TWELVE THINGS TO KNOW



Fr. Ignatius is willing to meet with any parishioner or visitor by appt. To schedule, email him at *frignatius@holytrinity-oca.org* or call him at 814-231-2855.



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



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.



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).



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.



Welcome, PSU students! Get involved in our active campus ministry program by seeing a fellow student or emailing nak5437@psu.edu.



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



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



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



If you need a ride to church, please contact Mka. Kelly Oleynik. Text: (814) 360-8425, Landline: (814) 308-9109, email: ohkellyoh@hotmail.com.



Our bookstore, located next door in Trinity House, is a great resource for all things Orthodox.



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 (3/26): 107 Chapel of the Holy Spirit (3/26): 26

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal:	\$4,839
Collection (3/26):	\$681
Average – Last 4 Weeks:	\$3,190
Average – Last 12 Weeks:	\$3,904
Average – Last 52 Weeks:	\$4,354

BIRTHDAYS

Hana Abraha (4/6), Ed Miranda (4/6), Julia Rush (4/4), Corielle Stickles (4/4) *Many Years!*

WISDOM FROM THE FAITH

"The saints were people like all of us. Many of them came out of great sins, but by repentance they attained the Kingdom of Heaven. And everyone who comes there comes through repentance, which the merciful Lord has given us through His sufferings."

~St. Silouan the Athonite



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 2nd, 20235th Sunday of Lent
Sunday of St. Mary of Egypt

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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: *Hebrews 9:11-14*
- Gospel Reading: Mark 10:32-45 †
- Sermon

THANKSGIVING for Redemption

- The Offering
- Great Entrance (p.126) †
- The Creed (p.153) **†**
- The Anaphora (p.134) †
- The Lord's Prayer (p.152) †
- Communion Hymns
- 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 1)

When the stone had been sealed by the Jews; while the soldiers were guarding Thy most pure Body; Thou didst rise on the third day, O Savior, granting life to the world. The powers of heaven therefore cried to Thee, O Giver of Life: Glory to Thy Resurrection O Christ! Glory to Thy Kingdom! Glory to Thy dispensation, O Thou who lovest mankind.

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 follow 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 1)

As God, Thou didst rise from the tomb in glory, raising the world with Thyself. Human nature praises Thee as God, for death has vanished. Adam exults O Master! Eve rejoices, for she is freed from bondage, and cries to Thee; Thou art the Giver of Resurrection to all, O Christ. *Glory...*

St. Mary of Egypt (Tone 3)

Having been a sinful woman, thou hast become through repentance a Bride of Christ. Having attained angelic life, thou didst defeat demons with the weapon of the Cross! Therefore, most glorious Mary, thou art a Bridge of the Kingdom. *Now and ever...*

His Eminence +Melchisedek, Archbishop of Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania Father Ignatius Hunter, Rector Father David Smith, Associate Rector and Protodeacon Mark Oleynik, Director of Christian Ed. Priest-in-Charge, Chapel of the Holy Spirit

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 you have any questions, please ask one of our greeters!

TODAY'S HYMNS (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.

PROKEIMENA

Resurrection (Tone 1)

Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on Thee.

St. Mary of Egypt (Tone 4)

God is wonderful in His saints, the God of Israel.

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...*

THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5	
Confessions	4:00 PM
Presanctified Liturgy	6:00 PM
Lenten Potluck	7:30 PM
FRIDAY, APRIL 7	
Confessions	5:00 PM
Presanctified Liturgy	6:00 PM
SATURDAY, APRIL 8	
Lazarus Saturday	
Chrismation of Christine	9:00 AM
Wakeman	
Divine Liturgy	10:00 AM
Pascha Preparation and Palm	4:00 PM
Cross Workshop	
Vigil of Palm Sunday	6:00 PM
SUNDAY, APRIL 9	
PALM SUNDAY	
Sunday School	9:00 AM
Prayer of the Hours	9:40 AM
Divine Liturgy	10:00 AM
Myrrhophore Practice	12:00 PM
Bridegroom Matins	6:00 PM

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