



# Christ <sup>the</sup> Saviour Orthodox Church

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Dn. John Shingara, Attached

Rdr. Christopher Rakowski, Choir Director

John Dotsey, Treasurer

**B**ut the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law. (Galatians 5:22-23)

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## Sunday September 19, 2021

**13th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 4. Afterfeast of the Elevation of the Cross. Sunday after Elevation.** Martyrs Trophimus, Sabbatius, & Dorymedon of Synnada. Rt. Blv. Theodore, Prince of Smolensk and Yaroslav', & his children, Ss. David & Constantine. Martyr Zosimas, Hermit, of Cilicia. St. Theodore of Tarsus, Archbishop of Canterbury.

Schedule: **Hours – 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Welcome Fr. Nicholas & M. Anastasia Molodyko-Harris! Fellowship, following; St. Jerome's Book Club – 1pm**

**Readers: 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: Lydia Mantle 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: DiFlorio/Lubecki**

**Epistle: Rdr. Matthew Lubecki • Post-Communion: Janice Zuro**

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## **W**elcome to our Visitors!

**Interested in learning more?** Please visit our parish website and email our priest, **Fr. Stephen Vernak**

## *Hymns & Readings*

### **Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone IV —**

When the women-disciples-of-the-Lord learnt, from the angel, the joyous message of Thy resurrection, they cast away the ancestral curse, and, elatedly, told the apostles: 'Death is overthrown; Christ God is risen, granting, unto the world, great mercy'.

### **Troparion, Tone I —**

O Lord, save Thy people; and bless Thine inheritance; grant victories to the Orthodox Christians over their adversaries; and, by virtue of Thy cross, preserve Thy habitation.

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

### **Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone IV —**

My Saviour and Redeemer, as God, rose from the tomb, and delivered the earth-born from their chains; He hath shattered the gates of hell; and, as Master, He hath risen on the third day.

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

### **Kontakion, Tone IV —**

As Thou wast, voluntarily, raised upon the cross for our sake, grant mercy to them that are called by Thy name, O Christ God; make all Orthodox Christians glad by thy power, granting them victories over their adversaries, by bestowing, on them, the invincible trophy, Thy weapon of peace.



### **Prokeimenon & Readings:**

**Tone 7:** Extol the Lord our God: / worship at His footstool for He is holy!  
(Sunday After)

*verse: The Lord reigns, let the people tremble!*

**E**pistle: (1 Corinthians 16:13-24) *Brethren*, watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong. <sup>14</sup> Let all *that* you *do* be done with love. <sup>15</sup> I urge you, brethren—you know the household of Stephanas, that it is the firstfruits of Achaia, and *that* they have devoted themselves to the ministry of the saints— <sup>16</sup> that you also submit to such, and to everyone who works and labors with *us*. <sup>17</sup> I am glad about the coming of Stephanas, Fortunatus, and Achaicus, for what was lacking on your part they supplied. <sup>18</sup> For they refreshed my spirit and yours. Therefore acknowledge such men. <sup>19</sup> The churches of Asia greet you. Aquila and Priscilla greet you heartily in the Lord, with the church that is in their house. <sup>20</sup> All the brethren greet you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. <sup>21</sup> The salutation with my own hand—Paul's. <sup>22</sup> If anyone does not love the Lord Jesus Christ, let him be accursed. O Lord, come! <sup>23</sup> The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ *be* with you. <sup>24</sup> My love *be* with you all in Christ Jesus. Amen.

