

CHRIST THE SAVIOUR ORTHODOX CHURCH

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We are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God. (2 Corinthians 5:20)

SUNDAY JUNE 11, 2017

1st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 8. Holy Apostles Bartholomew and Barnabas.

All Saints. Ven. Barnabas, Abbot of Vetluga. Uncovering of the Relics of Ven. Ephraim, Abbot of Novotórgsk.

Epistle: Hebrews 11:33-12:2 **Gospel:** Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

June 11, Sun: ALL SAINTS. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Graduates

Recognition & Luncheon –*following*; Softball Games -7:30pm

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Larry Smith** 6th Hour: **Eleanor Herman**

Epistle: **Vladimir Kellachow** • *Post-Communion:* **Heidi Kushlan**

June 12, Mon: BEGINNING OF THE SS PETER & PAUL FAST (*abstain from all meat & dairy until 6/29*)

Iconography Begins w Fr. Theodore (6/12-7/2)

June 14, Wed: Bible Study (33 N 2nd St) –noon; Prospora Baking -4pm; **Vespers -6:30pm;** Choir

Rehearsal –*following*

June 15, Thu: ST. JEROME. Parish Council Meeting - 7pm; Softball Game (*single*) - 8pm

June 17, Sat: Baptism (Shine Gopinath) – 11am; Vespers & Confession (*Visitation of the*

Hawaiian Icon of the Mother of God) -5pm

June 18, Sun: ALL SAINTS OF AMERICA, Father's Day. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy -

9:30am; Fellowship –*following*. **Baby Bottles Due!**

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Heidi Kushlan** 6th Hour: **Jim Kushlan**

Epistle: **Rdr. Matthew Lubecki** • *Post-Communion:* **Rdr. Peter Staller**

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS! Please join us for fellowship in the **parish hall** after the service. Interested in becoming a part of our community? Please ask to speak to Fr. Stephen Vernak.

Important Note Regarding Communion: Only those faithful who are Orthodox Christians and have properly prepared themselves by fasting (*from all food and drink*), prayer, and recent confession; and who were at least present for the reading of the Epistle and Gospel, should approach to receive the Holy Eucharist.

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

Please remember the following persons during your daily morning and evening prayers. **Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.** Submit names to the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

