CHRIST THE SAVIOUR ORTHODOX CHURCH

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"Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong. Let all that you do, be done with love." 1 Corinthians 16:13

SUNDAY AUGUST 23, 2015

12th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — **Tone 3. Leavetaking of the Dormition**. Martyr Lupus, slave of St. Demetrius of Thessalonica. Hieromartyr Irenæus, Bishop of Lyons. St. Eutychius and Florentius, of Nursia. St. Callinicus, Patriarch of Constantinople.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15: 1-11 **Gospel:** Matthew 19: 16-26

Upcoming Services and Events:

Aug 23, Sun: St. Ireneus of Lyons. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Fellowship

-following (in Hall Basement); Hicks/Latimer Wedding -2pm Readers: 3rd Hour: Larry Smith: · 6th Hour: Leavitt Keener Epistle: Vladimer Kellachow · Post-Communion: Rdr. Peter Staller

Aug 26, Wed: Bible Study (33 N 2nd St) –noon; **Vespers -6:30pm**; Bylaws Meeting –following;

Note: No Choir Rehearsal

Aug 27, Thu: VEN. POEMEN & ST. PHANOURIOS. Matins -9am

Aug 28, Fri: Job of Pochaev. Vesperal Liturgy @ Holy Apostles (Mechanicsburg) -

6:30pm

Aug 29, Sat: Beheading of St. John the Baptist (Strict Fast). Vespers & Confession -

5pm

Aug 30, Sun: St. Alexander Nevsky. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Teacher

& Student Blessing – *following;* Fellowship – *following.*

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Sophia Kellachow**: 6th Hour: **Vladimer Kellachow**

Epistle: Chris Dupkanick · Post-Communion: Teens

Aug 31, Mon: Men's Club Meeting -7pm

- ANGIENTFAITHRADIO.GOM 24 hour Orthodox Internet Radio
- 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. <u>Please note</u>: 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.

<u>AILING: PARISHIONERS: Nancy Beatty; Gloria Skirpan FAMILY & FRIENDS: Mike Kozlowski Jr.</u> (son of Mark Yerke's co-worker); Ed Cales (friend of the Lopez's); Max Owens; Matt Findling, Raymond & Evelyn Anderson, Paul Anderson (Debbie Hisiro's friends & family); Gladys Barns (John's mother); child Tori Brackbill & parents; Barbara Lee Pickering & Jim Tessier (family of Gloria Maliniak); Luke Spaseff; Emily Campbell & Joyce Graybill, (Jerry Cole's cousin & friend); Joan Conte & Marion Shortall (Cindy's family); Michael Bertoldi (friend of Jean Dotsey); Marsha Himic (Dana Watts mother); Mary & Frank Tonart (Sophia Kellachow's parents); Diane Chambers & Helen Lanwehr (Anna Doray's family); Keturah Faust (J. Barns & L. Shuga's friend); John Fatich (Kuzupas family); Joseph & Steven Demchak, (Suzanne's brothers);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: Suffering Christians throughout the world; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; PARISHIONERS:; Ruth Osterburg; Kathryn Kellachow; Sara Holman; Keith Leader; Andy Fedetz; Nicholas Somple; Gloria Maliniak; Sue Wolfe; Ghebremichael Habtegheorghis; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. Home-**BOUND & IN-CARE FACILITIES:** Betty Danko; Nicholas Demopoulas (Sam's cousin); Nicholas Essis; Ann Pusey; Agnes Risser; Millicent Russell; Shirley Sass; Salwa Shunnara; EXPECTANT MOTHERS: Aurika Vrabie; Natalia (Kovalak) Seewald; Kristen Iwancio, and the children to be born of them; COLLEGE STUDENTS: Yerusalem Arefe, Thomas Asfaha, Masha Cameron, Jessica Drebot, Matthew Hadginske, Shreya Jacob, Bahliby Kidane, Cathi Kemp; Christina Martin, Joseph McClure, Evan McGreevy, Alex Pankiw, DJ Pawlush, Molly Pylypciw, Sophia Ressetar, Jessica Shingara, Shane Staller <u>MILITARY:</u> Patrick Hofmann; Evangelos Kanellakos; Stephanie King; Matthew Pylypciw; David Riesberg; Thomas Shingara; Michael Somple; PJ & Peter (family of the Lopez's) FAMILY & FRIENDS: Dorothy Zera; Charles Luciano (friend of Eli & Suzanne Mioff); Larry Mosser (Eric's father); Richard Hamlet (friend of Larry Smith); Matthew Cinelli (friend of Rdr Matthew); Katie McGarrity (friend of the Lenker's & Zart's); Christine Eshelman (sister of Patty Taleff); William Schaeffer, Leonard Morris, Cathy, Seraphima Mattile, **John Branht** & **Shirley Glade** (family and friends of John R Barns); **Linda Shue** (Sharon Shingara's mother); Nancy Coles (John & Chris' mother); Ginny Ranck & Mike Frizzi (Keener friends); Ben Morgan (Sally Marasco's son); Marie Cini; Christine Kihm, Charles Kline, Cecilia Hunt (Larry Smith's cousin);. <u>Seminary Family</u>: Joseph & Rachel Frangipani - Anthony CATECHUMENS: Matthew & Rachel Brubaker - Anastasia; Michael Loar; Bette Keener

<u>Newly Departed</u>: **Barbara Member** (Michael Loar's aunt) – Aug 5; **Velin Tuskov** (Michael Ivanoff's cousin) - July 28;

