



Christ ^{the} Saviour Orthodox Church

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Dn. John Shingara, Attached

Dn. Aaron Rutz, Attached

Rdr. Christopher Rakowski, Choir Director

Mark Yerke, Parish Council President Sbdn. Andrew Katerman, Treasurer

But 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*

Sunday May 15, 2022

4th SUNDAY OF PASCHA — Tone 3. Ven. Pachomius the Great, Founder of Cœnobitic Monasticism. Paralytic. Saint Isaiah the Wonderworker, of Rostov. Tsarevich Dēmétrios of Uglich & Moscow. Ven. Isaiah, Wonderworker of the Kiev Caves. Ven. Pachomius—Abbot, & Silvanus, of Nerekhita. Ven. Evfrosin the Wonderworker, Abbot of Pskov, & his disciple, Ven. Serapion. Achilles, Bishop of Larissa.

Schedule: **Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; 20th Anniversary Blessing of Andrew & Bekah Brown;** Church School & Fellowship, following; St. Jerome Book Club –1pm

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Kenneth Snyder** 6th Hour: **Eleanor Herman**

Epistle: **Adam Priestley** • **Post-Communion:** **Larry Smith**

Welcome 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 III —

Let the heavens rejoice; let the earth be glad: for the Lord hath shewn strength with His arm; He hath trampled down death by death; He hath become the first-born of the dead; He hath delivered us from the depths of hell, and hath granted, unto the world, great mercy.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion, Tone III —

By Thy divine intercession, O Lord, as Thou hast raised up the paralytic of old, so raise up my soul, paralyzed by sins and thoughtless acts, so that, being saved, I may sing to Thee: 'Glory to Thy power, O compassionate Christ'.

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakion, Tone VIII —

Thou didst descend into the tomb, O Immortal; Thou didst destroy the power of death; in victory, didst Thou arise, O Christ God, proclaiming 'Rejoice' to the myrrh-bearing women, granting peace to Thine apostles, and bestowing resurrection on the fallen.

Prokeimenon & Readings

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

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

Epistle: (Acts 9:32-42) *In those days, it came to pass, as Peter went through all parts of the country, that he also came down to the saints who dwelt in Lydda.* ³³There he found a certain man named Aeneas, who had been bedridden eight years and was paralyzed. ³⁴And Peter said to him, "Aeneas, Jesus the Christ heals you. Arise and make your bed." Then he arose immediately. ³⁵So all who dwelt at Lydda and Sharon saw him and turned to the Lord. ³⁶At Joppa there was a certain disciple named Tabitha, which is translated Dorcas. This woman was full of good works and charitable deeds which she did. ³⁷But it happened in those days that she became sick and died. When they had washed her, they laid *her* in an upper room. ³⁸And since Lydda was near Joppa, and the disciples had heard that Peter was there, they sent two men to him, imploring *him* not to delay in coming to them. ³⁹Then Peter arose and went with them. When he had come, they brought *him* to the upper room. And all the widows stood by him weeping,

showing the tunics and garments which Dorcas had made while she was with them. ⁴⁰ But Peter put them all out, and knelt down and prayed. And turning to the body he said, "Tabitha, arise." And she opened her eyes, and when she saw Peter she sat up. ⁴¹ Then he gave her *his* hand and lifted her up; and when he had called the saints and widows, he presented her alive. ⁴² And it became known throughout all Joppa, and many believed on the Lord.

Alleluia Verses:

I will sing of Thy mercies, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim Thy truth from generation to generation.

For Thou hast said: Mercy will be established forever; Thy truth will be prepared in the heavens.

