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But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord! (Joshua 24:15)

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 24, 2017

16th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — **Tone 7. Holy New Martyrs of Alaska, Hieromonk Juvenaly and Peter the Aleut.** Holy Protomartyr and Equal-to-the-Apostles Thecla. Ven. Nicander, Hermit, of Pskov. Monk Martyr Galacteon of Vologdá. Ven. Coprius of Palestine. Ven. Abramii, Abbot of Mirozh (Pskov). St. Vladislav of Serbia. Ven. Dorothy of Kashin. Ven. Silouan of Mt. Athos.

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 6:1-10 **Gospel:** Luke 5:1-11

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

Sept 24, Sun: New Martyrs of Alaska. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Church

School & Fellowship - following; Orthodoxy 101- 12:30pm; Youth Group - 5pm

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Rdr. John Shingara** 6th Hour: **Eleanor Herman**

Epistle: Nicholas Zuro • Post-Communion: Janice Zuro

Sept 25, Mon: VEN. SERGIUS OF RADONEZH. Men's Club Meeting -7pm

Sept 26, Tue: Lunch Bunch @ The Crave -11:30am; Ministry Faire Meeting -7pm

Sept 27, Wed: Bible Study (33 N 2nd St)-noon; Vespers -6:30pm; Choir Rehearsal -following

Sept 28, Thu: VEN. CHARITON. Diocesan Council Meeting (S. Canaan)

Sept 30, Sat: Vespers & Confession -5pm

Oct 1, Sun: PROTECTION OF THE MOST HOLY THEOTOKOS. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy

-9:30am; Church School & Fellowship -following; Orthodoxy 101 -12:30pm

Readers: 3rd Hour: Lydia Mantle 6th Hour: Jennifer Lewis
Epistle: Larry Smith • Post-Communion: Rdr. Matthew Lubecki

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS! Please join us for fellowship in the **parish hall** after the service. Interested in becoming a part of our community? Please ask to speak to Fr. Stephen Vernak. **Important Note Regarding Communion:** Only those faithful who are Orthodox Christians and have properly prepared themselves by <u>fasting</u> (*from all food and drink*), <u>prayer</u>, and <u>recent confession</u>; and who were at least 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.

