

# CHRIST THE SAVIOUR ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*“Lord increase our faith”* Luke 17:5

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 2, 2014

32nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 7. THE MEETING OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE. Sunday of Zacchaeus.

**Epistle:** 1 Timothy 4:9-15  
Hebrews 7:7-17

**Gospel:** Luke 19:1-10  
Luke 2:22-40

## UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

**Feb 2, Sun: MEETING OF THE LORD IN THE TEMPLE, ZACCHAEUS SUNDAY, Scout Sunday.** Adult Ed - 8:30am; **Divine Liturgy -9:30am;** Church School -11am; **“Souper Bowl of Caring”**, Fellowship - 11:15am; Orthodoxy 101 –noon; Parish Super Bowl Party -5:30pm

*Readers:* 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: **Sophia Kellachow** • 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: **John Shingara** • Epistle: **Vladimer Kellachow**

**Feb 3, Mon:** Men’s Club Meeting -7pm

**Feb 5, Wed:** Bible Study (33 N 2<sup>nd</sup> St) –noon; Prospora Baking – 4pm; **Vespers -6:30pm;**

*Note: Evening Bible Study cancelled;* Choir Rehearsal -7:30pm

**Feb 6, Thu: ST. PHOTIUS, PATRIARCH OF CONSTANTINOPLE**

**Feb 8, Sat: Vespers & Confession -4pm;** Choir Rehearsal – 5pm

**Feb 9, Sun: Publican & Pharisee.** Adult Ed -89:30am; **Divine Liturgy -9:30am;** Church School - 11am; Fellowship -11:15am; Orthodoxy 101 –noon

*Readers:* 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: **Scott Staller** • 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: **Chet Lubecki** • Epistle: **Larry Smith**

● [ANCIENTFAITHRADIO.COM](http://ANCIENTFAITHRADIO.COM) - 24 hour Orthodox Internet Radio

● [OrthodoxyinAmerica.org](http://OrthodoxyinAmerica.org) (Traveling or Going on Vacation?) **check it out!**

**WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!** Please join us for fellowship in the church hall following the service. If you are interested in becoming a part of our community please ask to speak to Fr. Stephen Vernak. Please note: 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 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:** Frank Skirpan; Katherine Pilc **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Dave Arnold and Gill Clouse (friends of the Cains); Kay Himes (Keith Leaders aunt); Marsha Himic (Dana Watts mother); Archpriest Makarius Targonsky (classmate of Fr Dan); Bert Pickering (friend of Gloria Maliniak); Louis Zang & Michalene Scheponik (Rapso), (cousins of Mat. Theodora); K.C. Mariamna (Jacob Keecheril's mother); Mary & Frank Tonart, (parents of Sophia Kellachow); Diane Chambers & Helen Lanwehr (daughter & sister of Anna Doray); Carrie Faust, & Ellen Collins (friends of Jerry & Ann Cole); Theodore Demopolous (Sam's father); Jamie Krempasky & Irene Pagel (George's family); Keturah Faust (J. Barns and L. Shuga's friend); Matthew Kocsis, John & Robert Fatich (Janet Kuzupas' family); Joseph & Steven Demchak, (Suzanne's brothers);