Gospel: (John 5:1-15) *At that time*, there was a feast of the Jews, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. ² Now there is in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate a pool, which is called in Hebrew, Bethesda, having five porches. ³ In these lay a great multitude of sick people, blind, lame, paralyzed, waiting for the moving of the water. ⁴ For an angel went down at a certain time into the pool and stirred up the water; then whoever stepped in first, after the stirring of the water, was made well of whatever disease he had. ⁵ Now a certain man was there who had an infirmity thirty-eight years. ⁶ When Jesus saw him lying there, and knew that he already had been *in that condition* a long time, He said to him, "Do you want to be made well?" ⁷ The sick man answered Him, "Sir, I have no man to put me into the pool when the water is stirred up; but while I am coming, another steps down before me." ⁸ Jesus said to him, "Rise, take up your bed and walk." ⁹ And immediately the man was made well, took up his bed, and walked. And that day was the Sabbath. ¹⁰ The Jews therefore said to him who was cured, "It is the Sabbath; it is not lawful for you to carry your bed." ¹¹ He answered them, "He who made me well said to me, 'Take up your bed and walk.' " ¹² Then they asked him, "Who is the Man who said to you, 'Take up your bed and walk'?" ¹³ But the one who was healed did not know who it was, for Jesus had withdrawn, a multitude being in *that* place. ¹⁴ Afterward Jesus found him in the temple, and said to him, "See, you have been made well. Sin no more, lest a worse thing come upon you." ¹⁵ The man departed and told the Jews that it was Jesus who had made him well.

Upcoming Services & Events

May 17, Tue: OCCGH Board Meeting – 7pm

May 18, Wed: Bible Study – noon; **Vespers – 6:30pm;** Confession & Choir Rehearsal, *following*

May 19, Thu: Lunch Bunch –12:30pm; Parish Council Meeting – 6:30pm;

May 21, Sat: **Vespers – 5pm;** Confession, *following*;

May 22, Sun: SAMARITAN WOMAN. Hours - 9:10am; Divine Liturgy – 9:30am; Church School & Fellowship, *following*; **Grave Blessings**— see schedule below

Readers: 3rd Hour: **Manny Lopez** 6th Hour: **Eleanor Herman**

Epistle: **Nicholas Zuro** • Post-Communion: **Janice Zuro**

Parish News

St. Jerome Book Club: Will meet on **Today @1pm**. We will discuss “*On the Apostolic Preaching*” by St. Irenaeus of Lyon. All are welcome!

May Lunch Bunch: **Thu, May 19th at 12:30pm** at *Hellenic Kouzina* at 500 E. Main Street in Mechanicsburg. All are welcome, please RSVP to **Kathy Pankiw** by May 18th at kzpankiw@aol.com or text/call at 717-579-6449. If you need a ride or can give a ride to someone please let us know.

IOCC Ukrainian Relief: In the parish hall is a table with cards on it which a free will offering of the items to support Ukrainian Relief; or please visit www.IOCC.org to make a donation.

Parish Cookbook: Don't forget the deadline for entries is **May 31st**. The instructions & forms can be found on our Parish website under the tab Parish Life & then Parish Documents. We are counting on all of you!

Grave Blessings: Will be held on **Sunday, May 22**. Schedule is: Churchville @ 1:30pm; Baldwin @ 2pm; Fr. Indiantown Gap @ 3:45pm. All others by appointment, please contact Fr. Stephen - pastor@ctshbg.org

Baby Bottle Blast: to support the ministry of the Capital Area Pregnancy Center from Mothers Day—May 8 through Fathers Day—June 19. Fill your bottle with check, cash or change and return to the church by June 19.

Couples Retreat: “*Renewed Day by Day: Enlivening our Marriage Commitment*” will be held on **Sat, June 4th** at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Camp Hill from **9am -2:30pm**. The retreat is \$15/per couple & RSVP's is due by **Tues, May 24th**. Please register by contacting **Fr. Michael Varvarelis** @ frmichael@holytrinityhbg.org.

SAVE the DATE: 6th Annual OCCGH Golf Tournament will be held on **Sat, July 9** at Eagles Crossing Golf Course in Carlisle - 4 person Scramble Play with Team & Skill Prizes plus a Sirloin Steak & Beer Buffet. \$280 per team. RSVPs are due by **July 7**.

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 Christine @570-516-6657 or sensefile@gmail.com.

