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

## SUNDAY OCTOBER 29, 2017

21st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 4. Martyr Anastasia the Roman. Ven. Abramius the Recluse, and his niece, Bl. Mary, of Mesopotamia. Ven. Abramii, Archimandrite of Rostov. Martyr Claudius, Asterius, Neon, and Theonilla, of Aegæ in Cilicia. Righteous Anna of Constantinople. Monk Martyr Timothy of Esphigmenou.

**Epistle:** Galatians 2:16-20 **Gospel:** Luke 8:26-39

#### UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

Oct 29, Sun: Martyr Anastasia of Rome. Hours -8:40am; Christmation & Marriage Blessing of Kaylee

Schofield & Nathan Zaccerelli -9am; Divine Liturgy -9:30am; Church School & Fellowship – following; Orthodoxy 101 -12:15pm; Men's Club Annual Meeting & Football fellowship -

4pm (parish hall); Youth Group -5pm (church basement)

Readers: 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: Rdr. Peter Staller 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: Lydia Mantle Epistle: Rdr. Leo Leer ● Post-Communion: Rdr. John Shingara

Oct 31, Tue: HIEROMARTYR JOHN KOCHUROV

Nov 1, Wed: Bible Study (33 N 2<sup>nd</sup> St) –noon; *Vespers -6:30pm*; Choir Rehearsal –following

Nov 2, Thu: Martyr Acindynus of Persia. Parish Maintenance (leaves) 4pm – dark

Nov 4, Sat: Chris & Rachel Dupkanick Marriage Blessing -1pm; 1<sup>st</sup> Confession Class 2:30pm – 5pm;

Vespers & Confession -5pm

Nov 5, Sun: Martyrs Galacteon & His Wife Epistemis. Hours -9:10am; Divine Liturgy -9:30am;

Church School, 1st Confession Class Breakfast, & Fellowship -following; Orthodoxy 101 -

12:15pm

Readers: 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: **Heidi Kushlan** 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: **Jim Kushlan** Epistle: **Rdr. Peter Staller** ● Post-Communion: **Janice Zuro** 

**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, our pastor.

 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</u> <u>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.

NEWLY DEPARTED [40<sup>TH</sup> DAY]: James Schware (Jamie's father) – Oct 27; Protodeacon Keith Russin - Oct 25 [12/3]; Archpriest Stephen Mack - Oct 22 [11/30]; Vera (Victor Rozumny's cousin) – Oct 5 [11/13]; Barbara Pelak (friend of Eleanor Herman) – Oct 4 [11/12]; Mariamma Ooman (Jacob Keecheril's mother) Sept 30 [11/8]; Helen Hein (Mike Mallick's aunt) – Sept 27 [11/5]; Victims of the Vegas Massacre – Oct 1 [11/9]; Kim Long (friend of Larry Smith) –Sept 23 [11/1];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Anna Sopensky, Oct 29 –34<sup>th</sup>; Nabiha Shunnara, Oct 29-9<sup>th</sup>; Arsa Taleff, grandmother of Peter, Oct 30 – 63<sup>rd</sup>; Wassil Boyko, Fr. Dan's brother-in-law, Oct 31 -3<sup>rd</sup>; Madeline Drake, aunt of Samantha Lopez, Oct 31 – 4<sup>th</sup>; Giza Barbu, Nov 1 – 37<sup>th</sup>; Jeff Braswell, Angie Costa's son, Nov 1-8<sup>th</sup>; Michael "Ted" Motz, Nov 1 – 30<sup>th</sup>; Paul E. Worley, Pamela Hatalowich's father, Nov 2 -21<sup>st</sup>; Mary Chupeck, Irene Sumple's sister, Nov 2 -12<sup>th</sup>; Anna Filomowicz, Nov 2 -15<sup>th</sup>; Sandy Kosik, Bill Kantor's niece, Nov 2 -1<sup>st</sup>; Josephine Ressetar, aunt of Fr. Dan, Nov 4 -15<sup>th</sup>; Catherine Maymon, Ab. Mark's mother, Nov 4 – 1<sup>st</sup>;

AILING: Parishioners: Joseph (Moe) Mazurek; Maria Vasilca; Family & Friends: Ellen (former parishioner & friend of Cathi Kemp, Lydia Mantle & the Cain's); Carrie (Amanda Schillings sister); Abraham (AJ) (George Botros's nephew); Lonnie & Fred (John Osuch's family); Marianne; infant Theodore (Alice Mallick's great grandson); M. Myra (Natalia Kovalak Seewald's mother); Daniel (Fred Leer's cousin); Robert & Barbara (friends of Larry Smith); Jennifer, Joan, Paul, Lydia, Marilyn (family & friends of the Kushlans); Martha (cousin of M. Theodora); Victor, Marie, Robert, & Roger (family & friend of the Kuchtas); Marcia Brickner, Olga & Ron (family & friend of Kathy Pankiw); Fred & John (family of Jean Dotsey); Seraphima & Jim (friend & family of John R. Barns); Rita & Ed (Lopez family); Bill, Raymond & Evelyn, Kerry & Family (Deb Hisiro's family & friends); John (Janet Kuzupas brother); Mike, Joseph & Steven (Suzanne's brothers);

