



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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*Week of April 25 - May 1, 2021 ❖ Great and Holy Week  
Palm Sunday - Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem*

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

*Phil. 4:4-9*

**BRETHREN:** Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice! Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord is at hand. Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy - meditate on these things. The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.

*John 12:1-18*

Six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was who had been dead, whom He had raised from the dead. There they made Him a supper; and Martha served, but Lazarus was one of those who sat at the table with Him. Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil. But one of His disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, who would be-

tray Him, said, Why was this fragrant oil not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor? This he said, not that he cared for the poor, but because he was a thief, and had the money box; and he used to take what was put in it. But Jesus said, "Let her alone; she has kept this for the day of My burial. For the poor you have with you always, but Me you do not have always. Now a great many of the Jews knew that He was there; and they came, not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might also see Lazarus, whom He had raised from the dead. But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus. The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: Hosanna! 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD!' The King of Israel!" Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written: Fear not, daughter of Zion; Behold, your King is coming, Sitting on a donkey's colt." His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and that they had done these things to Him. Therefore the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of his tomb and raised him from the dead, bore witness. For this reason the people also met Him, because they heard that He had done this sign.

### DAILY READINGS:

**April 26th**  
Ex. 1:1-20  
Job 1:1-12  
**April 27th**  
Ex. 2:5-10  
Job 1:13-22  
**April 28th**  
Ex. 2:11-22  
Job 2:1-10  
**April 29th**  
Ex. 19:10-19  
Job 38:1-23;42:1-5  
**April 30th**  
Ex. 33:11-23  
Job 42:12-LXX ending  
Isaiah 52:13-52:1  
**May 1st**  
Rom. 6:3-11  
Matt. 28:1-20

### *Weekly Calendar*

Sunday, April 25th  
Festal Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. [limited attendance] "live stream"

**GREAT & HOLY WEEK**  
Monday, April 26th &  
Tuesday, April 27th  
Bridegroom Matins 4:30 P.M. (live streamed from St. Tikhon's Monastery / YouTube)

Wednesday, April 28th  
Vesperal Liturgy 6:00 P.M.  
[limited attendance] "live stream"

Thursday, April 29th  
Matins: Passion Gospels 6:30 P.M.  
[limited attendance] "live stream"

Friday, April 30th  
"Plaschanitsa" Vespers 3:00 P.M. (all available space taken) "live stream"  
Matins: Lamentations 4:30 P.M. (appx) [limited attendance] "live stream"

Saturday, May 1st  
Nocturne, Procession, Matins, Paschal Liturgy, **10:30 P.M.** Blessing of Baskets following. [limited attendance] "live stream"

### PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday April 25  
Greeter: G. Dresko  
Cleaning: —  
Coffee: —

Sunday May 2  
Greeter: G. Dresko  
Cleaning: —  
Coffee: —

### Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,281  
YTD: \$ 49,782 **[93.8%]**  
YTD Goal: \$ 53,056.00  
(16wks) [\$ 3,316.00/wk]

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

♦ **Egg Hunt:** We are collecting candy (filled plastic eggs) for the Egg Hunt for the children following the Vespers of Pascha, 12:00 noon, Sunday, May 2nd. Can you help!!

♦ **Cemetery Clean-up:** A reminder that we will be going to the cemetery on Sunday, May 9th following Divine Liturgy and that we should take the opportunity to remove the Christmas wreaths and winter flowers from the graves of our loves ones before we visit.

♦ **The April monthly charity collection** is for the **Prudence Crandall Center** for Women. For over 45 years, Prudence Crandall Center has been a leader in our state's efforts to reduce the devastating impact of domestic violence in the lives of victims, their children, and our community. Today PCC is one of only a few programs in the country offering the full spectrum of shelter, housing and support services needed to offer practical, long-term solutions to the challenges faced by victims, helping them heal and move forward to safe, self-sufficient lives, free of violence. We also provide professional trainings, prevention programs for youth, and outreach to raise awareness, reach victims in need, and prevent violence in the future. Through all of our programs and services, we touch the lives of 8,000 adults and children each year throughout our region and state.

Visit their website at:

[www.prudencecrandall.org](http://www.prudencecrandall.org)

The collection will be taken on the last Sunday of the month. Please use the envelope provided in your monthly mailing and be generous!!

## "For the sick and suffering"

.. all those suffering due to the present pestilence, COVID-19 ..

Joseph Kowar	Arlene Potter
Nicholas Tabakow	Alex Polzun
Anastasiya Hudzen Filon	Margaret Wagner
Stella (Stephanida) Liwen	Peter Labas
George Ludko	Paul Culton
Jennie (Evgenia) Everson	Helen Anop
George Matytczyk	

