



Christ ^{the} Saviour Orthodox Church

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Archbishop MARK (Maymon), *Hierarch* **V. Rev. Stephen Vernak**, *Pastor*
Rt. Rev. Daniel Ressetar, Emeritus *V. Rev. Daniel Kovalak, Attached*
Dn. Peter (Scott) Staller, Attached *Dn. John Shingara, Attached*
Mark Yerke, Parish Council President *Peter Taleff Jr., Treasurer*

For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of
power and of love, and of a sound mind. 2 Timothy 1:7



Sunday January 12, 2020

30th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5. Sunday after Theophany.

Martyr Tatiana of Rome and those who suffered with her. St. Sava, Archbishop of Serbia.

Schedule: **Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am;** Church School & Fellowship,
following; St. Jerome Book Club – 1pm

3rd Hour: **Michelle Gopinath** 6th Hour: **Eleanor Herman**

Epistle: **Rdr. James Kushlan** • Post-Communion: **Janice Zuro**



Welcome to our Visitors!

Please join us for fellowship in the **parish hall** after the service. **Interested in learning more?** Please ask to speak to our priest, **Fr. Stephen Vernak**.

- Note: Holy Communion (Eucharist) is reserved for Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves through prayer, fasting and recent confession.

Hymns & Readings

Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone V —

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born, for our salvation, from the Virgin: for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.

Troparion, Tone I —

When Thou, O Lord, wast baptized in the Jordan, the worship of the Trinity was made manifest: for the voice of the Father bare witness to Thee, and called Thee His beloved Son; and the Spirit, in the form of a dove, confirmed the truthfulness of His word. O Christ our God, Who hast revealed Thyself, and hast enlightened the world, glory to Thee.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone V —

Thou didst descend into hell, O my Saviour, shattering its gates, as almighty, resurrecting the dead, as creator, and destroying the sting of death; Thou hast delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Man; and we cry to Thee: "O Lord, save us."

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakion, Tone IV —

Today, Thou hast appeared to the universe; and Thy light, O Lord, hath shone on us, who, with understanding, praise Thee: Thou hast come, and revealed Thyself, O light unapproachable.

Prokeimenon & Readings:

Tone 1: Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on Thee!

verse: Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous! Praise befits the just!

Epistle: (*Ephesians 4:7-13*) Brethren, to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift. ⁸Therefore He says: "When He ascended on high, He led captivity captive, And gave gifts to men." ⁹(Now this, "He ascended"—what does it mean but that He also first descended into the lower parts of the earth? ¹⁰He who descended is also the One who ascended far above all the heavens, that He might fill all things.) ¹¹And He Himself gave some *to be* apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, ¹²for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, ¹³till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ;

Alleluia Verses:

I will sing of Thy mercies, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim Thy truth from generation to generation.

For Thou hast said: "Mercy will be established forever; My truth will be prepared in the heavens."

Gospel: (*Matthew 4:12-17*) At that time, when Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, He departed to Galilee. ¹³And leaving Nazareth, He came and dwelt in Capernaum, which is by the sea, in the regions of Zebulun and Naphtali, ¹⁴that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: ¹⁵"The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, By the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles: ¹⁶The people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, And upon those who sat in the region and shadow of death Light has dawned." ¹⁷From that time Jesus began to preach and to say, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

Upcoming Services & Events

Jan 13, Mon: Altar Guild Meeting –7pm
Jan 14, Tue: TIM Board Mtg - 10am; OCF Board Mtg –12pm;
Bible Study (33 N 2nd St) -12pm; Parish Trivia Night –7pm
Jan 15, Wed: **Vespers – 6:30pm;** Confession & Choir Rehearsal, *following*
Jan 16, Thu: Lunch Bunch @The Crave (Jonestown Rd) - noon;
Parish Council Meeting –6:30pm
Jan 18, Sat: **Vespers – 5pm;** Confession, *following*
Jan 19, Sun: **Hours – 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Litiya (DiFlorio);**
Church School & Special Luncheon - *following*;
Pan-Orthodox River Blessing @ City Island 2pm;
Reception, *following @ Holy Trinity, Camp Hill*
3rd Hour: **Ken Snyder** 6th Hour: **Stephanie Snyder**
Epistle: **Nick Zuro** • Post-Communion: **Jennifer Lewis**

Parish News

St. Jerome Book Club Discussion: Will meeting TODAY @1pm to discuss;
“Atheist Delusions” by David Bentley Hart. *All are Welcome!!*

Downtown Bible Study: Tuesday, Jan 14th (**new day**) @ 12pm. Location:
33 N. 2nd Street (at the offices of John Harbilas).

