



# HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Week of February 7-13, 2021 ❖ Tone 2

35th Sunday after Pentecost ❖ Postfeast of the Entrance of the Lord

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

1 Timothy 1:15-17

**MY SON TIMOTHY:** This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief. However, for this reason I obtained mercy, that in me first Jesus Christ might show all longsuffering, as a pattern to those who are going to believe on Him for everlasting life. Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, to God who alone is wise, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Matthew 15:21-28

**AT THAT TIME:** Jesus went out from there and departed to the region of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a woman of Canaan came from that region and cried out to Him, saying, "Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David! My daughter is severely demon-possessed." But He answered her not a word. And His disciples came and urged Him, saying, "Send her away, for she cries out after us." But He answered and said, "I was not sent except to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Then she came and worshiped Him, saying, "Lord, help me!" But He answered and said, "It is not good to take the children's bread and throw it to the little dogs." And she said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their masters' table." Then Jesus answered and said to her, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be to you as you desire." And her daughter was healed from that very hour.



**Winter weather: Watch NBC30, Fox61 or listen to WTIC-AM1080 (or go to their web pages) for announcements concerning service cancellations during this winter.**

## DAILY READINGS:

February 8th

James 2:14-26

Mark 10:46-52

February 9th

James 3:1-10

Mark 11:11-23

February 10th

James 3:11-4:6

Mark 11:22-26

February 11th

James 4:7-5:9

Mark 11:27-33

February 12th

1 Peter 1:1-2, 10-12, 2:6-10

Mark 12:1-12

February 13th

1 Thess. 5:14-23

Luke 17:3-10

## Weekly Calendar

Sunday, February 7th

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. [limited attendance] **COVID closure** live stream

Saturday, February 13th

Daily Vespers 5:00 p.m.

"live stream" only

Sunday, February 14th

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. [limited attendance] "live stream"

Saturday, February 20th

Daily Vespers 5:00 p.m.

"live stream" only

Sunday, February 21st

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. [limited attendance] "live stream"

Monday, February 22nd

Parish Council meeting 7:00 p.m.

Via Zoom

Saturday, February 27th

Daily Vespers 5:00 p.m.

"live stream" only

Sunday, February 28th

Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. [limited attendance] "live stream"

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday February 7

Greeter: G. Dresko

Cleaning: Everyone

Coffee: —

Sunday February 14

Greeter: G. Dresko

Cleaning: —

Coffee: —

## Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 2,751

YTD: \$ 17,639 [106.4%]

YTD Goal: \$ 16,580.00

(5wks) [\$ 3,316.00/wk]

**COVID closure**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆**Private Confession:** We have been given a blessing by His Beatitude, Metropolitan TIKHON to have Private Confession on a one-on-one basis, social distanced, by appointment. For those who want to come to private confession please contact Fr. David via email, text or phone to set up a convenient time.

◆**Parish Life Soup Project:** We will be making and delivering containers of soup to all our home bound parishioners in February. We are asking people to help by making meat or meatless soups (this is a pre-lenten period) Containers will be available at Church. If someone can not get the soup to Church, Nadine, Ellen or Barbara can pick it up.

◆**The February monthly charity collection is for St. Vladimir's**

**Seminary.** Values: We are servants of Jesus Christ and His Church.

Education: We are an educational resource for Orthodox Christians worldwide.

Mission: We are a ministry of and for the Church.

Stewardship: We are twenty-first century apologists for the Orthodox Christian Faith.

Purpose: The purpose of St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary is to serve our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ by bearing witness to Him throughout the world.

Mission: We train priests, lay leaders, and scholars to be active apologists of the Orthodox Christian Faith—focusing on academic rigor and spiritual formation within a residential Orthodox community.

Visit their web site at <https://www.svots.edu/>  
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 ..