ATLING: Parishioners: Joseph (Moe) Mazurek; Maria Vasilca; Family & Friends: Lonnie & Fred Polli (John Osuch's family); Marianne Loney; Fr. Stephen Mack; infant Theodore Buffenmeyer (Alice Mallick's great grandson); M. Myra Kovalak (Natalia Seewald's mother); Daniel Leer (Fred's cousin); Robert Kerwin, Kim Long Barbara Gross (friends of Larry Smith); Jennifer Miller, Joan Trautlein, Paul Miller, Lydia Klecor, Marilyn Schawk, (family & friends of the Kushlans); Martha Rapso (cousin of M. Theodora); Victor Schimko, Marie Weremedic, Robert Rosso, & Roger Fornstrom (family & friend of the Kuchtas); Marcia Brickner, Olga Zuzulock, & Ron Hassinger (family & friend of Kathy Pankiw); Fred Lawrence, John Line, family of Jean Dotsey); Seraphima Mattila & Jim Walters (friend & family of John R. Barns); Rita Demopoulos, Ed Cales (Lopez family); Bill Fisher, Raymond & Evelyn Anderson, Kerry Snell & Families (Deb Hisiro's family & friends); John Fatich (Janet Kuzupas brother); Mike, Joseph & Steven Demchak, (Suzanne's brothers);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: Victims of Terror, War, & Civil Strife both here and throughout the world; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; PARISHIONERS: Lazarus & Samantha Lopez; Andrew Katerman; Thomas Drebot; James Krut; Natalie Treece; Anna Doray; John & Mary Ellen Osuch; Kathryn Kellachow; Andy Fedetz; Sue Wolfe; Daniel Bretz; Robin Kuzupas. Home-Bound & IN-CARE FACILITIES: Olga Angelo; Nicholas Demopoulos; Nicholas Essis; Pauline Fecho; William Kantor; Janet Kuzupas; Katharine Macut; Gloria Maliniak; Millicent Russell; Jane Volscko <u>Expectant Mother(s)</u>: Yordanos Gebre; Elizabeth (Alison) Latimer; Popadija Andreja Rocknage; Monica (Jekel) Chilbert; and the children to be born of them; <u>College Students</u>: Yerusalem Arefe, Masha Cameron, Amelia Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; George Hatalowich, Wade Hisiro, Shreya & Shawn Jacob; Sophia Kellachow; Bahliby & Sammy Kidane; Madeleine Kushlan; Drake Lamb; Isaac Lampart; Christina & Joseph Martin, Evan & Johnna McGreevy, Timothy Monko; Andrew Norato; Alex Pankiw, DJ Pawlush, Molly Pylypciw, Sophia Ressetar, Jessica & Sharon Shingara; Nicole & Shane Staller, Stephanie Stine, Melissa Zuro; <u>Formation Program:</u> Rdr. John Shingara. <u>Military:</u> Casey; Dimitrios; Evangelos; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Russell; <u>Family & Friends:</u> Jessica Lane (Henry's daughter); Kathy (friend of the Lopez's); Edward & Catherine (fiends of Cathy Kemp); Dennis Bricker (family of the Bretz's); Sandy Zaccarelli (Nathan's mom); George (Leavitt) Keener; Michelle Fecho (Libby's niece); Kenneth Lenker & Christina (husband & friend of Bethann); George Cvijic, Jr; Christine Kantner (Michelle Gopinath's aunt); Fred Polli (family of the Osuch's); Natalie Reba (Eleanor Hermans family); Paul & Kay Maliniak (family of Gloria); Christine Eshelman (sister of Patti Taleff); Nathan Weaver; Marney Donak; Carol Spigelmyer; David Roberts, William Schaeffer, & Nancy Sheaffer (family & friends of John R. Barns); Nancy Coles (John & Chris' mother); Ben Morgan & Amanda Beal (Sally Marasco's chidren); Chuck Martin; Cecilia Hunt (Larry Smith's friend & cousin); <u>Seminary Family</u>. Moses & Christy Locke – Elias, Seraphim, & Symeon <u>Catechumens</u>: Kaylee Schofield; Nathan Zaccerelli;

NewLy Departed [40TH Day]: Tamara Cuzzocrea (cousin of Paul Hadginske) – Sept 9 [10/158; Barbara Santarelli (friend of the Ressetars) –Sep 5 [10/14]; Nancy Juris - Aug 29 [10/7]; Dylan Dry – Aug 21 [9/29]; Elena Lavrenenko - Aug 18 [9/26];

Anniversaries of Departed: Katherine Matychak, M. Christophora's mother, Sept 24 -7th; Stacia (Anastasia) Coggins, Sept 25 -20th; Catherine Miller, aunt of Frederick Leer, Sept 25 -2nd; William "Bill" Slupatchuk, Jr, Sue Wolfe's cousin, Sept 25 -9th; Taisia Drobish, Bill Kuchta's niece, Sept 26 -6th; William Perbetsky Sr., Sept 27 -18th; Marion S. Smith, Larry mother, Sept 27 -9th; John Caba, Dottie Barbu's brother Sept 27 - 8th; Suad S. Essis, Sept 28 -42nd; George Wolfe, uncle of Sue Wolfe, Sept 28 -15th; Fred Martin, Dave's brother, Sept 28 -Diane Midlich, Sept 29 -21st; Rita Papach, Sept 29 -11th; Peter Burcz, father of Barbara Cain, Sept 30 -49th; Mitred Archpriest Dimitri Ressetar, Fr. Dan's father, Sept 30 -33rd; Bagrat Avanesyan, Rita's father, Sept 30 -11th; Helen Lanwehr, sister of Anna Doray, Sept 30 -2nd;

<u>Candle Offerings:</u> To purchase please speak with one of the vestrymen. <u>Note:</u> notify the office by Wednesday.

