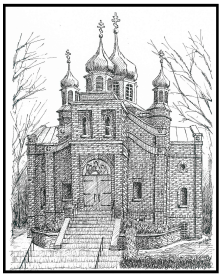

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Week of September 30 - October 6, 2018
18th Sunday after Pentecost ❖ Tone 1

Scripture Readings

2Corinthians 9:6-11

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.

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.

Parish Stewardship

Sunday September 30	Sunday October 7
Greeter: R. Delaney	Greeter: P. Salina
Cleaning: Ahern / Mah	Cleaning: Everson / Dilger
Coffee: Delaney / Stock	Coffee: Kaplan / Bress

Parish Figures

Collection: $ 747

YTD:$110,139 **[101.7%]**

YTD Goal:$108,262.00

(38 wks) [$ 2849.00/wk]

Daily readings:

October 1st
Phil. 1:1-7
Luke 6:24-30
October 2nd
Phil. 1:8-14
Luke 6:37-45
October 3rd
Phil. 1:12-20
Luke 6:46-7:1
October 4th
Phil. 1:20-27
Luke 7:17-30
October 5th
Phil. 1:27-2:4
Luke 7:31-35
October 6th
1 Cor. 15:58-16:3
Luke 5:27-32

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 30th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Sisterhood Panikhida
Coffee Hour

Tuesday, October 2nd
CT Deanery meeting @ All Saints of America Church, Salisbury 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 4th
Orthodoxy 101 @ 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, October 6th
Work Day 9 - 12ish

Great Vespers 5:00 p.m.
Confession

Sunday, October 7th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour
Sisterhood meeting

Wednesday, October 10th
Visitation: Jerome Home
1:30 p.m.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆**Work Day:** Thanks to all those who came to help put HTOC physically back together!!

◆**The September monthly charity collection** is for the **House of Heros, CT.** The Mission: The mission of House of Heroes, Inc. is to recognize and honor military and public safety veterans and/or their spouses who have served our country faithfully and sacrificially. Through service to these veterans and their spouses, House of Heroes, Inc. volunteers attempt to express gratitude that can never be adequately expressed in words alone.

Visit their website at: www.hohct.org/ Please be generous by using the envelopes provided in our monthly mailing. Collection will be taken TODAY, the last Sunday of the month.

◆**Monthly Newsletter:** if you **WANT** a printed copy of the Newsletter please **slip a note, call or email** Fr. David. All homebound/ nursing home residents **will** receive a printed copy.

◆**Meals for the Homebound:** Our Parish Life Committee requests your assistance in making food and deserts for our homebound seniors. Please find the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board and add your name. Meals are distributed on the last Sunday of each month. Please add your name for **October!** and beyond.

◆**Men's Club Lotto –**

31 Kaiden Fiedler

Support the Men's Club
Special Projects Fund!!
Do you have your number?!?!

◆**Greeters List:** For the second half of 2018 is posted on the Bulletin Board. **PLEASE** add your name to the list and welcome our guests and fellow parishioners. Any one for **December**!

◆**Coffee Hour:** There **are 4** open dates on the Coffee Hour sign-up sheet posted on the Bulletin Board.

"For the sick and suffering"

Catherine Szestakow **Eugenia Jane Gunning**
Joseph Kowar **Dorothy Kowar**
Nicholas Tabakow **Margaret Wagner**
Arlene Potter **Anastasiya Hudzen Filon**

Archpriest Paul Lazor
Archpriest Steven Belonick (Father of Dan Belonick)
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)
Quintin Tavera (surgery recovery - Father-in-law of Juliana Haskins)
Francis Ferrandino (surgery recovery - Husband of Irene Ferrandino)
Nona Richards (Mother of Sarah Clark)
Michael Kokus (Father of Nick Kokus)
Alice Stebelski (Aunt of Mallory Kokus)
Gregory Shesko (cancer - Maynard, MA)
Kathy Collins (Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Ruth Serafino (Parkinson's - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Thomas Kirby (kidney failure - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)
Sharon Fisher (Parkinson's - 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)
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 (recovery - Friend of the Santoro's)
Daniel Poproski (Nephew of Ellen Santoro)
Deborah Ray (cancer - Friend of Rachel Santoro)
Courtney Smith (recovery/breast cancer - Friend of Jennifer Bradanini)
Marge Bargielski (cancer - Sister of Potter's Brother-in law)
Frank Bargielski (Brother-in law of the Potter's)
Lynn Potter (Cousin of the Potter's)
Emma Muldoon (child friend of the Potters)
John Ludko (Brother of George Ludko)
Christopher Truhan (surgery - Son of Margaret Wagner)
Patricia Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
William Kinley (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Anita Hall (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Spencer Tracy (cancer - Friend of the Aherns)
Sarah Wild-Jones (Friend of the Aherns)
Deborah Sahin (sister of Simon Sahin)
Richard Detmer (colon cancer - Colleague of Marie Shimchick)
Susan Morris (breast cancer - Colleague of Marie Shimchick)
Heather Verdi (sister-in-law of Adam and Danielle Salina)
Frank Lozis (Brother-in-law of Diane Dounouk)
Dennis Volpie (stroke - our bricklayer)
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)
Dierdre Falla (cancer - Colleague of Greg Dresko)
Hunter Woitowitz (Leukemia - Former Student of Chris Dresko)
Jennifer Ganley (MS - Friend of Chris Dresko)

Captives:
Metropolitan Paul & **Archbishop John** of Aleppo, Syria.

..... and all those home-bound or in nursing homes!

NEWLY DEPARTED: **Yanera Figueroa** [Sept 7] (9 yr old neighbor - cancer)

◆**Future Dates:**

Orthodoxy 101 @ 10:30 a.m. Thursday, October 4th and 18th.
Thursday, October 18th: Finance Committee meeting 7:00 p.m.
Monday, October 22nd: Parish Council meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Friday & Saturday, October 26th & 27th: 55th Diocesan Assembly at All Saints Church, Htfd.
Sunday, November 4th: Parish Family Bowling following coffee hour.
Sunday, November 11th: ***St. Nectarios Day*** - Festal Great Vespers, 4:00 p.m. at Christ the Savior Church, Southbury.
Advent Fast: Thursday, November 15th - Monday, December 24th
Saturday, November 17th: Parish Council retreat day 10 - 4.
Tuesday, November 20th: The Great Feast of the ENTRY OF THE THEOTOKOS INTO THE TEMPLE [Wednesday, November 21st] - Festal Vesperal Liturgy, 6:00 p.m. followed by a pot luck Advent supper.
Monday, November 26th: Parish Council meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 2nd: Visit of "St. Nicholas" during Coffee Hour.
Wednesday, December 12th: Festal Vesperal Liturgy for St. Herman of Alaska [Thursday, December 13th] 6:00 p.m. follow by a pot luck Advent supper.

September Finances		
Income:	$	8,872.35
Expense:	$	11,448.98
Exp/Inc:	$	**-2,576.63**

Year-to-date Finances		
Income:	$	124,916.78
Expense:	$	129,974.71
Exp/Inc:	$	**-5,057.93**