



Christ ^{the} Saviour Orthodox Church

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Archbishop Mark (Maymon), Hierarch

V. Rev. Stephen Vernak, Pastor

Rt. Rev. Daniel Kovalak, Attached

Mark Yerke, Parish Council President

Dn. Peter (Scott) Staller, Attached

Dn. John Shingara, Attached

Rdr. Christopher Rakowski, Choir Director

Sbdn. Andrew Katerman, Treasurer

But 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*

Sunday May 1, 2022

ANTIPASCHA. 2nd SUNDAY OF PASCHA — Tone 1. St. Thomas Sunday.

Prophet Jeremiah. Ven. Paphnutius, Abbot of Boróvsk. New Martyrs Euthymius, Ignatius, & Acacius, of Mt. Athos. Hieromartyr Makáry, Metropolitan of Kiev. Martyr Bata the Persian. Rt. Blv. Tamára, Queen of Georgia. Ven. Nikēphóros of Chios.

Schedule: **Bishop Entrance – 9am. Hours - 9:10am; Hierarchical Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Ordination of Sbdn. Aaron Rutz to the Diaconate; 50th Wedding Anniversary Blessing of Rick & Sandy Wood;** Special Fellowship Hour hosted by the Men's Club, & Egg Hunt, *following*

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Sophia Kellachow** 6th Hour: **Angie DiFlorio**

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

Welcome to our Visitors!

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

Hymns & Readings

Troparion, Tone VII —

From the sealed tomb, Thou didst shine forth, O life; through closed doors, Thou didst come to Thy disciples, O Christ God: renew, in us, through them, an upright spirit, by the greatness of Thy mercy, O resurrection of all.

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

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

Kontakion, Tone VIII —

Thomas touched Thy life-giving side with an eager hand, O Christ God: when Thou camest to Thine apostles through closed doors, he cried out, with all: 'Thou art my Lord and my God'.



Prokeimenon & Readings

Tone 3: Great is our Lord, and abundant in power, / His understanding is beyond measure.

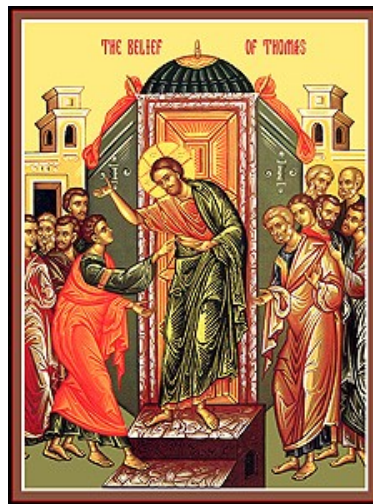
Verse: Praise the Lord! For it is good to sing praises to our God!

Epistle: (Acts 5:12-20) *In those days, through the hands of the apostles many signs and wonders were done among the people. And they were all with one accord in Solomon's Porch. ¹³Yet none of the rest dared join them, but the people esteemed them highly. ¹⁴And believers were increasingly added to the Lord, multitudes of both men and women, ¹⁵so that they brought the sick out into the streets and laid *them* on beds and couches, that at least the shadow of Peter passing by might fall on some of them. ¹⁶Also a multitude gathered from the surrounding cities to Jerusalem, bringing sick people and those who were tormented by unclean spirits, and they were all healed. ¹⁷Then the high priest rose up, and all those who were with him (which is the sect of the Sadducees), and they were filled with indignation, ¹⁸and laid their hands on the apostles and put them in the common prison. ¹⁹But at night an angel of the Lord opened the prison doors and brought them out, and said, ²⁰"Go, stand in the temple and speak to the people all the words of this life."*

Alleluia Verses: *Come, let us rejoice in the Lord! Let us make a joyful noise to God our Savior!*

For the Lord is a great God, and a great King over all the earth.

