

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! Fill out a connection card 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 ndq5002@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 paved spots across from the gravel are open. The others are rented.



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 ~

FOR THE RECORD

ATTENDANCE

Sunday 8/25: 158

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal: \$4,929
 Collection (8/25): \$4,434
 Average – Last 4 Weeks: \$5,235
 Average – Last 12 Weeks: \$4,576
 Average – Last 52 Weeks: \$4,727

MILESTONES

Birthdays: Anne Swisher (9/3), Olga Shimelis (9/4)

Anniversaries: Leonard and Jeanie Carl (9/6)

PARKING DURING THE SEMESTER

Penn State Classes have started and that means parking has become tight again at the church. We are currently leasing our numbered spots 10-18 (street side of the parking lot) to students, and if you park there from Monday-Saturday, you risk getting towed! On Sundays from 9am-1pm, all student cars will be gone and all of our parking spots (1-18, as well as the gravel side of the lot) are open to parishioners. Please, let's be respectful of the students who have rented spots as they are respectful of us and move them on Sundays!

September 1, 2024
 10th Sunday after Pentecost
 Church New Year (Indiction)
 St. Symeon the Stylite

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 Readings: *1 Tim. 2:1-7*
- ♦ Gospel Readings: *Luke 4:16-22* †
- ♦ 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 Hymns
- ♦ 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

TROPARION

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.

Indiction (Tone 2)

O Creator of the Universe, Thou didst appoint times by Thine own power; bless the crown of this year with Thy goodness, O Lord! Preserve in safety Thy rulers and Thy cities: and through the intercessions of the Theotokos, save us!

St. Symeon (Tone 2)

Thou wast a pillar of patient endurance, having imitated the Forefathers, O Venerable One: Job in suffering and Joseph in temptations. Thou didst live like the bodiless ones while yet in the flesh, O Simeon, our Father. Beseech Christ God that our souls may be saved!

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...

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)

KONTAKIA (continued)

St. Symeon (Tone 2)

Seeking the things of the Highest, and having made thy pillar a fiery chariot, thou wast joined to the heights. Therefore, thou hast become a companion to the angels, O venerable Simeon, and with them thou art praying incessantly to Christ God for us all.

Now and ever...

Indiction (Tone 4)

O Creator and Master of time and the ages, Triune and Merciful God of all: grant blessings for the course of this year, and in Thy boundless mercy save those who worship Thee and cry out in fear: "O Savior, grant blessings to all mankind!"

PROKEIMENON

Resurrection (Tone 3)

Great is our Lord and abundant in power; His understanding is beyond measure.

St. Simeon (Tone 7)

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints.

COMMUNION HYMNS

Thou shalt bless the crown of the year with Thy goodness, O Lord!

The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance! He shall not fear evil tidings!

Alleluia...

6th-12th GRADE YOUTH GROUP

If interested in helping with or joining our youth group, please contact Abby Swisher at aaswisher905@gmail.com

THIS WEEK

TODAY

Sunday School Teacher's Meeting 12:00 PM

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

Catechesis 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Confessions 4:00 PM

Great Vespers 6:00 PM

Confessions 7:00 PM

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Prison Ministry Organizational Meeting 6:00 PM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Vigil 6:00 PM

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Nativity of the Theotokos

Sunday School 9:00 AM

Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM

Parish Photo 11:45 AM

Project Mexico Presentation 12:00 PM

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

Our Sunday school is in need of a few more teachers for our younger classes (fifth grade and below) to ensure that we have multiple teachers for each class. If you enjoy working with children and have a heart for sharing God's love and the beauty of His Church, please see Pdn. Mark today. (Sunday school classes begin September 8th.)

PARISH PHOTO

Join us after liturgy on September 8th for a parish photo to capture the faces that make up our parish family.

His Eminence Melchisedek, Archbishop of Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania
Father Ignatius Hunter, Rector
Protodeacon Mark Oleynik, Director of Christian Ed.

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

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