7 Day Votive is offered in Memory of Fr. Vladimir Prislopsky, from the Ressetar's

Many Years: Please submit to mailto: office@ctshbq.org by the preceding Wednesday.

Anniversaries: Bethann & Kenneth Lenker – Sep 25

<u>BIRTHDAYS</u>: Tom Shingara — Sept 21; Skye Hisiro — Sep 24; Lazarus (Manny) Lopez - Sept 28; Nicholas Schilling — Sep 28; Jacob Keecheril — Sep 28; Chet Lubecki — Sept 29; Dottie Barbu — Sep 29; Joanne Wevodau — Sep 29

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

Church School Request: The Church School is looking for anyone with extra space to store the Paschal Play scenery & costumes until the new shed arrives. We need to have the items out of the hall basement before the Food Fest. Questions please see Angie Diflorio angiedee5@comcast.net

Disaster Response Fund: International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC). Please visit www.iocc.org to donate.

> Also, through Sunday, October 22nd we will be collecting Health/Hygiene Kits to be delivered to IOCC. Please bring your items to the vestibule collection bins and they will be compiled by our Sunday school as well as our Youth Group. The kits check list is one hand towel, washcloth, comb, metal nail clipper, bar of soap, toothbrush (no toothpaste), and six band aides.

Parish Directory: Is finally here! Don't forget to pick up your copy to save on mailing expenses, thank you! Please let us know if there are any omission, corrections, etc. Parish Directory Ouestionnaires are available in "New Parishioner" folder next to the candle desk.

Fellowship Hour "Coffee Team": We are looking for a few more volunteers to take a turn once every two or three months to make the coffee for Fellowship Hour on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please sign up on the sheet on the candle desk, or see **Jean Dotsey.**

Slavic+ Food Fest Advertising Opportunity: If you have a business or know someone who does, please consider advertising in our brochure for a \$25 or \$50 donation. We will display a business card ad in our food fest brochure and have the company name on wall posters displayed throughout the event. Please email the business card to: office@ctshbq.org. Checks can be mailed to the church or given to the office. Any questions, contact Lydia Mantle @ (717) 329-8061 or babaliddy@gmail.com. Thank you in advance!

St. Jerome Book Club: Will discuss "Reclaiming the Atonement: The Incarnate Word", by Fr. Patrick Henry Reardon, on Sun, Oct 22nd from 2-3:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Copies of the book are available at the bookstore in the parish hall. Questions? Contact Joe McClure at imcclure59@yahoo.com

Vestry Youth Mentoring Program: Teens will be pairing up with Vestry Members to enrich their church experience (as well as train them for adult roles). If a youth is unable for their assigned Sunday or if you wish to be added to the schedule, please see or email Joanne Wevodau at iwevodau@verizon.net

Sept 24:

Eden Araya

Tsedey Afrassa

St. Mary's Altar Guild Fellowship: 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 717-652-2759

Sept 24:

Sharon Shingara

Sally Marasco

Denise Zullo Donna Bretz

Oct 1: Oct 8:

Patti Taleff

Mary White

Slavic + Food Fest

LAST SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY: 150

EVENTS AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

<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.

<u>Agia Sophia Coffee Shop and Bookstore needs YOU!</u>: Represent your faith while sharing your time and talents by volunteering at the shop. It is a fulfilling summer opportunity for College and High School students as well as teachers.

- Mondays 8am to 11am to serve coffee and take orders. (or whatever day you are available)
- Fridays (flexible hours) to cook soups, etc.
- Year round help is always needed. Any time, any day.

If you can donate time/talents to this ministry, please contact Joanne Wevodau at jwevodau@verizon.net or 717-580-4833