



# Christ <sup>the</sup> Saviour Orthodox Church

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Dn. Peter (Scott) Staller, Attached

Dn. John Shingara, Attached

Rdr. Christopher Rakowski, Choir Director

Mark Yerke, Parish Council President John Dotsey, Treasurer

**B**ut 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)

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## Sunday February 13, 2022

**SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND THE PHARISEE — Tone 1. Beginning of the Lenten Triodion.** St. Seraphima. Saints Martinian, Zoe, and Photina of Caesarea in Palestine. Ven. Stephen, the Myrrhgusher, Prince of Serbia. St. Eulogius, Archbishop of Alexandria.

Schedule: **Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am;** Church School, Fellowship, & **Annual Parish Meeting.** following; Big Game Party – 5pm

**Readers:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: **M. Hilarene Staller** 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: **Rdr. Matthew Lubecki**

**Epistle: Manny Lopez • Post-Communion: Larry Smith**

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**W**elcome to our Visitors!

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

## *Hymns & Readings*

### **Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone I —**

When the stone had been sealed by the Jews, while the soldiers were guarding Thy most-pure body, Thou didst rise, on the third day, O Saviour, granting life to the world; the powers of heaven, therefore, cried to Thee, O giver of life: 'Glory to Thy resurrection, O Christ: glory to Thy kingdom: glory to Thy dispensation, O Thou that lovest mankind'.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.  
Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

### **Kontakion, Tone IV —**

Let us flee from the proud-speaking of the pharisee, and learn the humility of the publican; and, with groaning, let us cry to the Saviour: 'Have mercy on us, O only merciful One'.



**Prokeimenon & Readings:**

**Tone 1:** Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us / as we have set our hope on Thee! (Resurrection)

verse: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the just!

**E**pistle: (2 Timothy 3:10-15) *Timothy my son*, you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, <sup>11</sup>persecutions, afflictions, which happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra—what persecutions I endured. And out of *them* all the Lord delivered me. <sup>12</sup>Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution. <sup>13</sup>But evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived. <sup>14</sup>But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned *them*, <sup>15</sup>and that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

**Alleluia Verses:**

God gives vengeance unto me, and subdues people under me.

He magnifies the salvation of the King and deals mercifully with David, His anointed, and his seed forever.

**G**ospel: (Luke 18:10-14) *Jesus told this parable*, <sup>10</sup>“Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. <sup>11</sup>The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, ‘God, I thank You that I am not like other men—extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this tax collector. <sup>12</sup>I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I possess.’ <sup>13</sup>And the tax collector, standing afar off, would not so much as raise *his* eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, ‘God, be merciful to me a sinner!’ <sup>14</sup>I tell you, this man went down to his house justified *rather* than the other; for everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.”

## Upcoming Services & Events

### Fast Free Week!

**Feb 15, Tue:** Bible Study – 7pm (*hybrid*)

**Feb 16, Wed:** Bible Study – noon; **Vespers – 6:30pm;** Choir Rehearsal, *following*

**Feb 17, Thu:** Parish Council Meeting – 6:30pm

**Feb 18, Fri:** Jane Austin Movie Night – 5:30pm

**Feb 19, Sat: *Baptism (Madeline Chakot) – 11am; Vespers 5pm;*** Confession, *following*

**Feb 20, Sun: PRODIGAL SON. Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am;** Church School & Fellowship – *following*

Readers: 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour: **Kenneth Snyder** 6<sup>th</sup> Hour: **Jennifer Lewis**

Epistle: **Rdr. Leo Leer** • Post-Communion: **Rdr. Matthew Lubecki**

## Parish News.

**Happening TODAY:** The **Annual Meeting** will take place following Liturgy; report packets are in the vestibule or the parish email for the report link.

- **Big Game Party** with the doors opening @ **5pm;** \$12 donation, children under 12 are FREE. An annual event organized by the Men's Club and ALL are WELCOME!
- **"Souper Bowl" of Caring** donations will be taken by our Youth Group following Liturgy & at the party to support *Downtown Daily Bread*.