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Joe Krajsa, friend of Larry Smith & our church choir, Aug 23 -8th; Rita Telep, Ann Cole's cousin, Aug 23 -7th; Peter Starinshak, father of Elizabeth Hancher, Aug 24 -31st; Jaqueline Rapso, M. Theodora's cousin, Aug 24 -1st; Sandy Suad Essis, Aug 25 -20th; Lucille Koloski, mother of Mary Ellen Osuch, Aug 26 -5th; Michael Kanoff Sr., Aug 26 -23rd; Jacob Yatcilla, Eleanor Herman's Grandfather, Aug 27-27th; Stephen Polansky, father of +Carl, Aug 28 -42nd; Barbara Burkett, Courtney Newcomb's aunt, Aug 28 - 5th; Aleksy Kurylo, husband of +Helen, Aug 29 -41st;

<u>Candle Offerings:</u> To purchase commemoration candles, please go to the candle desk or speak with one of the vestrymen. <u>Please note:</u> offerings must be in the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

Seven Day Votive is in Health & Salvation of Mike Mallick, from Alice

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

Awwiversaries: Kidane & Freweini Ghebremichael - Aug 23; Lydia & Gary Mantle - Aug 23; John & Joanne Coles - Aug 27; Deborah & Joseph McGinnes - Aug 28

BIRTHDAYS: Joey Martin - Aug 23; Jerry White -Aug 25; Rdr. James Latimer - Aug 25; Melissa

Zuro - Aug 26; Benjamin Coles - Aug 28; Daniel Coles - Aug 28

Parish News and Events

<u>Children's Orthodox Book Signing</u>: Jane Svitchan (author) and Sheena Hisiro (illustrator) will be signing a new children's book being released called <u>Herman, My Love</u>, at Agia Sophia Coffee Shop and Bookstore on Friday, September 11th, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and at Christ the Saviour Orthodox Church in Harrisburg on Sunday, September 13th after Divine Liturgy at 11 a.m. <u>Herman, My Love</u> is \$20 per book and 10% of all profits of this book will go to the Father Srboljub Jockovich Fund for charity.

<u>Capital Area Pregnancy Center:</u> Thank you for helping us with the "Baby Bottle Blast" Fundraiser! "To date" we have raised over \$95,500 and **CTS raised \$759.53!** 75 bottles were taken out and 24 are still out, if you haven't returned your bottles please do so full or empty, the bottles are \$.75 each.

<u>Family Game Night:</u> Will be held on **Friday, Sept 11**th **at 7pm** in the church basement. Bring a game & snack items and enjoy an evening of fellowship!

<u>Save the Date:</u> On **Sunday, September 13th** we will have our Annual Parish Family Picnic/Sunday School "Kick-Off", following Divine Liturgy. <u>NOTE</u>: Vespers (Exaltation of the Cross) will follow at <u>approx</u>. 12:30/1:00pm

St. Jerome Quarterly Book Club: The book will be "Our Thoughts Determine our Lives: The Life and Teachings of Elder Thaddeus". The club will meet on **Sunday October 18th** at 2pm (Parish Hall). Please see **Jacob Lentz**, **Book Club Coordinator**, for more information. The Books will be available at the Parish Sales Desk soon!

<u>SAVE the DATE:</u> A Community Outreach Event will be held on **Wednesday, October 21st** at CTS. *Compline* will be at 6:30pm with the public lecture at **7pm.** Our guest speaker **Abbot Tryphon** and will be giving a talk entitled: "Engaging the Culture, *While remaining faithful to the Gospel in the time and place where we are call".* Be sure to invite your family, friends and neighbors, this is a no charge event!

Basket Raffle: The Annual Basket Raffle will feature a new section - small gifts for children. We are looking for donations for this new section to have about 20 items for children ages 5-10 with value of about \$5 - \$8 dollars. This section will be lesser in value than the adults & the ticket prices will be lower also. All the same deadlines & contacts apply to the mailer you should receive this week.

Summer Fellowship Hour Schedule: "O" Club members are asked to help by bringing at least 4 dozen 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 (717) 566-0395

Aug 23:Dave MartinAlice MallickAug 30:Lorrie PawlushSophia Katerman

Sept 6: St. Mary's Altar Guild

LAST SATURDAY VESPERS: 25 • LAST SUNDAY LITURGY: 107

EVENTS AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

Annual Parish Picnic: The Holy Resurrection of Christ, Serbian Orthodox Church in Lebanon, PA invites us to their Annual Parish Picnic on **Sunday, August 30th** from **noon to 6pm.** For more information please see the flyer in the candle stand or call 717-274-6698.

<u>IOCC Race to Respond:</u> The IOCC is hosting a WALK or RUN Charity event to help in the Charm City (Baltimore) on **Saturday, October 17th.** For more information please call 410-243-9820 or visit racetorespond.org/Baltimore.

<u>Panera Bread Pick-Up Volunteers</u>: 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 Coffeehouse & Bookstore: Is in need of volunteers for the summer months. This is a great opportunity for high school & college students, teachers and retirees. Training will be provided; all you need is a will to serve others and a smile. Contact: **Joanne Wevodau** (717) 580-4833 or **jwevodau@verizon.net**

➤ Monday: Counter worker – 8am to 11am; Tuesday: Kitchen worker – make soups, salads, wash dishes (flexible hrs); Thursday: Kitchen volunteer; Friday - kitchen volunteer