**Alleluia Verses:**

*Remember Thy congregation, which Thou hast gotten of old!*

*God is our King before the ages; He has worked salvation in the midst of the earth!*

**G**ospel: (Matthew 21:33-42) "*Hear another parable:* There was a certain landowner who planted a vineyard and set a hedge around it, dug a winepress in it and built a tower. And he leased it to vinedressers and went into a far country. <sup>34</sup> Now when vintage-time drew near, he sent his servants to the vinedressers, that they might receive its fruit. <sup>35</sup> And the vinedressers took his servants, beat one, killed one, and stoned another. <sup>36</sup> Again he sent other servants, more than the first, and they did likewise to them. <sup>37</sup> Then last of all he sent his son to them, saying, 'They will respect my son.' <sup>38</sup> But when the vinedressers saw the son, they said among themselves, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and seize his inheritance.' <sup>39</sup> So they took him and cast *him* out of the vineyard and killed *him*. <sup>40</sup> "Therefore, when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those vinedressers?" <sup>41</sup> They said to Him, "He will destroy those wicked men miserably, and lease *his* vineyard to other vinedressers who will render to him the fruits in their seasons." <sup>42</sup> Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the Scriptures: 'The stone which the builders rejected Has become the chief cornerstone. This was the LORD's doing, And it is marvelous in our eyes'?"

## Upcoming Services & Events

**Sept 21, Tue:** Clergy Peer Group –10am (Stroudsburg); OCA Clergy Synaxis –7pm

**Sept 22, Wed:** Bible Study – noon; **Vespers – 6:30pm;** Choir Rehearsal

**Sept 24, Thu: Divine Liturgy –9:30am @ Holy Apostles, Mechanicsburg**

**Sept 25, Sat: Vespers- 5pm;** Confession, following

**Sept 26, Sun: Hours – 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am;** Corn Hole Tournament with Food Sale–12pm

Readers: 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: **Kenneth Snyder** 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: **Michelle Gopinath**

Epistle: **Rdr. Leo Leer** • Post-Communion: **Rdr. Leo Leer**



## Parish News

**Notes from parish council:** AEDS are installed in the church and hall. Training will be held in near future; Approved donations for the family of the late Fr. Stacy Richter, and Holy Apostles for their dinner dance; Door replacement project (north east & west) of the church is scheduled for October; Our entry facade will be upgraded, thanks to a generous donation.

**With Gratitude:** Thanks to my church family for all the cards, phone calls, visits and especially the prayers offered for me when I underwent surgery. I feel so blessed to have so many caring people in my life. *Sue Demchak*

**Corn-hole Tournament/Fellowship:** **Sun, Sept 26<sup>th</sup>** the youth group will prepare pulled pork & sloppy joe's sandwiches and sides. Donation \$5.

**SAVE the DATE:** The Slavic<sup>Plus</sup> Food Fest is BACK! It will be held on **Sat, Oct 2 & Sun, Oct 3** from 12pm -3pm. For more information you can go to our event webpage <https://www.ctshbg.org/foodfest>

### Upcoming Education Ministry 's are resuming:

- **Bible Study** will resume on **Tue, Sept 28<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm.**
- **Orthodoxy 101** will resume on **Sun, Oct 10<sup>th</sup> @ 12:15pm** - hybrid
- **Church School** will resume on **Sunday, Oct 10**, following Divine Liturgy

**Women's Online Retreat:** Will be held on **Sat, Nov 13<sup>th</sup> from 11am – 3pm.** The theme is, *"The Joy of Resolving the Unresolved Peacefully."* We will sign up individually (\$35 per person) & meet as a group in the church hall. Lunch will be provided by the Altar Guild. RSVP by Wed, Nov 10.

- Link: <https://store.ancientfaith.com/2021-womens-retreat/>
- Questions? Contact **Sophia Kellachow** [jmkellachow@gmail.com](mailto:jmkellachow@gmail.com)

**Fellowship Hours:** All parishioners are asked to host a week by providing such items as soup, fresh fruit, veggies, cheese, baked items, etc. & coordinate with the other families to decide on the menu. *Plan on approximately 100 parishioners at Fellowship.* You will receive a reminder a week before you are scheduled. If you can't participate on your date, contact Joanne @ 717-580-4833 or [jwevodau@verizon.net](mailto:jwevodau@verizon.net)