**HEALTH & WELL-BEING:** Suffering Christians throughout the world, especially, Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo and abducted Nuns and orphans of St. Thekla Monastery (held hostage by Syrian Terrorists); **PARISHIONERS:** Gloria Maliniak; Effie Spaseff; Evelyn Krempasky; Kristen Seitz; Sue Wolfe; Saba Ghebresalassie; Ghebremichael Habtegeorghis; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas **HOME-BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Betty Danko; Nicholas Essis; Ann Pusey; Agnes Risser; Millicent Russell; Shirley Sass; Salwa Shunnara; **EXPECTANT MOTHERS:** Kyra Lentz; Courtney Zeppuhar; Abby Bifano and the children to be born of them; **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** David Ambartsumian, Jessica Drebot, Matthew Hadginske, Skye Hisiro, Shreya Jacob, Zachary Koss, Alex Pankiw, DJ Pawlush, Sophia Ressetar, Mariah Schware, Jessica Shingara, Michael & Sarah Somple, Shane Staller, Jessica Taleff, MaryAnn Wood. **MILITARY:** Jeremy Fetsko; Steven Heberle; Patrick Hofmann; Evangelos Kanellakos; Stephanie King; Jim Mitnik; Matthew Pylypciw; Thomas Shingara; Sean Slaughter; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Fr. Alexander Atty; Fr. John Onofrey; Ariam Teclai; Raymond Anderson, Wanda Pelham, (father & friend of Debbie Hisiro); John Hawranick, Jr. (nephew & Godson of Bill Kuchta); Bonnie Fields (friend of the Lopez); Ben Morgan (Sally Marasco's son); Gary DiClemente (Lorie's husband); Marie Cini (Bob's mother); Christine Kihm, Charles Klein, Margaret & Cecilia Hunt (Larry Smith's aunt & cousin); Diane Broskey; Willard Brown. **CATECHUMENS:** Jesse Hake; Jacob and Kyra Lentz - Nowell, Roman, and Constantine; Jason and Courtney Zepuhar - Brendan, Tenley Jo, and Isabella; Kathryn Charlton; Cindy Shorthall; Joseph McClure; Matthew and Rachel Brubaker - Anastasia

**NEWLY DEPARTED:** Elmer Ruhl (Pat Drebot's brother) - Jan 30; Pelegia Szewczyk (mother of Anna Kuchta & wife of Maksym) - Jan 7; Maj. Gen. Nicholas P. Kafkalis, (friend of Fr. Dan) - Dec 31; Phyllis Mumford (aunt of Larry Smith) - Dec 27; Anastasia (Nell) Mason (aunt of Fr. Dan) - Dec 23;

**ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED:** John Patnychuk, husband of Beth, Feb 2 - 14<sup>th</sup>; Carol Boyer, Ann Cole's friend, Feb 2 - 6<sup>th</sup>; Protopresbyter Joseph Kreta, Feb 2 - 2<sup>nd</sup>; Mary Vochity, Feb 3 - 33<sup>rd</sup>; Arthur James, Gloria Maliniak's brother-in-law, Feb 3 - 12<sup>th</sup>; Nancy E. Pilc, daughter of Katherine & sister of Mary White, Feb 4 - 15<sup>th</sup>; Mary (Mamie) Hancher, Ron's sister, Feb 4 - 19<sup>th</sup>; Bronko Nickliss, Feb 4 - 9<sup>th</sup>; Paul Bradl Jr., Feb 4 - 13<sup>th</sup>; Proteasa Isolde Dobrin, Feb 5-4<sup>th</sup>; John Caba Sr., father of Dottie Barbu, Feb 5 - 51<sup>st</sup>; George Moshos, Feb 5 - 9<sup>th</sup>; Kerry Casner, friend of Angie DiFlorio, Feb 6-8<sup>th</sup>; Thomas (Foma) Bushallow, a seminary & college classmate of Fr Dan; Feb 7 - 5<sup>th</sup>; Tatiana Skripnikova, friend of Elena Harrison, Feb 7 - 8<sup>th</sup>; Elizabeth "Betty" Middlesworth, Feb 7 - 3<sup>rd</sup>; Wilbert C. Hand, Feb 8 - 20<sup>th</sup>; Mary Krempasky, George's sister in law, Feb 8 - 6<sup>th</sup>; Diane Benson, Kathy Pankiw's cousin, Feb 8 - 3<sup>rd</sup>;

**CANDLE OFFERINGS:** To purchase commemoration candles, please go to the candle desk or speak with one of the vestrymen. Please note: offerings must be in the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

\* **Seven Day Votive** is offered in **Memory of Theodore Demchak**, brother of Suzanne

\* **Two Decorated candles** are offered in **Memory of Teheste Tesfazion**, on the 1<sup>st</sup> year of departing this life, brother of Yorusalem

