday, November 14th: Sisterhood
Dinner following Great Vespers.
Friday & Saturday, November 20th &
21st: THE GREAT FEAST OF THE ENTRANCE
OF THE THEOTOKOS INTO THE TEMPLE -
Festal Great Vespers, 6:30 p.m. and Festal
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Monday, November 30th: Parish Council
at 7:00 p.m.

September Finances

Income: \$ 7,037.00
Expense: \$ 10,732.69
Exp/Inc: \$ -3,695.69

Year-to-date Finances

Income: \$ 118,435.92
Expense: \$ 125,654.36
Exp/Inc: \$ -7,218.44