

TWELVE THINGS TO KNOW



The service will last about 1.5 hours. Many people stand, but feel free to take a seat if needed. See † on page 2 for times when one should stand, if able.



Only those united to the Orthodox Church through Baptism, Chrismation, regular Confession, prayer, and fasting may partake of Holy Communion.



Restrooms are located down the stairs & past the kitchen. There is also an ADA restroom on the 1st floor of Trinity House. See a greeter for assistance.



Help us keep in touch with you! Sign the guest register in the Narthex (vestibule) and provide your email (for weekly update) and/or snail mail (for monthly newsletter).



Please join us downstairs for coffee and snacks following Divine Liturgy. We would love to get to know you!



Welcome, PSU students! Get involved in our active campus ministry program by seeing a fellow student or emailing orthodox@psu.edu.



There is a crying room/nursery downstairs adjacent to the bookstore. Audio of the service is piped in!



Holy Trinity has an education program for kids K-12, which meets Sundays at 9am (Sept. – May). Contact Deacon Mark for info.



Our bookstore, located downstairs next to the crying room, is a great resource for all things Orthodox.



Holy Trinity provides guidance to the Chapel of the Holy Spirit, our growing Orthodox mission in Beavertown. Contact Father David for details.



Lost and left items are kept for you in Trinity House. After several weeks, unclaimed items will be donated to charity.



There are visitor spaces behind the church on Calder Way. You may also park anywhere in the church lot or on-street, as per signage.

FOR THE RECORD

ATTENDANCE

Holy Trinity (7/26):	70
Chapel of the Holy Spirit (7/26):	18

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal:	\$5,300
Collection (7/26):	\$1,996
Average – Last 4 Weeks:	\$4,461
Average – Last 12 Weeks:	\$4,566
Average – Last 52 Weeks:	\$4,841

WISDOM FROM THE FAITH

“Live each day as if you were about to die on that day... We must be ready at any time. Always be what you want to be at the moment of death.”

~ St. Ignatius Brianchaninov



Building Up the Church Beyond Our Parish

~ Holy Trinity Church is a community of Orthodox Christians seeking to glorify God by proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ in its entirety to all people in the Centre Region and beyond ~

August 2, 2020

8th Sunday after Pentecost

Translation of the Relics of the Protomartyr and Archdeacon Stephen

THE DIVINE LITURGY

GATHERING the Church

- ♦ Great Litany (p.29) †
- ♦ The Antiphons (p.32)

PROCLAIMING the Word

- ♦ Little Entrance (p.39) †
- ♦ Today's Hymns (see next column)
- ♦ Epistle Reading: *1 Corinthians 1:10-18*
- ♦ Gospel Reading: *Matthew 14:14-22* †
- ♦ Sermon

THANKSGIVING for Redemption

- ♦ The Offering †
- ♦ Great Entrance (p.57)
- ♦ The Creed (p.63) †
- ♦ The Anaphora (p.64) †
- ♦ The Lord's Prayer (p.75) †
- ♦ Communion Hymn (see opposite page)
- ♦ Communion of the Faithful †
- ♦ Litany of Thanksgiving (p.87)

SENDING to Serve

- ♦ Dismissal & Veneration of the Cross*
- ♦ This Week's Events (see opposite page)

† All stand.

* All are welcome to greet the priest and kiss the cross, if they choose, at the end of the service.

Note: page numbers correspond to black Divine Liturgy book, available in the Narthex.

Father Ignatius Hunter, Rector
Father David Smith, Associate Rector and
Priest-in-Charge, Chapel of the Holy Spirit

TODAY'S HYMNS

TROPARIA

Resurrection (Tone 7)

By Thy Cross, Thou didst destroy death! To the thief, Thou didst open paradise! For the myrrhbearers, Thou didst change weeping into joy! And Thou didst command Thy disciples, O Christ God, to proclaim that Thou art risen, granting the world great mercy.

Protomartyr Stephen (Tone 4)

Your relics have risen from the depths of the earth, like a treasury for the immortal life of all of creation. The Church, rejoicing in the grace that she receives from them, duteously honors you, Protomartyr Stephen. Preserve us from error and heresy by your intercession!

KONTAKIA

Resurrection (Tone 7)

The dominion of death can no longer hold men captive for Christ descended, shattering and destroying its powers. Hell is bound, while the prophets rejoice and cry: the Savior has come to those in faith! Enter, you faithful, into the Resurrection. *Glory...*

Protomartyr Stephen (Tone 6)

You were the first to be sown on the earth by the Heavenly Husbandman, O all-praised one. You were the first to shed your blood on the earth for Christ, O blessed one. You were the first to receive the crown of victory from Him in heaven, Stephen, first of the suffering God-crowned martyrs. *Now and ever...*

Deacon Alexander Cadman, Director of
Ministries and Chaplain, Penn State OCF
Deacon Mark Oleynik, Director of Christian Ed.

WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY!

We are delighted to have visitors worship with us, and we pray that you will be blessed through your participation in our services today. If this is your first time with us, please see our "Things to Know" on the back page. And if you have any questions, please ask one of our greeters!

TODAY'S HYMNS (continued)

KONTAKIA (continued)

Steadfast Protectress

O Protection of Christians that is not put to shame, unchanging mediation before the Creator, despise not the voice of the sinners' prayer, but in that thou art good, come quickly to help us who call upon thee in faith; make speed to intercede and make haste to supplicate, O Theotokos, who dost ever protect those that honor thee.

PROKEIMENON

Resurrection (Tone 7)

The Lord shall give strength to His people!
The Lord shall bless His people with peace!

COMMUNION HYMN

Praise the Lord from the heavens! Praise Him in the highest! *Alleluia...*

Sundays: Divine Liturgy, 10am
Saturdays: Great Vespers, 6pm
Wednesdays: Vespers, 6pm

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, AUGUST 3

"Hats and Hugs Made with Love" 1:00 PM
Knitting Group at Trinity House

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

Confessions 4:00 PM
Great Vespers with Litiya and Blessing of Fruit 6:00 PM

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6

TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

Divine Liturgy 8:00 AM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8

Choir Rehearsal 4:00 PM
Great Vespers 6:00 PM
Confessions Following

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

Saint Herman of Alaska

Third and Sixth Hours 9:40 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM

BIRTHDAYS

Nikolai Pelikan (8/2), Ezra Swisher (8/3), Myrna Trent (8/4), Paul Supko (8/6). **Many Years!**

Help us to remember your special day! Call the Parish Office at 231-2855 or email directory@holytrinity-oca.org to make sure we have your information.

Appointments: office@holytrinity-oca.org, 814-231-2855
Inquiries into Orthodoxy: info@holytrinity-oca.org
Additional Resources: holytrinity-oca.org