**Annual Pirogie Luncheon:** Will be held on **Sunday, Feb 27<sup>th</sup>** following Liturgy. The luncheon is \$7.00 pp & frozen pirogies will be sold by the dozen for \$7.00. *Thank you to the "O" Club for hosting this event for the 57<sup>th</sup> year!*

**Jane Austin Movie Night: February's fast-free-Friday the 18<sup>th</sup>!** Come dine on your favorite Regency tea & treats! The Tea is at 5:30 in the hall & Northanger Abby to follow. Any questions see **Nora Lubecki**.

**Night at the Movies:** For one night only **Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>** **Regal Harrisburg Stadium 14**, 1500 Caughey Dr, Harrisburg, PA, will have a screening of **"Man of God"** which tells the story of St. Nektarios of Aegina. Please see the parish email for ticket information.

**Youth & Young Adult Events:** They are several Saturday events coming up in March for our youth. Please see the parish email for more information including a one day retreat for ages 6<sup>th</sup> grade to 12<sup>th</sup> grade called the *Bee Treat* which is hosted by Annunciation Greek Church in Lancaster.

**House Blessing:** Sign up via Sign-up Genius found on the parish email. If you do not have access to a computer, please contact Fr. Stephen.

**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](mailto:jwevodau@verizon.net) -

**Feb 13:** Hisiro, Rieck, Kellachow, & Hadginske Families

**Feb 20:** M. Zuro, N. Zuro, McClure, & Yerke Families

**Feb 27:** 57th Annual Pirogi Luncheon

## *Parish Prayer List*

*Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.*

**NEWLY DEPARTED [40<sup>TH</sup> DAY]:** Gamal Botros (Raghda Saad' aunt) - Jan 30 [3/10]; Benny Watson (friend of Bethann) - Jan 28 [4/5]; Ap. John Bohush - Jan 21[3/1]; Protodeacon Michael Malanowski (Dn. John's friend) - Jan 19 [2/27]; Martha Telech (Ann Cole's aunt) - Jan 13 [2/21]; Jim Gladys (Taylor's father) - Jan 10 [2/18]; Roberta Collins (Paul Hadginske's cousin) - Jan 6 [2/14]; Gene Himes (Keith Leaders Uncle) - Jan 5 [2/13];

**ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED:** Mary (Kalenak) De Butt, Feb 13 -33<sup>rd</sup>; Cameron Bryan Seitz, Kristen's son, Feb 13 -31<sup>st</sup>; Helen Kurylo, Feb 14 - 10<sup>th</sup>; Saba Ghebresalassie, Feb 14 -7<sup>th</sup>; Mary Macevei, friend of +Dottie Barbu, Feb 15 -26<sup>th</sup>; Robert Smetanick, father of Vicki Henry, Feb 15 - 23<sup>rd</sup>; Sbdn. John D. Ressetar, brother of +Fr. Dan, Feb 15 - 20<sup>th</sup>; Sergei Kevorkov, father of Mikhail & grandfather of Sergei, Feb 15 -18<sup>th</sup>; Ann Waytovich, Feb 16 - 14<sup>th</sup>; Lydia Novak, Larissa Shuga's godmother, Feb 16 -13<sup>th</sup>; Miriam Sheesley, aunt of John R. Barns, Feb 16 - 6<sup>th</sup>; Basil "Bill" Kantor, Feb 16 - 1<sup>st</sup>; Edward Marijan, godfather of the Klipa's, Feb 17 - 17<sup>th</sup>; Iskander H. Issis, Feb 17 -26<sup>th</sup>; Aziz Shunnara, Feb 17 - 21<sup>st</sup>; Joseph F. Pilc, Feb 17 - 19<sup>th</sup>; M. Margaret Ressetar, mother of +Fr. Dan, Feb 17 - 16<sup>th</sup>; George Caba, Feb 17-12<sup>th</sup>; Nancy Dove, family of M. Theodora, Feb 17 - 4<sup>th</sup>; Rudy Barnard, grandmother of Ethan Mandel - Feb 17 - 1<sup>st</sup>; Ruth Berg, Feb 19 - 17<sup>th</sup>;

