

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.



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.



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.



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



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



Our bookstore, located next door in Trinity House, is a great resource for all things Orthodox. Scan the QR code for more information and hours.



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



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). Or scan the QR code and fill one out online.



Welcome, PSU students! Get involved in our active campus ministry program by seeing a fellow student or emailing ndq5002@psu.edu.



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



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



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 10/27: 144

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal: \$4,929
 Collection (10/27): \$3,889
 Average – Last 4 Weeks: \$4,890
 Average – Last 12 Weeks: \$4,588
 Average – Last 52 Weeks: \$4,795

MILESTONES

Birthdays: Silas Johnson (11/3), Gabrielle Vaughn (11/6), Arseniy Buyanskiy (11/8), Luke Stevens (11/8)

Namesdays: Michael Stickles (11/8), Ed Miranda (11/8), Michael Pelikan (11/8), Michael Anthony (11/8), Michael Roeske (11/8)

Anniversary: Josie and Cameron Johnson (11/6)

MATTHEW 25 THANKSGIVING DRIVE

This year's Matthew 25 Thanksgiving Drive is now underway! The drive will provide complete holiday meals to around 20 local families in need. You may sign up to purchase side dishes on the sheet in the Narthex. Monetary donations to help cover the cost of turkeys are also greatly appreciated and should be made to Matthew 25.

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: *2 Cor. 11:31-12:9*
- ♦ Gospel Readings: *Luke 8:41-56* †
- ♦ 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 2)

When Thou didst descend to death, O Life Immortal, Thou didst slay hell with the splendor of Thy Godhead! And when from the depths Thou didst raise the dead, all the powers of heaven cried out: O Giver of Life! Christ our God! Glory to Thee!

Martyrs (Tone 3)

Ye were pillars of the Church, O servants of godliness, and ye humbled the proud worshippers of fire. Much afflicted hierarch Akepsimas, Joseph the presbyter and Aethalas the deacon, pray to Christ our God to grant us His great mercy!

St. George (Tone 4)

O liberator of captives, defender of the poor, physician of the sick, and champion of kings, trophy-bearer, great martyr George, intercede with Christ God that our souls may be saved!

KONTAKIA

Resurrection (Tone 2)

Hell became afraid, O almighty Savior, seeing the miracle of Thy Resurrection from the tomb! The dead arose! Creation, with Adam, beheld this and rejoiced with thee! And the world, O my Savior praises Thee forever.

Martyrs (Tone 2)

Thou didst celebrate the mysteries blamelessly, O wise one, and became thyself an acceptable sacrifice, O divinely blessed one. Thou didst gloriously drink of the cup of Christ, Holy Akepsimas. Together with thy fellow sufferers thou art praying unceasingly to Christ God for us 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 you have any questions, please ask one of our greeters!

TODAY'S HYMNS (continued)

KONTAKIA (continued)

St. George (Tone 8)

As we the faithful flee to thee for refuge and seek thy protection and speedy help, we entreat thee, O Champion of Christ, that we who sing thy praises may be delivered from the snares of the enemy and from every peril and adversary, that we may cry: "Rejoice, O martyr George!"

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 2)

The Lord is my strength and my song, he has become my salvation.

COMMUNION HYMN

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest!

Alleluia...

BOOKSTORE NATIVITY SALE AND HOURS

Through December 15th there will be a Nativity sale at the bookstore. 20% off children's books, 15% off all other books, and 5% off all other items. Hours are before Saturday vespers and after Sunday Liturgy. Please use the back door due to the construction. If you want to come during the week, please call Anna at (814) 689-9929 or email bookstore@holytrinity-oca.org.

THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Confessions	4:00 PM
Vespers	6:00 PM
Confessions	7:00 PM
Orthodoxy 101	7:00 PM

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Great Vespers	6:00 PM
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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Synaxis of Archangel Michael

Divine Liturgy	8:00 AM
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Great Vespers	6:00 PM
Confessions	7:00 PM

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

Sunday School	9:00 AM
Divine Liturgy	10:00 AM
Parish Annual Meeting	12:00 PM

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Holy Trinity will hold its Annual Meeting Sunday November 10th at noon. Nominations are open for the Council positions of President, Vice President, and Grounds Chair. Agenda items must be submitted in writing to the Parish Council prior to November 1st (no motions will be considered from the floor). Parishioners in good standing who were registered as members at the end of the previous ecclesiastical year (August 31, 2024) and who have fulfilled their annual obligations of Confession and Communion should plan to attend.

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

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