May 15: Lopez, Baker, Kovalak, & J/S Shingara Families
May 22: Brown, Mikita, Reba, & Herman Families
May 29: Bupp, Mamay, Deamer, & Jekel Families

Parish Prayer List

Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.

NEWLY DEPARTED [40TH DAY]: M. Helen Kuchta (Marie Reba's aunt) - May 6 [6/14]; **Ab. Paul of Chicago**—April 24 [6/2]; **Knarik Avanesyan** - April 12 [5/21];

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEPARTED: Paul Pellegrini, May 15 -9th; Evelyn Krem-pasky, May 15 - 8th; Alex T. Spaseff, May 16 -38th; Ann Kolarsky, sister of Dorothy Fedetz, May 16 -16th; Helen Misceovich, aunt of the Klipa's, May 17 - 6th; Sandy Book, cousin of the Klipa's, May 17 - 4th; Joseph Fatula, May 17 -16th; Sharon Keefe, +Betty Danko's daughter, May 17 - 15th; John Rolinc, step-father of Sophia Kellachow, May 17 - 2nd; Thomas Reese, Jennifer Firestine's father, May 18 -12th; Louis Eliker, May 18 -20th; Nadja Nadezhdah Rovnyanskaya, May 18 -28th; Yakov Rosenthal, May 19 -16th; Andrew Starinshak, brother of Elizabeth Hancher, May 20 -67th; Mary Wallace, Maria Hebda's mother, May 20 -13th; Mary Shellhamer, Jennifer Firestine's grandmother, May 20- 4th; Boris Atzeff, Eli Mioff cousin, May 21 - 4th; Met. CONSTANTINE, May 21-10th;

AILING: PARISHIONERS: Terry Drebot **FAMILY/FRIENDS:** Tom (friend of D. Bupp); Tanya (niece of K. Kuchwara); M. Olga Klembara (Larissa & Anita's Aunt); John Pylypciw; Frank, Michael, & Kathleen (family of R. Baker); Carolyn (friend of C. Kemp); Charles, Sophia, & Ana (family & friends of C. Dardaris); Betty (E. Mandel's grandmother); Dennie (B. Keener's stepson); Shaun (brother of L. Desautels); Joan & Gary (family & friend of the J. & A. Cole); Daria (friend of the Dotsey & Klipa families); Hannes, Anne & Elizabeth (family of R. Rieck); Robert (cousin of John Dotsey); Andrea (I. Arhавos's mother); Elaine (sister of S. Africa); Mary, Peter, Barry, Edwin, Connie, & Daniel (family & friends of the Leer's); Juanita, Barry, Trish, Pam, Danielle, & Morgan (Hisiro family & friends); Elle (friend of J. McGreevy); John (brother of J. Krut); Pam, Dan & Nina (friends of D. Bupp); Colton & Gary (cousin's of Donna Bretz); Alexsya & Cassie (family & friend of E. Herman); Erma (friend of N. Murphy); Igumen David (Lewis); 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); **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); **Russ, Rev. Mark, Mandi, Connie, Charlie, & Shirley** (family & friends of Mallick's); **Wendy** (M. Deamer's mother);); **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); **Grace** (sister-in-law of D. Fedetz); **Vera** (Ressetar's family); **Elizabeth; Kiera** (friend of L. Shuga); **Bernadine, Lonnie & Fred** (Osuch family); **Charlie, Abuit, 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** (S. Demchak's brother);

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 Ukraine, Haiti & Afghanistan, especially our citizens & soldiers who are in harms way;* **PARISHIONERS:** Thomas Drebot; Robert Baker; Eleanor Herman; Louise Bare; Gail & David Goss; Mary Ellen Osuch; Natalie Treece; Suzanne Demchak; Evan M.; Tony Onufer; Ita (Stephanie) Snyder; M. Theodora Ressetar; John "Jack" Sweikert; Joseph Sembrot; 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):** Pauline Guisepppe; Monica (Jekel) Chilbert; Gabriel-le (Kushlan) Russin; Tishna Fedetz; Brooke Jones; *and the children to be born of them;* Elva Lubecki; Chicory (Snyder) Biers *and the children born of*