Gospel: (*John 20:19-31*) The same day at evening, being the first *day* of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in the midst, and said to them, "Peace *be* with you." ²⁰ When He had said this, He showed them *His* hands and His side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. ²¹ So Jesus said to them again, "Peace to you! As the Father has sent Me, I also send you." ²² And when He had said this, He breathed on *them*, and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³ If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the *sins* of any, they are retained." ²⁴ Now Thomas, called the Twin, one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ The other disciples therefore said to him, "We have seen the Lord." So he said to them, "Unless I see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe." ²⁶ And after eight days His disciples were again inside, and Thomas with them. Jesus came, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, "Peace to you!" ²⁷ Then He said to Thomas, "Reach your finger here, and look at My hands; and reach your hand *here*, and put *it* into My side. Do not be unbelieving, but believing." ²⁸ And Thomas answered and said to Him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹ Jesus said to him, "Thomas, because you have seen Me, you have believed. Blessed *are* those who have not seen and yet have believed." ³⁰ And truly Jesus did many other signs in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book; ³¹ but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name.



Upcoming Services & Events

May 1, Mon: Altar Guild Meeting –6:30pm

May 2, Tue: Office of Pastoral Life Meeting –11:30am; Pre-Trivia Social – 6:30pm; Trivia Night –7pm

May 3, Wed: Bible Study –noon; **Vespers – 6:30pm;** Confession & Choir Rehearsal, *following*

May 7, Sat: **Vespers –5pm;** Confession, *following;*

May 8, Sun: HOLY MYRRH-BEARING WOMEN. Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Church School & Potato Pancake Fellowship, *following*

Readers: 3rd Hour: **M. Hilarene Staller** 6th Hour: **Larry Smith**

Epistle: **John Dotsey** • *Post-Communion:* **Mary White**

Parish News

Happening TODAY: Please welcome Archbishop Mark! Following liturgy the Men's Club will provide a **Special Fellowship** Hour *stuffed chicken, mashed potatoes, corn & desserts* for a \$7 donation, children under 12 free. After the meal all children 5th grade & younger are invited to an **Egg Hunt**. Teens are welcome to help set up & assist the younger kids hunt for eggs.

Notes from parish council: Ethan Mandel is relocating to the Seattle area, the council elected M. Sharon Shingara to fill the vacancy; Approved donations to The Tikhonaire, St. Herman's, St Tikhon's, and St Vladimir's seminaries, missionaries Jesse and Juanita Brandow; OCMO Support a Mission Priest program; Paxton Ministries; and Orthodox Christian Prison Ministry; Church hall basement bathrooms are completed. Work on the church basement bathrooms will begin this week; Sight & Sound Theatres' production of Ruth will be shown in the church hall— date TBD.

With Gratitude: Thank you to all who have remembered me in prayer, sent cards, flowers & called after my recent surgery. Your prayers mean so much to me & are being felt each day! May God Bless You! *With love in the Risen Christ, Eleanor Herman.*

Trivia Night: Will be held on **Tue, May 3rd @ 7pm**, a social will be at 6:30pm. Questions? See or call Jay or Sheri Africa 717-566-3691.

Baby Bottle Blast: to support the ministry of the Capital Area Pregnancy Center will take place from Mothers Day—May 8 through Fathers Day—June 19. Fill your bottle with check, cash or change and return to the church by Fathers Day.

St. Jerome's Book Club: Will meet on **Sunday, May 15th @1pm**. We will discuss "On the Apostolic Preaching" by St. Ireneus of Lyon. All are welcome!

Grave Blessings: Will be held on **Sunday, May 22**. Schedule is: Churchville @ 1:30pm; Baldwin @ 2pm; Fr. Indiantown Gap @ 3:45pm. All others by appointment, please contact Fr. Stephen - pastor@ctshbg.org

Parish Cookbook: Don't forget the deadline for entries is **May 31st**. The instructions & forms can be found on our Parish website under the tab Parish Life & then Parish Documents. We are counting on all of you!