**Sept 19:** Shuga, Spaits, Dimoff, and Leader Families

**Sept 26:** Youth Group Corn Hole Food Sale

**Oct 3:** Slavic "Plus" Food Fest

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## Parish Prayer List

*Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.*

**NEWLY DEPARTED [40<sup>TH</sup> DAY]:** Ap. Anastasy Richter - Sept 5 [10/14]; M. Ap. Sergei Glagolev - Sept 1 [10/10]; Dennis Chrush (Bill Kuchta's friend) - Aug 30 [10/8]; Dorothy Jean Wertz (aunt of Rdr. James Kushlan) - Aug 24 [10/2]; John Kelnock (friend of Bill Kuchta & Rdr. James Kushlan) - Aug 24 [10/2]; Wiera Sandovich Bakowska (St. Maksym's granddaughter & relative of the Ressetar's) - Aug 26 [10/4]; Tom Pedia (cousin of Eli Mioff) - Aug 18 [9/26]; M. Ap. Michael Koblosh - Aug 18 [9/26]; M. Tresja Denysenko - Aug 19 [9/27]; Miklos Foldi (cousin of Cathi Kemp & Lydia Mantle) - Aug 16 [9/24]; Michael Coleman (friend of Cathi Kemp) - Aug 13 [9/21];

**ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED:** Mousa S. Shunnara, Sept 19 - 23<sup>rd</sup>; Di-  
anne Williams, sister of Doug Cain, Sept 19- 2<sup>nd</sup>; Anne Kozuk, +George  
Krempasky's sister, Sept 20 - 43<sup>rd</sup>; Mikhail Allakhverdov, Sept 20 - 5<sup>th</sup>;  
Robert Jostenski, uncle of Elizabeth Bare, Sept 20 - 1<sup>st</sup>; Christine Harden-  
stine, Sept 21 -12<sup>th</sup>; Helen Repko, Sept 21 -16<sup>th</sup>; Imogene Morris Smith,  
Sean Cameron's grandmother, Sept 21 -7<sup>th</sup>; Catherine Onufrak, Sept 22 -  
22<sup>nd</sup>; Mitred Ap. Vladimir Prislopsky, M. Theodora's father, Sept 23 -51<sup>st</sup>;  
Dennis Somple, father of Nick, Sept 24 - 2<sup>nd</sup>; Katherine Matychak, M.  
Christophora's mother, Sept 24 -11<sup>th</sup>; Mary Hadginske, Paul's mother, Sept  
25 - 3<sup>rd</sup>; Stacia (Anastasia) Coggins, Sept 25 -24<sup>th</sup>; Catherine Miller, aunt of  
Frederick Leer, Sept 25 -6<sup>th</sup>; William "Bill" Slupatchuk, Jr, Sue Wolfe's  
cousin, Sept 25 - 13<sup>th</sup>;

**AILING: PARISHIONERS: FAMILY/FRIENDS:** John, Gary & Peggy (brother,  
cousin & friend of Donna Bretz); Billy (K. Pankiw's cousin); Alexsya, Su-  
zanne, Gemma, (E. Herman's niece/godchild, family & friend); Erma (friend  
of N. Murphy); Mary (B. Keener's sister-in-law); David & Stephen (brother  
& friend of C Kemp & L. Mantle); Willard Brown; John (M. Anna's brother);  
Eddie (V. Baker's friend); Igumen David (Lewis); Michael & Brian (father &  
friend of B. Drozd); M. Anne Pawlush & Neal (Dave's mother & brother);