them **COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Tseday Afrassa; Semhar Anghesom, Eden Araya, David, Amelia Demopoulos; Grace Firestine; Taylor Gladys, George Hata-lowich, Jacob Herman; Shawn Jacob; Rdr. Vladimer Kellachow; Flimon Kesete; Matthew Mikita; Sammy & Salina Kidane; Alexander Lamb; Molly Pylypciw; Ashley; Dave; Peter; Wessam; **MILITARY:** Conrad; Shawn; Benjamin; Rdr. Vladimir; Abel; Jacob; Gabriel; Stephanie; Matthew; David; Michael; Peter; Sean; Ian, Zachary; Josiah; **FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Gordon & Christine (friends of C. Kemp); Ap. John & Mat. Stephanie Onofrey; Joe & Lucy (Deb McGinnes's husband & granddaughter); Stacey (B. Keeners friend); 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 defense); 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); Elaine (Rdr. Leo & Garnice's daughter); Diane, Helen, Ethan, Mitch, Rob, Jody, Jackie, & Bruce, (family & friends of the Mallick's); Ronald; April & Joseph (family of L. Hancher); Scott, Leo, Cindy, Gary & Paul (friends of the Lenker's); Iryna (Snyder family); M. Natasha Lazor, Cindy, Stella, Vera, & Martha (M. Myra's friends & family); Judy (Rdr. L. Leer's cousin); Ron (friend of K. Pankiw); Vasiliki; Heather (sister of S. Cameron); Shenia (sister of N. Schilling); Rosalie; David & Dawn (cousins of Chet); Alexandra; 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 Landon (family/friends of the Lopez's); Christine (M. Gopinath's aunt); Natalie (E. Herman's godchild); Dorothy, Shirley & family, Nathan; Jeff, Greg, David & William (family & friends of J. Barns); Nancy (John & Chris Cole's mother); Marc & Cecilia (L. Smith's cousins); **MISSIONARIES:** Jesse & Juanita Brandow (Guatemala); **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

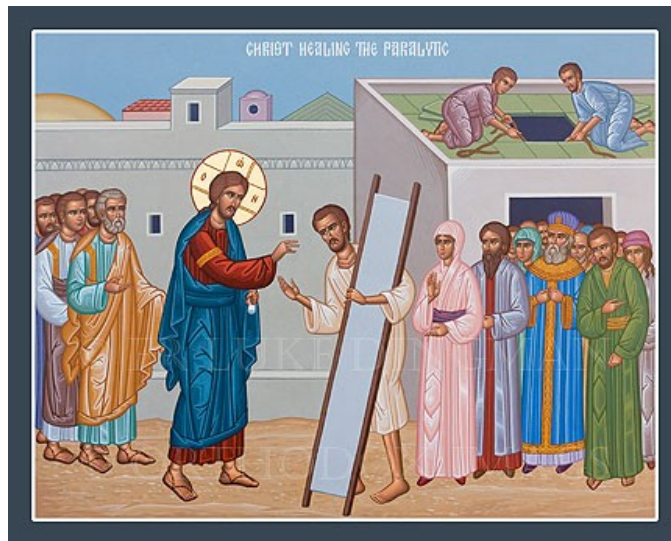
ANNIVERSARIES: Salim & Melissa Hanna – May 15; Fr. Daniel & M. Myra Kovalak - May 16; Andrew & Bekah Brown – May 18; Sean & Jennifer Firestine – May 20; Marcus & Adrienne Chakot – May 20; Olga & Frederick Womer – May 21;

BIRTHDAYS: Genevieve Bare – May 16; Adam Priestley – May 16; Ann Cole - May 17; Lydia Huruy – May 17; Salim Hanna – May 17; Donna Bretz - May 18; Christine Neumann – May 20; Shine Gopinath - May 20; Jay Africa – May 21;

Candle Offering

To donate, please see a vestryperson

7 Day Votive is offered in Memory of **Christine, Eugene, & George** siblings of Suzanne Demchak



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