**AILING: PARISHIONERS: FAMILY/FRIENDS:** Hannes, Jacqui, & Elizabeth (brother & family of R. Rieck); Robert (cousin of John Dotsey); Marge (friend of B. Lenker); Andrea (I. Arahavos's mother); Eugene, Patty, & Frank (family & friends of B. Brown); Elaine (sister of S. Africa); Abuti (relative of Kushlan family friend); Barry, Edwin, Phillip, Connie, & Daniel (family & friends of the Leer's); Barry, Trish, Pam, Danielle, & Morgan (Hisiro family & friends); Elle (friend of J. McGreevy); John (brother of J. Krut); Mildred (cousin of M. Theodora); Pam, Dan & Nina (friends of D. Bupp); Gary & Peggy (cousin & friend of Donna Bretz); Alexsya, Suzanne, Gemma, (E. Her-

man's niece/godchild, family & friend); **Erma** (friend of N. Murphy); **David & Stephen** (brother & friend of C Kemp & L. Mantle); **Igumen David (Lewis)**; **Michael** (father of B. Drozd); **& 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); **Ronald; April, Joseph, Brian & Doug** (family & friends of L. Hancher); **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); **Mandi, Connie, Charlie, Myrna & Shirley** (family & friends of Mallick's); **Wendy** (M. Deamer's mother); **Janet** (friend of D. Fedetz); **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); **Linda, Christine, & Cynthia** (friends of M. Myra); **Grace** (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); **Vera** (Ressetar's family); **Elizabeth; Cassandra & Peter** (friends of L. Shuga); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **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 & Louise** (S. Demchak's brother & sister-in-law);

**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 Haiti and Afghanistan, especially our citizens and soldiers who are in harms way; **PARISHIONERS:** Louise Bare; Jerry Cole; David & Jennifer Knox; Gail & David Goss; Mary Ellen Osuch; Natalie Treece; Suzanne Demchak; Evan M.; Tony Onufer; Ita (Stephanie) Snyder; M. Theodora Ressetar; John "Jack" Sweikert; Loretta Ivanoff; Joseph Sem-brot; 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):** Tishna Fedetz; Brooke Jones; Elva Lubecki; Chicory  
 (Snyder) Biers; *and the children to be born of them;* **COLLEGE STUDENTS:**  
 Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, David, Amelia Demopou-  
 los; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, George Hatalowich, Jacob Herman;  
 Shawn Jacob; Rdr. Vladimir Kellachow; Flimon Kesete; Matthew Mikita;  
 Sammy & Salina Kidane; Alexander Lamb; Timothy Monko, Molly Pylyp-  
 ciw; Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; **MILITARY:** Conrad; Shawn; Benjamin;  
 Rdr. Vladimir; Abel; Jacob; Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael;  
 Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** 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 de-  
 fense); 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); Helen, Ethan, Mitch, Rob,  
 Jody, Jackie, & Bruce, (family & friends of the Mallick's); Cindy, Gary & Paul  
 (friends of the Lenker's); Iryna (Snyder family); M. Natasha Lazor, Cindy,  
 Christine, & Stella "Linda" (M. Myra's friends); Mary & Judy (Rdr. L. Leer's  
 cousins); Ron (friend of K. Pankiw); Vasiliki; Heather (sister of S. Cameron);  
 Shenia (sister of N. Schilling); Rosalie; David & Dawn (cousins of Chet); Al-  
 exandra; 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 Lan-  
 don (family/friends of the Lopez's); Christine (M. Gopinath's aunt); Natalie  
 (E. Herman's godchild); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, Da-  
 vid & William (family & friends of J. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's  
 mother); Marc & Cecilia (L. Smith's cousins); **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](mailto:office@ctshbg.org)

**BIRTHDAYS:** Symeon (Cliff) Jekel – Feb 13; Elena Murariu – Feb 15; Letina Estifanos –Feb 16; Charlotte Firestine – Feb 17; Raissa Merdiuszew – Feb 17; Lydia Murphy – Feb 18; Stephen Velott – Feb 19;

## Candle Offering

To donate, please see a vestryperson

**7** Day Votive is offered in Health & Salvation of **Joseph & Carl Demchak**, brothers of Suzanne



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