

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 (4/11):	65
Chapel of the Holy Spirit (4/11):	13

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal:	\$4,923
Collection (4/11):	\$4,123
Average – Last 4 Weeks:	\$4,295
Average – Last 12 Weeks:	\$3,813
Average – Last 52 Weeks:	\$4,435

BIRTHDAYS

Alexei Listvinsky (4/22). **Many Years!**

WISDOM FROM THE FAITH

“By what virtue have the saints been most exalted and glorified in the eyes of heaven and men? Primarily by their humility and service.”

~ St. Nikolai Velimirovich



HOLY TRINITY

ORTHODOX CHURCH

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 ~

April 18, 2021
Fifth Sunday of Lent
St. Mary of Egypt

THE DIVINE LITURGY

GATHERING the Church

- ♦ Great Litany (p.97) †
- ♦ The Antiphons (p.99)

PROCLAIMING the Word

- ♦ Little Entrance (p.106) †
- ♦ Today's Hymns (see next column)
Epistle Reading: *Hebrews 9:11-14*
- ♦ Gospel Reading: *Mark 10:32-45* †
- ♦ Sermon

THANKSGIVING for Redemption

- ♦ The Offering †
- ♦ Great Entrance (p.126)
- ♦ The Creed (p.133) †
- ♦ The Anaphora (p.134) †
- ♦ The Lord's Prayer (p.152) †
- ♦ Communion Hymn (see opposite page)
- ♦ Communion of the Faithful †
- ♦ Litany of Thanksgiving (p.164)

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.

TODAY'S HYMNS

TROPARIA

Resurrection (Tone 4)

When the women disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the joyous message of Thy Resurrection; they cast away the ancestral curse and elatedly told the apostles: Death is overthrown! Christ our God is risen, granting the world great mercy.

St. Mary of Egypt (Tone 8)

The image of God was truly preserved in thee, O Mother, for thou didst take up the Cross and followed Christ. By so doing, thou hast taught us to disregard the flesh, for it passes away; but to care instead for the soul, since it is immortal. Therefore thy spirit, O holy Mother Mary, rejoices with the angels.

KONTAKIA

Resurrection (Tone 4)

My Savior and Redeemer as God rose from the tomb and delivered the earthborn from their chains. He has shattered the gates of hell, and as Master, He has risen on the third day! *Glory...*

St. Mary of Egypt (Tone 3)

Having been a sinful woman, you became through repentance a Bride of Christ. Having attained angelic life, you defeated demons with the weapon of the Cross! Therefore, most glorious Mary, you are a Bride of the Kingdom. *Now and ever...*

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 4)

O Lord, how manifold are Thy works! In wisdom hast thou made them all.

HYMN TO THE THEOTOKOS

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

In Thee rejoices all creation, O Full of Grace; the assembly of angels and the race of men. O Sanctified Temple and spiritual Paradise, the glory of virgins from whom God was incarnate and became a child, our Eternal God. He made Thy body into a throne, and Thy womb He made more spacious than the heavens. In Thee rejoices all creation, O Full of Grace, glory to Thee!

COMMUNION HYMNS

Praise the Lord from the heavens! Praise Him in the Highest! The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance! He shall not fear evil tidings! *Alleluia...*

Sundays: Divine Liturgy, 10am

Saturdays: Great Vespers, 6pm

Wednesdays: Vespers, 6pm

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, APRIL 19

College Student Pysanky Workshop at Trinity House 7:00 PM

TUESDAY, APRIL 20

Reading of the Life of St. Mary of Egypt 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21

Confessions 4:00 PM
Presanctified Liturgy 6:00 PM
Lenten Potluck 7:30 PM

THURSDAY, APRIL 22

Adult Education Class: "My God... Why hast Thou forsaken me?" *via Zoom* 7:00 PM

FRIDAY, APRIL 23

Confessions 5:00 PM
Presanctified Liturgy 6:00 PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 24

Lazarus Saturday

Divine Liturgy 9:00 AM
Altar Society Decorating 10:30 AM
Palm Cross Workshop 5:00 PM
Vigil of Palm Sunday 6:00 PM

SUNDAY, APRIL 25

PALM SUNDAY

Third and Sixth Hours 9:40 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
Altar Society Decorating 11:45 AM
Bridegroom Matins 6:00 PM

Appointments: office@holytrinity-oca.org, 814-231-2855

Inquiries into Orthodoxy: info@holytrinity-oca.org

Additional Resources: holytrinity-oca.org

His Eminence +Melchisedek, Archbishop of Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania

Father Ignatius Hunter, Rector

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