AILING: PARISHIONERS: FAMILY & FRIENDS: Gary Leer (Fred's cousin); Frosco Touloumes; Amanda Beal (Sally Marasco's daughter); Dawn Lubetski (Chet Lubecki's cousin); Priest James Gleason (friend of Rdr. James); Dennis Gerdel (Keith Leaders family); Tom Eberling (friend of Kathy Kuchwara); Meredith Harris; Marianne Loney (friend of Gloria Maliniak); Ap. John Reeves; M. Mary Perez; Robert Kerwin, Kim Long (friends of Larry Smith); Larry Mosser (Eric's father); Paul Miller, Lydia Klecor, Marilyn Schawk, (family & friends of the Kushlans); Martha Rapso (cousin of M. Theodora); Marie Weremedic & Robert Rosso (family of Bill Kuchta); Marcia Brickner, Olga Zuzulock, & Ron Hassinger (family & friend of Kathy Pankiw); John Line, Sally Sauserman (family of Jean Dotsey); Seraphima Mattila & Jim Walters (friend & family of John R. Barns); Karen Osuch (John's sister-in-law); Rita Demopoulos, Ed Cales (Lopez family); Pam Faris, Raymond & Evelyn Anderson, Kerry Snell & Families (Deb Hisiro's family & friends); Diane Chambers (Anna Doray's family); John Fatich (Janet Kuzupas brother); Joseph & Steven Demchak, (Suzanne's brothers);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: Victims of Terror, War, & Strife both here and throughout the world; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; **PARISHIONERS:** Anna Doray; John & Mary Ellen Osuch; George (Leavitt) Keener; Kathryn Kellachow; Andy Fedetz; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. **HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Olga Angelo; Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Pauline Fecho; William Kantor; Janet Kuzupas; Katharine Macut; Gloria Maliniak; Millicent Russell; Jane Volscko **EXPECTANT MOTHER(S):** Monica (Jekel) Chilbert; and the child to be born of her; **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Yerusalem Arefe, Masha Cameron, Amelia Demopoulos; George Hatalowich, Wade Hisiro, Shreya Jacob; Sophia Kellachow; Madeleine Kushlan; Drake Lamb; Isaac Lampart; Christina & Joseph Martin, Evan & Johnna McGreevy, Timothy Monko; Andrew Norato; Alex Pankiw, DJ Pawlush, Molly Pylypciw, Sophia Ressetar, Jessica Shingara, Sharon Shingara; Nicole Staller, Stephanie Stine, Melissa Zuro; **FORMATION PROGRAM:** Rdr. John Shingara. **MILITARY:** Dimitrios; Evangelos; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Russell; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Fr. Joseph Martin (Dave's brother); Philip & Mekka Layland (Mark Yerke's friends); Michelle Fecho (Libby's niece); Archpriest Nicholas Harris; John & Fara Lampart; Peggy Dilello (coworker of Cathi Kemp); Christina (friend of Bethann); George Cvijic, Jr; Robert Lopez; Christine Kantner (Michelle Gopinath's aunt); Fred Polli (family of the Osuch's); Natalie Reba (Eleanor Hermans family); Timothy Long; Paul & Kay Maliniak (family of Gloria); Fr. John Nightingale; Christine Eshelman (sister of Patti Taleff); Nathan Weaver; Mamey Donak; Carol Spigelmyer; David Roberts, William Schaeffer, & Nancy Schaeffer (family & friends of John R. Barns); Linda Shue (Sharon Shingara's mother); Nancy Coles (John & Chris' mother); Ben Morgan (Sally Marasco's son); Chuck Martin; Cecilia Hunt (Larry Smith's friend & cousin); **SEMINARY FAMILY:** Moses & Christy Locke (and the child to be born of her) – Elias & Seraphim **CATECHUMENS:** Shine Gopinath; Kaylee Schofield; Nathan Zaccarelli;

NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: Robert Weise (friend of Cathi Kemp) – May 4 [6/12]; Fr. William George – May 6 [6/14];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Helen Tatusko, June 11 – 9th; Lidia Litiaho, mother of Nadzia Schilling, June 11 – 31st; Ordan Taleff, grandfather Peter, June 11 – 42nd; Arlene Rodak Redman, aunt of Barb Norato, June 12 – 25th; William Gnall, Jr., cousin of Bob Drozd, June 12 -12th; Sillas Temeslo, June 13 -4th; Sammy Occipinti, Kathy Kuchwara's uncle, June 13 -7th; Andrew W. Hornack, Sr., father of Evelyn Onufer, June 13 – 43rd; John Uram, June 14 – 15th; Diane Broskey, Libby's niece, June 15 – 3rd; Anna Mihalo, aunt of Sue Wolfe, June 15 – 24th; Angela G. Georgias, June 15 – 17th; Ruth Glosik, friend of the Ressetar's, June 16 -4th; Barbara Challenger, Eleanor Herman's cousin, June 16 -10th; Rose Marie Komernicky, June 17 – 11th;

CANDLE OFFERINGS: To purchase please speak with one of the vestrymen. *Note:* notify the office by Wednesday.

❖ **Seven Day Votive** is offered in Memory of **Arlene Rodak Redmond**, aunt of Barbara Norato

MANY YEARS: Please submit to <mailto:office@ctshbg.org> by the preceding Wednesday.

ANNIVERSARIES: Jerry & Ann Cole – June 12; Jacob & Neena Keecheril – June 13; Gary & Lori DiClemente – June 14; Chet & Nora Lubecki – June 14; Bill & Joan Dupkanick – June 15;

BIRTHDAYS: Hirut Abebe Tegegn – June 11; Denise Zullo -June 13; Michael Zart - June 14; Buck Pankiw – June 15; Stephanie (Matrona) Stine – June 16; Millicent Russell – June 17;

NEWLY BAPTIZED: Mary Alula Hagos – June 10

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

TODAY: We will hold our annual Graduate Recognition, *May God grant all the graduates many years in their future endeavors.* Following Liturgy we will have a special luncheon honoring Fr. Stephen & Mat. Anna on their 10th year with CTS!

