

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 (9/26):	117
Chapel of the Holy Spirit (9/26):	22

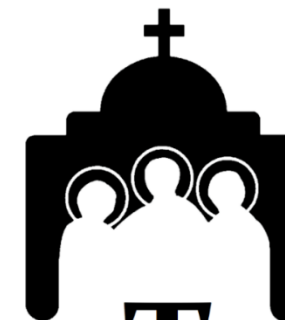
YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal:	\$4,923
Collection (9/26):	\$3,295
Average – Last 4 Weeks:	\$4,530
Average – Last 12 Weeks:	\$4,192
Average – Last 52 Weeks:	\$4,359

HELP SERVE NEIGHBORS IN NEED

HTOC is pleased to announce that we are partnering with CommonFood, a local non-profit whose mission is to resource under-served and under-employed elderly, single-parent families, and low-income families in western Centre County and neighboring areas with nutritious food and related services.

On Friday evening 10/15 at 6:30 pm we are looking for 12-14 volunteers to fill boxes with dry goods to be distributed the following day to families in need. The event will take place at Unity Church of Jesus Christ (formerly Celebration Hall). If you are interested or want to learn more, please contact Leoni Georgiou at leomcfar@comcast.net.



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 ~

October 3, 2021

15th Sunday after Pentecost

Hieromartyr Dionysius the Areopagite, Bishop of Athens

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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: *2 Corinthians 4:6-15*
- ♦ Gospel Reading: *Luke 6:31-36* †
- ♦ 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
- ♦ 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.

TODAY'S HYMNS

TROPARIA

Resurrection (Tone 6)

The angelic powers were at Thy tomb; the guards became as dead men. Mary stood by Thy grave, seeking Thy most pure Body. Thou didst capture hell, not being tempted by it. Thou didst come to the Virgin, granting life. O Lord who didst rise from the dead: glory to Thee.

Hieromartyr Dionysius (Tone 4)

Having learned goodness and maintaining continence in all things, thou wast arrayed with a good conscience as befits a priest. From the chosen Vessel thou didst draw ineffable mysteries; thou didst keep the faith, and didst finish a course equal to His. Bishop martyr Dionysius, entreat Christ God that our souls may be saved.

KONTAKIA

Resurrection (Tone 6)

When Christ God the Giver of Life, raised all of the dead from the valleys of misery with His mighty hand, He bestowed resurrection on the human race. He is the Savior of all, the Resurrection, the Life and the God of all. *Glory...*

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)

Hieromartyr Dionysius (Tone 4)

As a disciple of the Apostle caught up to the third heaven, thou didst spiritually enter the gate of heaven, O Dionysius. Thou wast enriched with understanding of ineffable mysteries and didst enlighten those who sat in darkness of ignorance. Therefore we cry to thee: "Rejoice, universal Father!" *Now and ever...*

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 6)

O Lord, save Thy people and bless Thine inheritance.

COMMUNION HYMN

Praise the Lord from the Heavens! Praise Him in the Highest! *Alleluia...*

THIS WEEK

TODAY

Sunday School Family Picnic 4:00 PM
at Circleville Park

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6

St. Innocent of Alaska

Confessions 4:00 PM
Vespers 6:00 PM
Orthodoxy 101: "Timeline of Church History" 7:00 PM

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7

Penn State Student Ministry 7:00 PM
at 126 Pasquerilla Spiritual Center

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

St. Tikhon, Enlightener of N. America

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

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10

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

BIRTHDAYS

Wesley Shippert (10/3), Will Baumgardner (10/7), Elizabeth Hunter (10/8), Alla Israelian (10/8). **Many Years!**

His Eminence +Melchisedek, Archbishop of Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania

Father Ignatius Hunter, Rector

Protodeacon Mark Oleynik, Director of Christian Ed.

Father David Smith, Associate Rector and

Priest-in-Charge, Chapel of the Holy Spirit

Sundays: Divine Liturgy, 10am

Saturdays: Great Vespers, 6pm

Wednesdays: Vespers, 6pm

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

Inquiries into Orthodoxy: info@holytrinity-oca.org

Additional Resources: holytrinity-oca.org