SAVE the DATE: 6th Annual OCCGH Golf Tournament will be held on **Sat, July 9** at Eagles Crossing Golf Course in Carlisle - 4 person Scramble Play with Team & Skill Prizes plus a Sirloin Steak & Beer Buffet. \$280 per team. RSVPs are due by **July 7**.

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.* 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 -

May 1:	Parish Feast Day Sponsored by the Men's Club
May 8:	Leader, Barns, Pankiw, & Snyder Families
May 15:	Lopez, Baker, Kovalak, & J/S Shingara Families

Parish Prayer List

Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.

NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: Ab. Paul of Chicago—April 24 [6/2]; Knarik Avanesyan - April 12 [5/21]; Cherie Ann Durst (Dorothy's mother) - April 2 [5/11]; Eugene Yanikc (brother-in-law of Bette Ann Slivka) – April 1 [5/10]; Alice Angell (cousin of Rdr. Leo) – April 1 [5/10]; Marilyn Leer (aunt of Rdr. Leo) – Mar 29 [5/7];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Timothy Shingara, father of Dn. John & Tommy, May 1 – 3rd; Evelyn Bacha, mother of Lydia Mantle & Cathy Kemp, May 1 – 51st; James Wolfe, father of Sue, May 1 -33rd; Katie McGarrity, friend of the Lenker's & Zarts, May 2 – 6th; Randall Paules, Patty Taleff's nephew, May 2 -11th; Bernard Kozuck, +George Krempasky's brother-in-law, May 4 – 61st; Brian Ribarro, cousin of Paul Hadginske, May 5 -12th; Gene Demchak, brother of Suzanna, May 5 – 6th; Mary Essok, May 6 – 15th; Raymond Azab, father of Andrew, May 7 – 3rd; Daniel Radonovic, Dotsey family godfather, May 7 – 13th; Sandy Book – May 7 – 4th;

AILING: PARISHIONERS: Terry Drebot **FAMILY/FRIENDS:** M. Olga Klembara (Larissa & Anita's Aunt); John Pylypciw; Frank, Michael, & Kathleen (family of R. Baker); Carolyn (friend of C. Kemp); Charles, Sophia, & Ana (family & friends of C. Dardaris); Betty (E. Mandel's grandmother); Dennie (B. Keener's stepson); Shaun (brother of L. Desautels); Joan & Gary (family & friend

of the J. & A. Cole); **Daria** (friend of the Dotsey & Klipa families); **Hannes, Anne & Elizabeth** (family of R. Rieck); **Robert** (cousin of John Dotsey); **Andrea** (I. Arahavos's mother); **Elaine** (sister of S. Africa); **Mary, Peter, Barry, Edwin, Connie, & Daniel** (family & friends of the Leer's); **Juanita, Barry, Trish, Pam, Danielle, & Morgan** (Hisiro family & friends); **Elle** (friend of J. McGreevy); **John** (brother of J. Krut); **Pam, Dan & Nina** (friends of D. Bupp); **Gary & Peggy** (cousin & friend of Donna Bretz); **Alexsya & Cassie** (family & friend of E. Herman); **Erma** (friend of N. Murphy); **Igumen David (Lewis); Neal** (D. Pawlush's brother); **James** (brother of M. Koviloff); **Betty & Bill** (J. Mamay's friends); **Joan Therese & Dori** (mother & niece of N. Lubecki & J. Lewis); **Lori** (Z. Bares mother); **Alex** (uncle of C. Yerke); **Lynn** (Himes daughter-in-law); **Kristin & Abe** (family & friend of Dn. Peter); **Shirley** (L. Pawlush's mother); **Sandy, Hailey, & Kelly** (friends of DiFlorio's); **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); **Russ, Rev. Mark, Mandi, Connie, Charlie, & Shirley** (family & friends of Mallick's); **Wendy** (M. Deamer's mother); **Kim & Mona** (sisters of Ab. Mark); **David** (friend of L. DiClemente); **Brandon & Pam** (friends of C. Neumann); **Mary** (mother of S. Kellachow); **Mary & Nicholas** (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); **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); **Grace** (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); **Vera** (Ressetar's family); **Elizabeth; Kiera** (friend of L. Shuga); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **Charlie, Abuit, 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); **Joseph** (S. Demchak's brother);