Parish Directory: The *updated* directory will be distributed at the Annual Meeting, Feb 9th. Please have your updates and/or photos (*if needed*) submitted to the office no later than **Saturday, Feb 1st**. Office@CTSHBG.org

Annual Parish Meeting: Will be held on **Sunday, Feb 9th**. Please submit your reports to BHLenker@gmail.com no later than **Sun, Jan 26th**.

Calling all women of our parish: You are invited to be a part of a dynamic service-oriented women’s ministry at CTS. Our mission is to cultivate friendship among the women of our parish, instill the ideals of Christian living in its members & to participate in projects that will enhance the beautification of our church building & church vestments, among others. Be involved with Altar Guild & be a part of our growing community. **Our next meeting is tomorrow Jan 13th at 7pm in Hall. We would love to welcome you!**

Next Trivia Night: Will be **Tuesday, Jan 14th @7pm**. For **CLUES** & info click on the poster located in "Upcoming Events" on the parish homepage (www.CTSHBG.org). Questions? **See Jay or Sheri Africa.**

Lunch Bunch: Will meet on **Thurs, Jan 16th @ The Crave, Jonestown Rd.** All are welcome (including children)! Contact Joanne Wevodau to RSVP by **TODAY.** jwevodau@verizon.net or 717-580-4833

House Blessings: There is a sign-up sheet for house blessings on the candle stand. Please indicate if you'd like to have your house blessed and any info on best day and time that will help me in scheduling.

- *Reminder - "Don't feed the Priest" :) Thank you Fr. Stephen.*

SAVE the DATE: The *12th Annual River Blessing* will take place **Sunday, Jan 19th @ 2pm.** A reception to follow at Holy Trinity, Camp Hill.

- Note: Following Divine Liturgy the Men's Club will host a luncheon.

Vestry Youth Mentoring Program: For more info, please see Mark Rodak.

Jan 12:	Ben Zart	Zoe Vernak
Jan 19:	Sophia Vernak	Cassandra Zart
Jan 26:	Ben Zart	Zoe Vernak

St. Mary's Altar Guild Fellowship: Parishioners are asked to help by bringing at least 48 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 please contact **Nadzia Schilling** at **717-652-2759**

Jan 12:	Eleanor Herman	Paul Hadginske	Vicky Henry
Jan 19:	Parish Soup & Sandwich Luncheon (hosted by the Men's Club)		
Jan 26:	Nora Lubecki	Jennifer Lewis	Patti Taleff

Last Sunday's Attendance: 187

Events Around our Community

Tamburitzans: Will perform at Middletown High School on **Sat. Feb 22 @2pm.** Pre-sale tickets are \$35/adults & \$25 for seniors/college students/children. At the door is \$40. Ticket are in the office. For more info please see the flyer in the hall.

Bethesda Women's Shelter: Any one interested on volunteering please contact Joanne Wevodau at jwevodau@verizon.net or 717-580-4833

Men's Retreat (2020): Will be held Aug 20th—23rd of 2020 at the Antiochian Village. Questions? See flyer at the hall.

Panera Volunteers: Any one interested in learning more please see **Sophia Kellachow.**

Parish Prayer List

Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.

NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: George Tutino (friend of Paul Hadgenske) - Jan 1 [2/9]; **Kathy Fielder** (cousin of Judy Mamay) -Jan 3 [2/11]; **Sheila Napiltonia** (Drozd's family friend) Dec 23 [1/31]; **Varda Khan** (Drozd's family friend) - Dec 12 [1/20]; **Ap. John Kuchta** - Dec 28 [2/5]; **Rose Marie Berardi** (cousin of Lydia Mantle & Cathi Kemp) Dec 26 [2/3]; **Marian Anderson**, (Nora Lubecki's godmother), Dec 20 [1/28]; **Ap. Stephen Shuga** (Larissa and Anita's uncle) - Dec 16 [1/24]; **John (Barry) Hart** - Dec 13 [1/21]; **William Tellep** (cousin of M. Myra Kovalak); **Archimandrite Ephraim of Arizona** - Dec 7 [1/15]; **Olga DiFlorio** (Josh's mother) -Dec 6 [1/14];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Mary Harahus, mother of Sandy Wood, Jan 12 – 26th; **Charlotte Horak**, Ruth Kantor's mother, Jan 12 -12th; **Basil Lalush**, Jan 12 – 10th; **Joseph Fetsko** – Jan 14 – 1st; **David Bench**, brother-in-law of Sandy Wood, Jan 14 – 1st; **M. Joanna Pianovich**, M. Myra's mother & Natalia's grandmother, Jan 14 -8th; **Nicholas Miculita**, Jan 14 -42nd; **Paul Drebot Sr.**, husband of Pat Jan 14 -21st; **Peter Mioff**, Eli's father, Jan 16 - 41st; **Andrew Mikulak**, grandfather of John & Sue Dotsey, Jan 16 -35th; **Nadja Burcz**, Barbara Cain's mother, Jan 16 -24th; **Jean Krider**, Jen's grandmother, Jan 17 -9th; **James DiFlorio Sr.**, father of Joshua, Jan 17 -29th; **Daniel Zedlovich Sr.**, father of Deb Baggio, Jan 18 -42nd; **Stella Pedia**, aunt of Eli Mioff, Jan 18 -18th; **Raisa & Anatoly** (parents of Viktoria)

AILING: PARISHIONERS: Michael Ivanoff **FAMILY/FRIENDS:** Michael (B. Drozd father); **Craig** (D. Fedetz's son); **Brandon & Pam** (friends of C. Neumann); **John & Mary** (stepdad & mother of S. Kellachow); **Alissa; Ran** (Ethan's wife); **Catherine; Andrew, Maureen, Mary, Joanne, Roger, & John** (family & friends of the Kuchta's); **Annie** (daughter of the Africa's); **Carole; Hailey** (friend of DiFlorio's); **Fern** (Dn. Peter's mother); **Beth** (daughter of J. Wevodau); **Kim & Susan** (friends of D. Bupp); **Grace** (J. Mamay's sister); **Maria** (Worley's friend) **Ap. Dennis & Diane Buck; David** (friend of L. Smith); **Linda** (J. Africa's sister); **Paul** (J. Osuch's brother); **Pavlina** (friend of B Slivka); **M. Emily** (Larissa & Anita's aunt); **Albert** (grandfather of K. Schofield); **Arlene** (friend of L. Mantle); **Thalia** (D Bretz's aunt); **Ap. John** (N. Somple's uncle); **child Aura** (friend of D. Zullo); **Steven** (J. Hake's father); **child Eva; Jerry** (friend of D. Cain); **Lori & Constantine** (Z. Bare's mother & family friend); **Chad** (brother-in-law of J. McClure); **Flora** (T. Gault's mother); **Linda, Christine, & Cynthia** (friends of M. Myra); **Grace** (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); **Wiera, Vera** (Fr. Dan R's cousin & sister); **Elizabeth; Cassandra & Peter** (friends of L. Shuga); **Kelly & Linda** (friends of A. DiFlorio); **Richard & Anya** (friends of K. Leader); **Gemma, Clarence, Alexia & Marie** (E. Herman's family