Katherine Szezakow Joseph Kowar  
Arlene Potter Nicholas Tabakow  
Anastasiya Hudzen Filon Margaret Wagner  
Stella (Stephanida) Liwen Peter Labas  
George Ludko Evelyn Cherpak  
Paul Culton Helen Anop

Alex Polzun

MApr. Michael Koblosh (Alexandria, VA)  
Igumen Sergious [Gerken] (Inverness, FL)  
Apr. Emil Hutnyan (COVID - Sagamore Hills, Ohio)  
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)  
Mat. Nancy Gilbert (COVID - Maynard, MA)  
Nona Richards (Mother of Sarah Clark)  
Alice Stebelski (Aunt of Mallory Kokus)  
Nancy Tate (Mother of Paula Place)  
Stephen Place (Husband of Paula Place)  
William Place (COVID - Brother of Stephen Place)  
Mary Place (COVID - Wife of William 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 Hudzen Filon)  
Antanina Andrukevich (Grandmother of Mikalai Filon)  
Jean Sharon (recovery - Sister-in-law of Rosemary Delaney)  
Robert Harries (ICU - Brother of Rosemary Delaney's Sister-in-law)  
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 (hip surgery - Husband of Rosemary Delaney)  
Richard Kendall (COVID - Friend 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)  
Thomas Matcheson (COVID - St. Mary's Waterbury)

... all our health care professionals!

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

### NEWS

### DEPARTED:

Prprb. Daniel Hubiak [Feb 5] (Former OCA Chancellor)  
MApr. Eugene Pianovich [Jan 2] (Former Chancellor of the DNE)  
Apr. Joseph Irvin [Jan 13] ( All Saints, Hartford)  
Prdn. John Eby [Feb 1] (SVS / Yonkers, NY - friend of Fr. David)  
Anna Szepe [Jan 8] (Mother of Rdr. John Paul Szepe, Waterbury, CT)  
Michael Kokus [Jan 31] (Father of Nick Kokus)  
Leo Clement Dumoulin [Feb 3] (Grandson of Fr. Andrew & Mat. Galina Tregubov)  
..... and especially all the thousands of victims of COVID-19.

ΕΒΨΗΝΑ ΠΑΜΑΤΗ

### ◆Men's Club Lotto -

# 57 Marie Shimchick

Support the Men's Club  
Special Projects Fund!!

Do you have your number??!

### ◆Future Dates:

Sunday, February 21st: Beginning of the Lenten Triodion.

Sunday, March 14th: **Forgiveness Sunday!**  
March 15th - 18th: **Clean Week:** Canon of St. Andrew, Mon, Tues, & Thurs, 6:30 p.m.; Presanctified Liturgy, Wed 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 25th: **ANNUNCIATION**  
Festal Vesperal Liturgy, March 25th, 6:00 p.m.

Michael Hricus (Brother of Marion Bichun)  
Dimitry Wallack (Brother-in-law of Marion Bichun)  
Julie C. (surgery - Sister-in-law of James Nicholas)  
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')  
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 Matczyck)

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)  
Nina Gorbacheva (Mother-in-law of Richard Leardi)  
Alex Flansburg (cancer - Cousin of the Dresko's)  
Inez Giulietti (COVID - Grandmother of Melissa Dresko)  
Dierdre Falla (cancer - Colleague of Greg Dresko)  
Hunter Weitowitz (Leukemia - Former Student of Chris Dresko)  
Jennifer Ganley (MS - Friend of Chris Dresko)

### Captives:

Metropolitan Paul & Archbishop John of Aleppo, Syria.

**Pre-Pascha Clean-up:** Saturday, April 17th &/ or Sunday, April 18th after Coffee Hour.

**Lazarus Saturday/Palm Sunday:** Festal Divine Liturgy, Saturday, April 24th 9:00 a.m.  
Festal Vigil with Blessing of Palms, Saturday, April 24th 5:00 p.m. and Festal Divine Liturgy, Sunday, April 12th 9:00 a.m.

### January Finances

Income: \$ 16,051.46  
Expense: \$ 14,187.51  
Inc/Exp: \$ 1,863.95

### Year-to-date Finances

Income: \$ 16,051.46  
Expense: \$ 14,187.51  
Inc/Exp: \$ 1,863.95