**James** (brother of M. Koviloff); **Betty & Bill** (J. Mamay's friends); **Joan Teresa & Dori** (mother & niece of N. Lubecki & J. Lewis); **Lori** (Z. Bares mother); **Alex** (uncle of C. Yerke); **William** (M. Hilarene's brother); **Lynn** (Himes daughter-in-law); **Martha** (aunt of A. Cole); **Kristin & Abe** (family & friend of Dn. Peter); **Marlin & Wendy** (Treece family friends/neighbors); **Dan & Nina** (friend of D. Bupp); **Shirley** (L. Pawlush's mother); **Sandy, Hailey, & Kelly** (friends of DiFlorio's); **Ronald; April & Joseph** (family of L. Hancher); **Ruth** (T. McMahons sister-in-law); **child Joshua; Sandy, Sue & Doreen** (E. Bare's friend & family); **M. Lisa Weremedic** (wife of Fr. James); **Janice & Emil** (J. Zuro & G. Leer's aunt & uncle); **child Fynn; Kay, Richard, & Anya** (aunt & friends of K. Leader); **Patty** (friend of K. Pankiw); **Mitchel** (Jean Dotsey's nephew); **Linda** (M. Sharon's mother); **Ap. Michael & M. Valeria Hatrak; Jeanette** (daughter of E. Onufer); **Jacob** (brother of Pat Drebot); **Helen, Charlie, Myrna & Shirley** (family & friends of Mallick's); **Wendy** (M. Deamer's mother); **Janet** (friend of D. Fedetz); **Kim & Mona** (sisters of Ab. Mark); **David** (friend of L. DiClemente); **Brandon & Pam** (friends of C. Neumann); **Mary** (mother of S. Kellachow); **Mary, Nicholas, Alissa; Catherine; Andrew, Maureen, Mary, Joanne, Roger, & John** (family & friends of the Kuchta's); **Carole; Fern** (Dn. Peter's mother); **Grace & Karen** (J. Mamay's sisters); **Victoria, Erin & David** (friends of L. Smith); **Pavlina** (friend of B. Slivka); **M. Emily** (Larissa & Anita's aunt); **Karenmay** (friend of L. Mantle); **child Aura** (friend of D. Zullo); **Steven** (J. Hake's father); **child Eva; Lori & Constantine** (Z. Bare's mother & family friend); **Flora** (T. Gault's mother); **Linda, Christine, & Cynthia** (friends of M. Myra); **Grace** (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); **Vera** (Ressetar's family); **Elizabeth; Cassandra & Peter** (friends of L. Shuga); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **Barry, Edwin, Phillip, Connie, & Daniel** (family & friends of the Leer's); **Paul, Adam, Bev, Alynda, Tina, Jenny, Marilyn, Jan, Alicia, Shelby, & Malinda** (family & friends of the Kushlans); **Seraphima** (friend of J. Barns); **Thelma, Shari, Norman, Darrell, Justo, Alexa, Thomas, Leida, Jesus, Marsha, Alexander, Anastasia, John, Brian, Timothy, Jessica, Saulo, Theodore, & Tanya**, (Lopez friends & family); **Pam, Jamie, Danielle, Tessa, Billy & Morgan** (Hisiro family & friends); **Joseph & Louise** (S. Demchak's brother & sister-in-law);

**HEALTH & WELL-BEING:** Those suffering from natural disasters. All victims of Sickness, Terror, War, Violence, Racism, Injustice & Civil Strife; **Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo** *held hostage by Syrian Terrorists, for the suffering people of Haiti and Afghanistan, especially our citizens and soldiers who are in harms way*; **PARISHIONERS:** **Mary & Jerry White; Mary Ellen Osuch; Nora Lubecki; Natalie Treece; Suzanne Demchak; Evan M.; Dn. Peter Staller; Nadzia Schilling; Tom Drebot; Tony Onufer; Ita (Stephanie) Snyder; M. Theodora Ressetar; John "Jack" Sweikert; Loretta Ivanoff; Joseph Sembrot; Birikit & Hannah Zerat; Jeanne Zane; Teklu Og-**