HEALTH & WELL-BEING: All victims of Terror, War, & Civil Strife both here and throughout the world; Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo held hostage by Syrian Terrorists; PARISHIONERS: Andrea Ivanoff Worley; Andrew Katerman; 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 EXPECTANT MOTHER(s): Jessica (Henry) Lane; Yordanos Gebre; Elizabeth (Alison) Latimer; Popadija Andreja Rocknage; and the children to be born of them; COLLEGE STUDENTS: 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; Rdr. John Shingara. MILITARY: Casey; Dimitrios; Evangelos; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Russell Sean, Ian, Zachary, Josiah; FAMILY & FRIENDS: David, Jon & Fara, Kathy (friends of the Lopez's); Edward & Catherine (friends of Cathy Kemp); George (Leavitt); Michelle (Libby's niece); Christina (friend of Bethann); Christine (Michelle Gopinath's aunt); Natalie (Eleanor Hermans family); Paul & Kay (family of Gloria); Christine (sister of Patti Taleff); Nathan; Marney; Carol; David, William, & Nancy (family & friends of John R. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's mother); Ben & Amanda (Sally Marasco's chidren); Chuck, Cecilia (Larry Smith's friend & cousin); SEMINARY FAMILY: Moses & Christy Locke - Elias, Seraphim, & Symeon

**CATECHUMEN:** Una McManus

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

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

ANNIVERSARIES: John & Amanda Schilling - Nov 3; Joseph (Moe) & Ruth Mazurek, Sr. - Nov 4

<u>BIRTHDAYS</u>: Temesgen Tegegn -Oct 31; Leah Henry - Oct 31; Sammy Kidane - Nov 1; Wade Hisiro - Nov 2; Heidi Kushlan - Nov 3;

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT: Francis Anthony Chilbert IV – Oct 23, grandson of Symeon & Rebecca Jekel

NEWLY CHRISTMATED & MARRIED: Kaylee Schofield & Nathan Zaccerelli

## PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

<u>Fall Back</u>: Next Sunday, **Nov 5**<sup>th</sup> Daylight Savings Ends, don't forget to change your clocks and this is also a good time to change the batteries in smoke/radon detectors!

<u>Parish Wide Invite:</u> Chris and Rachel Dupkanick invite parishioners to their wedding blessing ceremony on Saturday, November 4, at 1 p.m. followed by light refreshments in the church hall. If you plan to attend, please sign the sheet on the candle stand or contact Bill or Joan Dupkanick (717-689-3597) by **TODAY!** 

Men's Club Annual Meeting: The Annual Men's Club Meeting will be held on **TODAY** at 4 PM. We will also be watching football and have a full meal. 4:00 PM (Dallas at Washington), 8:00 PM. (Pittsburgh at Detroit).

<u>Home Connections Visiting Ministry</u>: Members of our parish family are organizing a formal visiting ministry as an extension of our love and support for fellow parishioners who are ill or home bound. Please contact **Sally Marasco** at hisgalsal@hotmail.com or 717-921-2204 if you or someone you know who may enjoy a visit; or if you are interested in serving.

**THANKSGIVING ITEMS for the NEEDY:** We will again distribute canned goods, dry goods, frozen turkeys, and gift cards collected from our parish family to our neighbors in need. Please bring them to the kitchen in the parish hall by **Sunday, Nov. 19**<sup>th</sup>. As we pray during the Divine Liturgy: "Bless those who remember the poor, and upon us all send forth Thy mercy!"

<u>Gift Card Forms:</u> The latest gift card order forms are in the vestibule, considering buying your Christmas gift cards thru the parish it gives money back to the church!

<u>Vestry Youth Mentoring Program:</u> 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 jwevodau@verizon.net

Oct 29:Nicole ZartBenjamin ZartNov 5:Brandon HancherCassandra ZartNov 12:Eden ArayaTsedey Afrassa

<u>St. Mary's Altar Guild Fellowship</u>: 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

Oct 29: Alice Mallick Sue Dotsey Eleanor Herman
Nov 5: Christina Yerke Courtney Zeppuhar Ann Cole

Nov 12: Annual Eritrean/Ethiopian Fellowship

LAST SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY: 173

### EVENTS AROUND OUR COMMUNITY

<u>Adult Ed Program:</u> Holy Apostles Church in Mechanicsburg is hosting an Adult Ed Program entitled "Mary: The Ark of the New Covenant" on Saturday, Nov 18<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm immediately following Great Vespers. For more information please see the flyer in the vestibule or hall.

<u>Panagia Kardiotissa (Tender Heart) Myrrh-Flowing Icon:</u> Will visit Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Camp Hill; All faithful are invited & welcome to venerate the Myrrh-Flowing Icon on Friday, Nov 10<sup>th</sup> with the arrival of the Holy Icon at 5:30pm & Vespers& Paraklesis @ 6pm and on Saturday, Nov 11<sup>th</sup> with Orthros & Divine Liturgy @ 8:15am. For more information please see the flyer in the vestibule and hall.

<u>Panera Bread Pick-Up Volunteers</u>: Saturday evenings between 10:15-10:30 at the <u>Hummelstown Panera</u> (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 Coffee Shop and Bookstore needs YOU!: 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 <a href="mailto:jwevodau@verizon.net">jwevodau@verizon.net</a> or 717-580-4833