Abp. BENJAMIN (Parkinson's)  
MApr. Michael Koblosh (Alexandria, VA)  
Priest Antony Gori (Parkinson's)  
Mat. Natasha Lazor  
Mat. Laryssa Hutnyan (ovarian cancer - Sagamore Hills, Ohio)  
Mat. Alexandra Safchuk (cancer - Bethesda, MD schoolmate of Fr. David)  
Mat. Anne Hosking (St. Alexis, Clinton, CT)  
Mat. Cynthia Elizabeth Voytovich (Holy Transfiguration, New Haven, CT)  
Nona Richards (Mother of Sarah Clark)  
Alice Stebelski (Aunt of Mallory Kokus)  
Stephen Place (Husband of Paula Place)  
Shi Shi Place (Daughter-in-law of Bill & Mary Place)  
Ricardo Garcia ('little brother' of Gladys Labas)  
Dimitry Shafran (Husband of Raissa Shafran)  
Heorhi Hudzen (Father of Anastasiya Hudzon Filon)  
Antanina Andrukevich (Grandmother of Mikalai Filon)  
Jean Sharon (recovery - Sister-in-law of Rosemary Delaney)  
Ruth Serafino (Parkinson's - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)  
Gerry Collins (cancer - Cousin of Rosemary Delaney)  
Sharon Fisher (Parkinson's - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)  
David Nutthall (kidney cancer - Friend of Rosemary Delaney)  
John Delaney (recovery - Husband of Rosemary Delaney)  
Ann Anop (breast cancer - Wife of Peter Anop)  
Arthur Everson (Parkinson's - Nephew of Jennie Everson)  
Janet Culton (Wife of Paul Culton)  
Steven O'brien (cancer - Son-in-law of Jean Murr)  
Michael Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)  
Dimitry Wallack (Brother-in-law of Marion Bichun)  
Sharron Gray (recovery - Mother of Stephanie Thomas)

Christopher Thomas (Brother of John Thomas)  
Marilyn Thomas (Sister-in-law of the Thomas')  
Patrick Peapples (Son-in-law of the Thomas')  
Katherine Peapples (Daughter of the Thomas')  
Julie C. (surgery - Sister-in-law of James Nicholas)  
child Olivia Hurley (Friend of the Rottman's)  
Richard Kusmirek (Friend of the Santoro's)  
Barbara Davis (recovery - Friend of the Santoro's)  
Deborah Ray (recovery - Friend of Rachel Santoro)  
Patricia Borick (Friend of Margaret Wagner)  
Anita Hall (Friend of Margaret Wagner)  
Howard Gauthier (Brother-in-law of Elizabeth Bradanini)  
Diane Pavelchak (Friend of Elizabeth Bradanini)  
Sandy Reinke (Friend of Elizabeth Bradanini)  
Rosa Melluzzo (Potter's daughter's in-law)  
Ronald Andruszkiewicz (cancer - Brother of Arlene Potter)  
Samuel Funk (surgery/recovery - Nephew of Sonia & George Matytczyk)  
Maureen Ludko (recovery - Wife of George Ludko)  
John Ludko (Brother of George Ludko)  
Charles Smith (cancer - Friend of George L/Dan Br)  
John Dinda (Friend of George Ludko)  
Matthew Murphy (Nephew of Marie Shimchick)  
Susan Morris (surgery recovery - Friend/Colleague of Marie Shimchick)  
Michael Belomyzy (Brother of Annette Salina)  
Teri Polaske (Friend of Annette Salina)  
Frank Lozis (Brother-in-law of Diane Dounouk)  
Malik Gillani (Friend of Diane Dounouk)  
child Daniel Hawn (brain cancer - Friend of Diane Dounouk)  
Andrew Veek (Grandfather of Brian Veek)  
Alexandra Hopko (in-operable tumors - Sister of Fr. John Hopko)  
Frank Guba (MS - Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Terryville)  
Joseph Moroz (Cousin of Mat. Melanie)  
Ivan Gorbachev (Father-in-law of Richard Leardi)  
Nina Gorbacheva (Mother-in-law of Richard Leardi)  
Alex Flansburg (cancer - Cousin of the Dresko's)  
Dierdre Falla (cancer - Colleague of Greg Dresko)  
Hunter Woiwitz (Leukemia - Former Student of Chris Dresko)  
Jennifer Ganley (MS - Friend of Chris Dresko)

### Captives:

Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo, Syria.

... all our health care professionals!

..... and all those home-bound or in nursing homes!

### NEWLY

MApr. Basil Summer [Mar 26] (Former Director of FOS - long time friend of Fr. David)

Neven Stanišić [Mar 23] (and those with him on Colorado)

### DEPARTED:

Hoshanna Ferrari [Mar 26] (Father of a friend of Cassandra Breitsprecher)

Nancy Tate [Apr 7] (Mother of Paula Place)

..... and especially all the thousands of victims of COVID-19.

ВЪЧНАА ПАМЪТЪ

### ♦ Men's Club Lotto -

# 77 Arlene Potter

Support the Men's Club  
Special Projects Fund!!

Do you have your number??!  
Have you made your payment?!

### ♦ Future Dates:

Bright Monday, May 3rd: Paschal Divine Liturgy & Procession 9:00 a.m.

Monday, May 24th: Parish Council mtg. 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 9th: Festal Vespertal Liturgy 6:00 p.m. for the Great Feast of ASCENSIÖN (Thursday, June 10th).

Sunday, June 20th: The Great Feast of PENTECÖST Festal Divine Liturgy, "Kneeling"

### April Finances

Income:	\$	10,106.41
Expense:	\$	9,017.46
Inc/Exp:	\$	1,088.95

### Year-to-date Finances

Income:	\$	56,978.27
Expense:	\$	54,220.93
Inc/Exp:	\$	2,757.34