**MANY YEARS:** Please submit to [ctsocahbg@aol.com](mailto:ctsocahbg@aol.com) by the preceding Wednesday.

**BIRTHDAYS:** Bette Keener - Jan 31; Christina Martin - Feb 3; Tatiana Drebot - Feb 4; Shane Staller - Feb 5; David Hancher - Feb 8; George Paul Hatalowich - Feb 8; Helen Yannone - Feb 8

# PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS:

## **TODAY Sunday Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> - Feast of the "Meeting of the Lord": 40 days after Nativity -**

- **Scout Sunday:** Today we recognize our parish scouts. We will also be presenting **Vladimer Kellachow** the highest Orthodox religious award available to a scout – the Alpha Omega Award. God grant all our scouts many years!
- **"Souper Bowl of Caring" Sunday** - special collection will be taken by our teens after the dismissal to help support the work of IOCC.
- **Parish Super Bowl Party at 5:30pm** at the parish hall. Come out and enjoy some great food and fellowship with your parish family.



**UPDATED Choir Rehearsal Dates:** In addition to our regularly scheduled Wednesday evening rehearsal, there will be rehearsals on **Saturday, February 8, 15, & 22 at 5pm** following Vespers.

**NOTE OF THANKS:** The family of **+Pelegia Szewczyk** would like to thank everyone for the cards, and prayers during their grief. A special thanks to the choir for singing so beautifully at the Panakhida.

**Gift Card Program:** The latest gift card order forms (in pink) are available in the candle stand.

**Lunch Outing:** St. Mary's Altar Guild is organizing a lunch outing on **Tue., Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm** at the Peach Tree Restaurant located on Progress Ave. in Hbg. **All are welcome to join us including men!** If interested please **contact Jean Dotsey** at 566-0395 by Mon., Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Presentation:** All parishioners are invited to attend a presentation by John Barns entitled "TELLING THE STORY OF SAINTS AND ANIMALS AND THEIR ICONOGRAPHY" to be presented before Divine Liturgy on Sunday morning, **February 16<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am**, downstairs underneath the church sanctuary.

**Sight and Sound Theater's presentation of MOSES:** The Sr. "O" Club is organizing a visit for all interested parishioners to Sight and Sound Theater's presentation of MOSES. The date is **Tuesday, July 22**, for the **2:45 p.m.** show. Ticket prices are \$52 for ages 19 or older; \$29, ages 13-18; \$19, ages 3-12. A sign-up sheet is available on the candle stand. It is important that you respond quickly so the Club can order enough tickets. Please see **Bill or Joan Dupkanick or John Dotsey** for more information.

**Panera Bread Pick-Up Volunteers:** We are looking for families willing to assist with this "Daily Bread" ministry by picking up on Saturday evenings between 10:15-10:30 at the **Hummelstown Panera** (1178 Mae St., Hershey Square). Please contact **Sophia Kellachow** (jmkellachow@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining a rotation or have any questions.

**St. Mary's Altar Guild Fellowship Hour Schedule:** 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 **Nadzia Schilling** at 652-2759.

<b>Feb 2:</b>	<b>Alice Mallick</b>	<b>Sue Dotsey</b>	<b>Denise Zullo</b>
Feb 9:	Libby Hancher	Ekaterina Hancher	David Hancher
Feb 16:	Effie Spaseff	Marie Spaseff	Marina Cameron

**LAST SATURDAY VESPERS: 25 • LAST SUNDAY LITURGY: 165**

## EVENTS AROUND OUR ORTHODOX COMMUNITY

**Looking for Volunteers:** **Agia Sophia Coffee House & Bookstore** is seeking parishioners to volunteer. Please see Joanne Wevodau at [jwevodau@verizon.net](mailto:jwevodau@verizon.net) with any inquiries.

To learn more about Agia Sophia check out our web page at [www.agiasophiaharrisburg.com](http://www.agiasophiaharrisburg.com)

**Recycle your Cards:** The *Sisters at Holy Transfiguration Monastery (Ellwood City, PA)* will use recycled greeting cards to make Icon-themed books. They will take Christmas, Pascha, and any other greeting card. Simply cut your cards in half and deposit the printed part in the box on the umbrella rack in the vestibule. Thank you!

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