Myrrh-streaming Hawaiian Icon of the Mother of God: Will be visiting our parish this coming **Saturday, June 17th at 5pm** (for Vespers). All will have the opportunity to venerate the icon and be anointed with the myrrh that miraculously streams from it. Glory to God for His great mercy!

Baby Bottle Blast: Bottles are "due" **next Sunday on Father's Day (6/18)**. Please place your "filled" bottles in the tub on the umbrella stand. If you have any further questions, please see **Christina Yerke**.

Graduation & Open House Party: **Cathi Kemp** extends an invitation to the parish on **Sat. June 24th** from 2pm – 5pm, and then attend Vespers. Please see the sign up sheet on the candle stand.

FOCA Orthodox Family Picnic: ALL families are INVITED to attend a picnic, on **Sunday, July 16** at **Knoebel's Grove, Pavilion K**, in Elysburg, PA, following Liturgy. A meal will be served at 6pm (\$5 per person & under 6 are free). RSVP to Greg Ressetar (ressetar@yahoo.com) or (717) 439-0527.

DEADLINE FOR PARISH FAMILY THEATER OUTING: Seats are still available for **Peter Pan** on **Saturday, July 29**, at the Dutch Apple Dinner Theater. The Luncheon buffet at 11:45 a.m. and show is at 1:15 p.m. The Deadline to reserve and pay for tickets is July 2nd. Please see the sign-up sheet on the candle stand or the hall bulletin board. For details, see the **Dupkanick's or John Dotsey**.

Vestry Youth Mentoring Program: Teens will be pairing up with Vestry Members to enrich their church experience (as well as train them for adult roles). If a youth is unable for their assigned Sunday or if you wish to be added to the schedule, please see or email **Joanne Wevodau** at jwevodau@verizon.net

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| June 11: | Nicole Zart | Benjamin Zart |
| June 18: | Brandon Hancher | Cassandra Zart |
| June 25: | Semhar Zerezgi | Ariam Zerezgi |

"O" Club Summer Fellowship: Parishioners are asked to help by bringing at least 48 servings of items, such as: soup, fresh fruit, vegetables, cheese, bagels or bread, baked goods and to serve them during their assigned fellowship hour. ***Please observe a "strict fast" (no meat or dairy products) during the fasting seasons.** If you are unable to be at church on your scheduled date, contact **John Dotsey at 566-0395**.

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| June 11: | Special Luncheon | |
| June 18: | Joanne Wevodau | Natalie Treece |
| June 25: | Libby Hancher | Andrea Zart |

LAST SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY: 140

EVENTS AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

OCCGH/Agia Sophia Golf Tournament: Will be held on **Saturday, July 15th** at Deer Valley Golf Course. See the flyer included in today's bulletin and posted for info on how to organize a 4-some or to become a corporate or individual sponsor. Contact: [Carl Hisiro](mailto:chisiro@verizon.net) at chisiro@verizon.net

Cook-out/Basket Raffle: On **Sunday, July 16th** St. Michael's in Mount Carmel will have their annual parish cook-out/basket raffle. *Divine Liturgy* begins at **9am** with *His Eminence, Archbishop MARK* and the food to be served around 11:15am. If you wish to attend please RSVP by **Friday, July 7th** by calling 570-339-1200 or email @ stosca@stmichaelsorthodoxchurch.org. Mail in basket raffle forms are in the hall.

Panera Bread Pick-Up Volunteers: Saturday evenings between 10:15-10:30 at the **Hummelstown Panera** (1178 Mae St., Hershey Square). Please contact **Sophia Kellachow** at (jmkellachow@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining a rotation or have any questions.

Agia Sophia Coffee Shop and Bookstore needs YOU!: Represent your faith while sharing your time and talents by volunteering at the shop. It is a fulfilling summer opportunity for College and High School students as well as teachers.

- Mondays 8am to 11am to serve coffee and take orders. (or whatever day you are available)
- Fridays (flexible hours) to cook soups, etc.
- Year round help is always needed. Any time, any day.

If you can donate time/talents to this ministry, please contact Joanne Wevodau at jwevodau@verizon.net or 717-580-4833