& friend); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **Barry, Edwin, Phillip, Connie, & Daniel** (family & friends of the Leer's); **Beverly, Alem, Lyndy, Jennifer, Paul, Lydia, Marilyn, & Kristina**, (family & friends of the Kushlans); **Ron** (family of K. Pankiw); **Seraphima** (friend of J. Barns); **Deanna, John, Brian, Timothy, Jessica, Saulo, Theodore, Tanya, & Rita** (Lopez friends& family); **Steven, Patti, Paul, Evelyn, & Becky**, (D.Hisiro's family & friends); **Joseph & Louise** (S Demchak's brother & sister-in-law);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: All victims of Terror, War, Violence, & Civil Strife; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo *held hostage by Syrian Terrorists*; **PARISHIONERS:** Kathy Pankiw; Ap. Daniel & M. Myra Kovalak; John "Jack" Sweikert; Lazarus (Manny) Lopez; Joseph (Moe) & Ruth Mazurek; Lazarus (Jonathan) Dunnavent; Ann Cole; Sean Cameron; Loretta Ivanoff; Andrea (Ivanoff) Worley; John & Mary Ellen Osuch; Kathryn Kellachow; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. **HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Pauline Fecho; Joan Homa; William Kantor; Janet Kuzupas; Gloria Maliniak; Millicent Russell **EXPECTANT MOTHER(S):** Skye (Hisiro) Deiter; Chicory Biers; Elizabeth (Alison) Latimer; *and the children to be born of them*; **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, Amelia & Maria Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, Michelle Gopinath; George Hatalowich, Paige & Wade Hisiro; Shawn Jacob; Sophia & Vladimer Kellachow; Bahliby, Sammy, & Salina Kidane; Alexander & Drake Lamb; Joseph Martin, Evan & Johnna McGreevy, Timothy Monko, Otilia Murariu, Sophia Ressetar, Nicole & Shane Staller, Melissa Zuro; Ashley; Dave; Wessam; **MILITARY:** Patrick; Gabriel; Dimitrios; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Russell, Sean, Ian, Zachary, Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Frank (uncle of U. McManus); Eva & Donna (friends of the Kuchta's); Rosalie; David (cousin of Chet); Ronald; Marshal, Lisa, Lonnie & Mason (friends of A. Lamb & Lopez's); Alexandra; Stephen, Edward, Glenda, Joe, Josh & Tyrell (friends/family of A. Lamb); Masha, Ethan & Wesley (M. Cameron's family/friend); child Bridget (friend of the Yerke's); Pauline, Robert (friend & uncle of E. Bare); Nancy & family (Snyder's friends); Kristina; Terri & Charlie (E. Herman's friends); Kaye & Janet (K. Leader's aunts); Lisa, Ashley, Martha, David, Emma, Nicholas, Theodore, Steve, John, Alexandra, Juan, Isaac, Daniel, Judy, Luke, Thomas & Alexa, (family/friends of the Lopez's); George (Leavitt); Christine (M. Gopinath's aunt); Natalie (E. Herman's family); Christine (sister of P. Taleff); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, David & William (family & friends of J. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's mother); Ben & Amanda (S. Marasco's children); Marc & Cecilia (L. Smith's cousins); **SEMINARY FAMILIES:** Rdr. James, Elizabeth (Alison) Latimer *Madeleine & Winifred*; Fr. Vjekoslav, M. Dragana Jovicic *Miladan & Teodora* **CATECHUMEN(S):** John Romain; Fred Heimbaugh & Dorothy Durst, Gabriel, Sophia, Payton, & Emma; Ethan Mandel & Annie; Judith Mamay; Timothy Marasco; *[newborn] Miles Dupkanick*

Many Years!

Please submit names and dates to office "at" ctshbg.org

BIRTHDAYS: Dorothy Durst – Jan 6; Brandon Hancher – Jan 12; Anna Sovich – Jan 12; Joshua Di Florio – Jan 13; Isabella Zeppuhar - Jan 14; Tsedey Afrassa - Jan 14; Steven Wood – Jan 14; Evelyn Onufer – Jan 14; Christine Azab – Jan 15; Janet Kuzupas – Jan 16; Timothy McMahon – Jan 16; Dn. Peter (Scott) Staller – Jan 16; Cole John Schilling – Jan 16; Gabriella Schilling – Jan 16;

Candle Offerings

To donate, please speak with one of the vestrypersons



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