bamichael; Katherine Kudelko; Evelyn Onufer; M. Ap. Daniel & M. Myra Kovalak; Joseph (Moe) & Ruth Mazurek; Lazarus (Jonathan) Dunnavent; Kathryn Kellachow; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. **HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Carol; Rita; Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Millicent Russell; **EXPECTANT MOTHER(S):** Skye (Hisiro) Deiter; Iryna Pototska; Natalia Seewald; Natalie Murphy; *and the children to be born of them*; **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, David, Amelia Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, George Hatalowich, Jacob Herman; Shawn Jacob; Rdr. Vladimer Kellachow; Flimon Kesete; Matthew Mikita; Sammy & Salina Kidane; Alexander Lamb; Timothy Monko, Molly Pylypciw; Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; **MILITARY:** Abel; Jacob; Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Kalei (family of K. Leader); Steve (friend of Johnna M.); Janice (S. Jekel's mother); Ryan Patrick (family of N. Klipa); Michael, Emily, & newborn Ezra (S. Kellachow's family); Vicki, Ken, & Scott (friends of the Pankiw's); Dan (K. Taleff's son-in-law); Samantha (Somple's daughter); Annie & Devon (daughters of the Africa's); Marina (D. Martin's neice); Deb (sister of Donna Bretz); Kiki, Maria & Theodore (Dn. Peter's friends); Elaine (Rdr. Leo & Garnice's daughter); Ethan, Mitch, Rob, Jody, Jackie, Bruce, & Helen (family & friends of the Mallick's); Scott, Gary & Paul (friends of the Lenker's); Iryna (Snyder family); M. Natasha Lazor, Cindy, Christine, & Stella "Linda" (M. Myra's friends); Mary & Judy (Rdr. L. Leer's cousins); Ron (friend of K. Pankiw); Vasiliki; George (friend of J. Marmay); Heather (sister of S. Cameron); Shenia (sister of N. Schilling); Eva & Donna (friends of the Kuchta's); Rosalie; David & Dawn (cousins of Chet); Alexandra; Masha, Ethan & Wesley (M. Cameron's family/friend); Pauline (friend of E. Bare); Nancy & family (Snyder's friends); Thomas, Andrew, Priest Demetrius Nicoloudakis, Megan, Jacob & family, Georgia, Maria, Blake, Keisha, Dimitrios, child Evangelia, Kyle, Martha, Emma, Nicholas, Jack, Samuel, Christian, Theodore, Steve, John, Alexandra, Juan, Isaac, Daniel, Judy, Luke, Johnny, Leticia, Jim, Paul, Samuel, Faye, Jon, child Landon (family/friends of the Lopez's); Christine (M. Gopinath's aunt); Natalie (E. Herman's godchild); 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); **SEMINARIANS:** (St. Vladimir's) Dn. John & M. Alexandra Black - Evyn, Lydia, Joshua, & Noah (St. Tikhon's) Rdr. Thomas & Lydia Given - Magdalena & Dominic; **CATECHUMEN(S):** John Romain; Joseph Middelkoop; Ray & Amy Rieck - Gordon, Maren, & Morgan; Melissa Hanna - Tressa & Sarai; Isaiah Kerstetter



## Many Years!

Please submit names and dates to [office@ctshbg.org](mailto:office@ctshbg.org)

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Michael & Janice Zuro – Sep 20; Paul & Mary Ann Hadginske – Sep 22; Bethann & Kenneth Lenker – Sep 25;

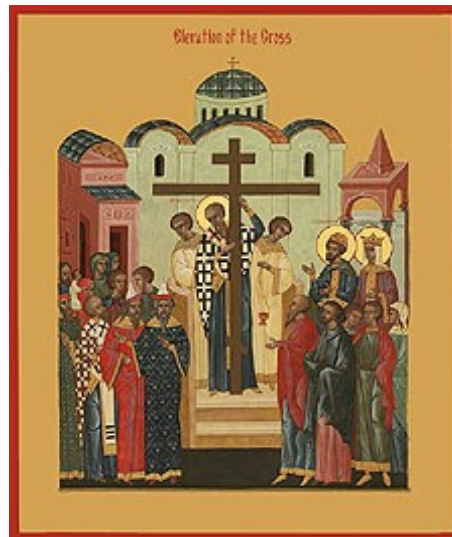
**BIRTHDAYS:** Otilia Murariu –Sept 21; Jessica Priestley –Sept 21; Tom Shingara – Sept 21; Skye Hisiro Deiter– Sep 24; Louise Bare –Sept 24; Miles Dupkanick –Sept 24;

**NEWLY MARRIED:** Michael & Doina (Macari) Uehlien –Sept 18

## Candle Offering

To donate, please see a vestryperson

**7** Day Votive is offered in Health & Salvation of **Mike & Alice Mallick**



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