

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. 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 next door in Trinity House, 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 the Parish Hall Office. After several weeks, unclaimed items will be donated to charity.



On Sundays, 27 spaces are available at the SW corner of Calder Way and Lark Alley. Other days, only the gravel spots are open.

FOR THE RECORD

ATTENDANCE

Holy Trinity (11/15):	60
Chapel of the Holy Spirit (11/15):	12

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal:	\$5,300
Collection (11/15):	\$2,751
Average – Last 4 Weeks:	\$4,663
Average – Last 12 Weeks:	\$4,547
Average – Last 52 Weeks:	\$4,747

MT. 25 THANKSGIVING DRIVE

This year's *Matthew 25* Thanksgiving Drive is nearly complete! The drive will provide complete holiday meals to 23 families (100 adults and children) in our community. **Online donations via the Walmart.com gift registry can still be made through tomorrow, Monday 11/23.** Visit holytrinity-oca.org/thanksgiving to participate. Monetary donations for the ongoing work of this ministry are also always appreciated!

WISDOM FROM THE FAITH

“Do not desire to hear about the misfortunes of those who oppose you.” ~ *St. Mark the Ascetic*



HOLY TRINITY

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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 ~

November 22, 2020

24th Sunday after Pentecost

Afterfeast of the Entrance into the Temple

Apostles of the Seventy Philemon and Archippus, Martyr Apphia, wife of Philemon and Equal-to-the-Apostles, and Onesimus, disciple of St. Paul

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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: *Ephesians 2:14-22*
- ♦ Gospel Reading: *Luke 12:16-21* †
- ♦ 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.

Entrance of the Theotokos (Tone 4)

Today is the foreshadowing of the good pleasure of God and the herald of the salvation of men. The Virgin is revealed in the temple of God, and beforehand she announces Christ to all. Let us therefore cry to her with mighty voice: Rejoice! Thou fulfillment of the Creator's dispensation.

Apostles of the Seventy (Tone 3)

Holy Apostles Philemon, Archipus, Apphia, and Onesimus, entreat the merciful God to grant our souls forgiveness of transgressions.

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...*

Apostles of the Seventy (Tone 2)

Let us praise the Apostles of Christ, who illumine the ends of the earth like all-radiant stars: glorious Philemon and dedicated Archippus, Onesimus, together with Mark and Apollos, and the all-wise Apphia. Let us cry to them: "Unceasingly pray for us all!" *Now and ever...*

Protodeacon Alexander Cadman, Director of
Ministries and Chaplain, OCF at Penn State
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)

Entrance of the Theotokos (Tone 4)

The most pure Temple of the Savior; the precious Chamber and Virgin; the sacred Treasure of the glory of God, is presented today to the house of the Lord. She brings with her the grace of the Spirit, therefore, the angels of God praise her: "Truly this woman is the abode of heaven."

PROKEIMENA

Resurrection (Tone 7)

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

Song of the Theotokos (Tone 3)

My soul magnifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

HYMN TO THE THEOTOKOS

Instead of "It Is Truly Meet..." we sing:

The angels beheld the entrance of the Pure One and were amazed! How has the Virgin entered into the Holy of Holies? As you are a living Temple of God, let no impure hand touch you, O Theotokos! But let the lips of all believers sing, constantly magnifying you in joy with the angelic salutation: Truly you are above all creatures, O Pure One!

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

TODAY'S HYMNS (continued)

COMMUNION HYMNS

Praise the Lord from the heavens! Praise Him in the Highest!

I will receive the cup of salvation and call on the Name of the Lord. *Alleluia...*

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24

Orthodoxy 101 at Trinity House 7:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25

Confessions 4:00 PM
Vespers 6:00 PM
Confessions Following

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26

National Day of Thanksgiving

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29

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

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