

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Week of June 24 - 30, 2007 * 4th Sunday after Pentecost Nativity of St. John the Baptist

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Rom. 6:18-23 & 13:11-14:4

BRETHREN: having been set free from sin, you became slaves of righteousness. I speak in human terms because of the weakness of your flesh. For just as you presented your members as slaves of uncleanness, and of lawlessness leading to more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves of righteousness for holiness. For when you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. What fruit did you have then in the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things is death. But now having been set free from sin, and having become slaves of God, you have your fruit to holiness, and the end, everlasting life. For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. And do this, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep; for now our salvation is nearer than when we first believed. The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light. Let us walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy. But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill its lusts. Receive one who is weak in the faith, but not to disputes over doubtful things. For one believes he may eat all things, but he who is weak eats only vegetables. Let not him who eats despise him who does not eat, and let not him who does not eat judge him who eats; for God has received him. Who are you to

judge another's servant? To his own master he stands or falls. Indeed, he will be made to stand, for God is able to make him stand.

Matt. 8:5-13

AT THAT TIME: Jesus entered Capernaum, a centurion came to Him, pleading with Him, saying, "Lord, my servant is lying at home paralyzed, dreadfully tormented." And Jesus said to him, "I will come and heal him." The centurion answered and said, "Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof. But only speak a word, and my servant will be healed. For I also am a man under authority, having soldiers under me. And I say to this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and to another, 'Come,' and he comes; and to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it. When Jesus heard it, He marveled, and said to those who followed, "Assuredly, I say to you, I have not found such great faith, not even in Israel! And I say to you that many will come from east and west, and sit down with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven. But the sons of the kingdom will be cast out into outer darkness. There will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. Then Jesus said to the centurion, "Go your way; and as you have believed, so let it be done for you." And his servant was healed that same hour.

... and for the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Luke 1:5-25, 57-68, 76, 80

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday June 24th Greeter: Diane Polzun Cleaning: Polzun / Delaney Coffee: Petriw, Tabakow, et al Sunday July 1st Greeter: Melanie Koles Cleaning: ? ? ? ? Coffee: Dresko

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 1782 YTD: \$69,866 **[95.1%]** YTD Goal: \$ 73,464 (24wks) [\$3061/wk]

June 25th Rom. 12:4-5, 15-21 Matt. 12:9-13 June 26th Rom. 14:9-18 Matt. 12:14-16, 22-30 June 27th Rom. 15:7-16 Matt. 12:38-45 June 28th Rom. 15:17-29 Matt. 12:46-13:3 June 29th Rom. 16:1-16 Matt. 13:4-9 June 30th Rom. 8:14-21 Matt. 9:9-13

DAILY READINGS:

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 24th Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

Monday, June 25th Parish Council Mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 26th

Wednesday, June 27th

Thursday, June 28th Vesperal Liturgy followed by Pot Luck Supper 6:00 p.m.

Friday, June 29th SS. PETER & PAUL

Saturday, June 30th Vespers 5:00 p.m. General Confession



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

MANY YEARS !! AXIOS !! • Today we congratulate Fr. John Dresko on the 28th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Holy Priesthood.

•ONEStewards: PLEASE pick up a envelope and letter today. Our diocese needs the contributions to help fund Youth Rally, scholarships, Missions and charity appeals. Our par-

ish had 22 members last year and we have increased members the last two vears.

LET'S CONTINUE GROWING!!

•The June monthly charity is the American Partnership for Eosinphilic Disorders, a rare gastrointestinal disorder. The collection will be taken today, the last Sunday of the month. Please be generous and use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing.

•Parish Council Meeting: The Parish Council will meet tomorrow Monday, June 25th at 7:00 p.m. ALL council members are asked to attend.

•Greeters and cleaners: The list for the second half of the year **are now** posted on the bulletin board. Your

<i>"For the sick and suffering "</i> Olga Skotnicki Mary Glowacki		Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas) Stephen Tvardzik (grandson Fr. John &
Mary Roman	Maria Stregotsky	Pani Pat Duranko
Barbara Raymond Matrona Aguzzi	Vera Luzetti Sophia Zardecki	Mary Lucyk (Sister of Katherine Szestakow)
Dina Karanowytch	Joseph Kowar	Nicholas Selivonik (Friend of Tania Bouteneff)
- in need of our prayers:		Tatiana Selivonik (Friend of
Lydia Dorsey		Tania Bouteneff)
Peter Roshak (son of Fr. Michael Roshak		Thomas Hricus (Brother of
Three Saints, Ansonia)		Marion Bichur child Justin Holmes (Infant friend of
Archpriest Nicholas Timpko		the Bichum's
(recovery - knee surgery)		Elena Deschesne (Cousin of Ed Bichun)
Archpriest William DuBovik		David Flood (Brother-in-Law of
(All Saints, Hartford)		Rosemary Delaney)
Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS -		Wayne Demske (Cousin of
Johnstown, PA)		Rosemary Delaney)
Priest Matthew Jackson (rheumatoid		Tatiana Kokotiuk (Mother of
arthritis - McComb, Mississippi)		Raisa Shafran)
Priest Robert McMeekin (Parkinson's -		April Melluzzo (Daughter of the Potter's
St. Croix Falls, WI)		John Baraglia (cancer - Cemetery Sexton

Matushka Karen Mahaffey (cancer -

Helen Dresko (Mother of

tiana Selivonik (Friend of Tania Bouteneff) nomas Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun) uld Justin Holmes (Infant friend of the Bichum's) ena Deschesne (Cousin of Ed Bichun) avid Flood (Brother-in-Law of Rosemary Delaney) ayne Demske (Cousin of Rosemary Delaney) **itiana Kokotiuk** (Mother of Raisa Shafran) oril Melluzzo (Daughter of the Potter's) hn Baraglia (cancer - Cemetery Sexton) Donat Martin (Father-in-law Old Forge, PA) of Nancy Martin) Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)

Fr. John Dresko) Frank Guba (MS-SS. C&M, Terryville)

..... and all those shut-in and in Nursing Homes!

Archbishop KYRILL (6/17) of Pittsburgh and

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the Bulgarian Diocese Helena Liolin (6/2) [Mother of Bishop NIKON] **Caroline Skerpan** (6/6) [Mother of Carol Skerpan] John Hair (6/14) [Husband of Nina Hair (4/2/07)]



Pani Pat Duranko)

stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated. We **ONLY** have **1** cleaner for the next 6 months, NONE in July. There are two openings for greeters in the second half of the year.

PLEASE sign-up today!!

•Coffee Hour hosts: We have **2** open Sundays for the 2007 Coffee Hour List, September 2nd & December 30th. There are a number of able members of HTC who have not taken a Sunday. PLEASE let Dave or Phyllis Bartos know if you can help.

•Men's Club Lotto -

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Support the Men's Club Church Improvement Fund!!

Do you have a number?

•Golf Outing: The Men's Club invites you to join them for a round of golf (18 holes) on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at Hawks Landing Country Club, 201



Pattonwood Dr. Southington, CT. Tee times currently have been set for 1:15 to 1:51. Fees: \$35 for walking, \$49 with a cart. If you are interested

please contact Dan Telychka 860 426-9606 or Peter Anop 860 628-7303 with a foursome or individual. We will have to notify the course by July 8 with the total number of players.

•Youth Rally 2007: There is a flyer on the bulletin board about Youth Rally 2007 and Fr. David has forms for those

interested in going as a camper, counselor or volunteer. The rally will be held August 13th - 18th.

