

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Week of January 24 - 30, 2010 ❖ Tone 8

Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee ❖ St. Xenia of Petersburg

SCRIPTURE READINGS

2 Timothy 3:10-15

MY SON TIMOTHY: you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, 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. Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution. But evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived. But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them, 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.

Luke 18:10-14

THE LORD SPOKE THIS PARABLE: Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. 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. 'I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I possess.' 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!' 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.



DAILY READINGS:

- Jan 25th
2 Peter 1:20-2:9
Mark 13:9-13
- Jan 26th
2 Peter 2:9-22
Mark 13:14-23
- Jan 27th
2 Peter 3:1-18
Mark 13:24-31
- Jan 28th
1 John 1:8-2:6
Mark 13:31-14:2
- Jan 29th
1 John 2:7-17
Mark 14:3-9
- Jan 30th
2 Tim. 3:1-9
Luke 20:46-21:4

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, January 24th
Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.
Coffee Hour -
Annual Parish Meeting

Wednesday, January 27th
40th Day Panikhida for
Archbishop JOB @ Christ the
Savior, Southbury 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 30th
Schmemmann Lecture @ St.
Vladimir's 12:30 p.m.
Vespers 4:00 p.m. -
General Confession

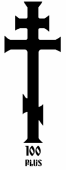
PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday January 24th
Greeter: M. Koles
Cleaning: Smilo/Delaney
Coffee: Parish Council

Sunday January 31st
Greeter: M. Koles
Cleaning: Smilo/Delaney
Coffee: Burrill

Parish Figures

Collection: \$ 1,295
YTD: \$ 6,103[71.8%]
YTD Goal:\$ 8,496.00
(3 wks) [\$ 2832.00/wk]



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

◆**Annual Parish Meeting:** The annual gathering of the entire parish in council will be held TODAY Sunday, January 24, 2010 following Divine Liturgy & coffee hour. EVERYONE who is qualified as a "voting member" is asked to make every effort to attend.

◆**Greeters, cleaners and Coffee Hour hosts:** Sign-up sheets for Greeters and Cleaners for the first half of 2010 are on the bulletin board. Please sign-up today to help next year. Also, see Phyllis Bartos who will have the 2010 Coffee Hour host sign-up sheet. Your stewardship of time and effort is greatly appreciated.



◆**Men's Club:** The Men's Club will hold it's Annual Meeting and lunch on Sunday, January 31st at coffee hour. All members should make every effort to set aside time for the meeting and fellowship.

◆**The January monthly charity is for Prudence Crandall Center for**

women. The center offers comprehensive services to victims of domestic violence. It was established in June of 1973 by a group of women who had a vision of a place for

"For the sick and suffering"

Sonia Matczyzk George Liwen
Annette Salina Karen Murphy
Archpriest Michael Mihalick (MS -
Johnstown, PA)
Archpriest William DuBovik (All Saints,
Hartford)
Protodeacon Simeon Kopcha (Father of
Mat. Melanie Koles)
child Timothy Armstrong Jr. (Great-
nephew of Ann Myszka)
Judy Flood (Sister-in-Law of
Rosemary Delaney)
Joan Anderson (Sister-in-Law of
Rosemary Delaney)
Justin Waleski (Friend of
Rosemary Delaney)
Andrew Eames (Friend of
Rosemary Delaney)
Shirley Lucas (Daughter of Ruth Lucas)
Tasha Lucas (Daughter-in-law of
Ruth Lucas)
Stanley Bartos (Father of David Bartos)
Sonya Bartos (Mother of David Bartos)
Annette Bartos (knee surgery - sister of
David Bartos)
Lillian Falko (Cousin of the Bichun's)
Janet Gernat (Cousin of the Bichun's)
child Justin Holmes (Infant friend of
the Bichun's

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

NEWLY DEPARTED:
His Eminence, Archbishop JOB [December 18]
Archpriest Alexander Filippov (Moscow) [December 22]
Olga Halajcio [December 30]
Ernestine Krivka [January 2] (Fr. David's Aunt)
Resa Ellison [January 3] (St. Mary's Cathedral, Minneapolis)
Harold Hasko [January 15] (cousin of Mat. Melanie)



women to meet, share, and support one another. The collection will be taken next week on the last Sunday of the month. You may donate early by using the envelope provided in your monthly mailing.

◆**Fast Free Week:** The week following the Publican & Pharisee, 1/24 - 1/30, is a fast free week.

◆**Men's Club Lotto -**
95 Danielle Salina
**Support the Men's Club
Church Improvement Fund!!**

The 2010 Lotto will begin on February 5th. Please, renew your old numbers or see your captain for a new one. All proceeds will go to the church for renovations!

Eva Jackson (Friend of Margaret Wagner)
Lorraine Zavorskas (Pancreatic cancer,
Sister-in-Law of Diane Steffick)
Sawa Kokotiuk (Father of Raisa Shafran)
Tatiana Kokotiuk (Mother of
Raisa Shafran)
Laura Iles (Friend of Diane Polzun)
Louise Lefebvre (cancer - Friend of
Diane Polzun)
Alla Wheeler (cancer - Friend of
Diane Dounouk)
child Christopher Elliot (Son of Fr. George
& Kim Elliot, St. Paul, Las Vegas, NV)
Denise Negron (H1N1 - Friend of
Larissa Rembisz)
child Isabelle Negron (Friend of
Larissa Rembisz)
Jeff Arnold (brain cancer - Friend of
Rebecca & Scott Ahern)
Adam Santos (child injured in bus crash -
son of co-worker of Nelson Potter)
Alexandra Hopko (in-operable tumors -
Sister of Fr. John Hopko)
Arlene Osuch (cancer - Ss. Cyril &
Methodius, Terryville)
Frank Guba (MS - Ss. Cyril &
Methodius, Terryville)
in need of our prayers:

Lydia Dorsey
Mary Toumbakis (Friend of Diane Dounouk)

◆**Winter weather:** Watch NBC30 or listen to WTIC-AM1080 for announcements concerning service cancellations during this winter.



◆**Future Dates:**
Monday, February 1st, 6:00 p.m. - Festal Vespertal Liturgy for the Great Feast of the Entrance of our Lord (Feb. 2nd) followed by "pot luck" supper.
February 7th - Meat Fare Sunday & Blessing of newly elected Parish Council with the Men's Club & Sisterhood officers.
February 14th - Forgiveness Sunday
Clean Week - February 15th - 19th: Canon of St. Andrew, M, Tu, Th, 6:30 p.m.; Presanctified Lit. Wed 6:00 p.m.; All Parish Panikhida Fri 5:30 p.m.
Monday, February 22nd, 7:00 p.m. - First meeting of the new Parish Council.