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 *Ukraine, Haiti & Afghanistan*, especially our citizens & soldiers who are in harms way; **PARISHIONERS:** **Thomas Drebot; Robert Baker; Eleanor Herman; Louise Bare; Gail & David Goss; Mary Ellen Osuch; Natalie Treece; Suzanne Demchak; Evan M.; Tony Onufer; Ita (Stephanie) Snyder; M. Theodora Ressetar; John "Jack" Sweikert; Joseph Sembrot; Birikit & Hannah Zerat; Jeanne Zane; Teklu Ogbamichael; Katherine Kudelko; 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:** Michael Drozd; Carol; Rita; Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Millicent Russell; **EXPECTANT MOTHER(S):** Pauline Guiseppe; Monica (Jekel) Chilbert; Gabrielle (Kushlan) Russin; Tishna Fedetz; Brooke Jones; *and the children to be born of them*; Elva Lubecki; Chicory (Snyder) Biers *and the child born of her* **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, David, Amelia Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, George Hata-lowich, Jacob Herman; Shawn Jacob; Rdr. Vladimir Kellachow; Flimon Kesete; Matthew Mikita; Sammy & Salina Kidane; Alexander Lamb; Molly Pylypciw; Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; **MILITARY:** Conrad; Shawn; Benjamin; Rdr. Vladimir; Abel; Jacob; Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Gordon & Christine (friends of C. Kemp); Ap. John & Mat. Stephanie Onofrey; Joe & Lucy (Deb McGinnes's husband & granddaughter); Stacey (B. Keeners friend); Anne (sister-in-law of R. Rieck); Jesse Hake; George, Nancy, & Paul (father & friends of V. Baker); Mitchell, Deborah, Michael, Emily, Ezra (S. Kellachow's family); George & Matthew (family of J. Mamay); Ap. Victor Gorodenchuk (doctorate defense); Ray (friend of M.E. Osuch & C. Kemp); Kalei (family of K. Leader); Steve (friend of Johnna M.); Janice (S. Jekel's mother); 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); Deb (sister of Donna Bretz); Elaine (Rdr. Leo & Garnice's daughter); Diane, Helen, Ethan, Mitch, Rob, Jody, Jackie, & Bruce, (family & friends of the Mallick's); Ronald; April & Joseph (family of L. Hancher); Scott, Leo, Cindy, Gary & Paul (friends of the Lenker's); Iryna (Snyder family); M. Natasha Lazor, Cindy, & Stella "Linda" (M. Myra's friends); Judy (Rdr. L. Leer's cousin); Ron (friend of K. Pankiw); Vasiliki; Heather (sister of S. Cameron); Shenia (sister of N. Schilling); 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); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, David & William (family & friends of J. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's mother); Marc & Cecilia (L. Smith's cousins); **MISSIONARIES:** Jesse & Juanita Brandow (Guatemala); **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; Isaiah Kerstetter;



Many Years!

Please submit names and dates to office@ctshbg.org

ANNIVERSARIES: Rdr. James & Heidi Kushlan – May 4; Richard & Sandra Wood - May 6 (50th); Robert & Vanessa Baker – May 7;

BIRTHDAYS: George Botros – May 1; Robel Kesete – May 2; Selamawi Gebre – May 2; Jacob Herman – May 3; George Botros, Jr. – May 5; Senay Gebre – May 6; Danielle Zuro – May 7;

Candle Offering

To donate, please see a vestryperson

7 Day Votive is offered in Health & Salvation of **Reba Files** in honor of her 98th birthday and in Memory of **Wilber Files** on his 100th birthday, parents of Sheri Africa



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