

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 1/12: 121

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal: \$4,929
 Collection (1/12): \$3,736
 Average – Last 4 Weeks: \$7,672
 Average – Last 12 Weeks: \$5,905
 Average – Last 52 Weeks: \$4,920

MILESTONES

Birthdays: Bruce Haupt (1/22), Elena Stevens (1/22),
Anniversary: Michael and Katya Roeske (1/22)

PARKING DURING THE SEMESTER

Penn State classes are starting again, 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!

January 19, 2025
 30th Sunday after Pentecost
 St. Mark the Confessor

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: *Coloss. 3:12-16*
- ♦ Gospel Readings: *Luke 18:35-43* †
- ♦ 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 5)

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born for our salvation from the Virgin; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection.

St. Mark (Tone 4)

By thy profession of faith, O all-praised Mark the Church has found thee to be a zealot for truth. Thou didst fight for the teaching of the Fathers; thou didst cast down the darkness of boastful pride. Intercede with Christ God to grant forgiveness to those who honor thee!

KONTAKIA

Resurrection (Tone 5)

Thou didst descend into hell, O my Savior, shattering its gates as almighty; resurrecting the dead as Creator and destroying the sting of death, Thou hadst delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Man, and we all cry to Thee O Lord, save us!

Glory...

St. Mark (Tone 3)

Clothed with invincible armor, O blessed one, thou didst cast down rebellious pride, thou didst serve as the instrument of the Comforter, and didst shine forth as the champion of Orthodoxy. Therefore we cry to thee: "Rejoice, Mark, the boast of the Orthodox!"

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

TODAY'S HYMNS

KOTAKIA (cont.)

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 5)

Thou, O Lord, shalt protect us and preserve us from this generation for ever!

Resurrection (Tone 1)

My mouth shall speak wisdom, the meditation of my heart shall be understanding.

COMMUNION HYMN

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...

HUNTER FAMILY ON VACATION

Fr. Ignatius and his family will be on vacation from Tuesday, January 21st-Tuesday, January 28th. For pastoral emergencies or other needs during this time, please contact Pdn. Mark Oleynik at (814) 380 6031 or dnmark@holyltrinity-oca.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

Vespers 6:00 PM

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

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

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

Sunday School 9:00 PM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM

HOUSE BLESSINGS

It's house blessing season again! What is a house blessing? It is an annual reminder that all our life belongs to God. When we have our house blessed, we remember our own baptism and reclaim it. Further, we proclaim its implications: that all our life - our possessions, interactions with those we live with and our guests, work, free time - all of it belongs to God. Let us not neglect this opportunity to reclaim Christ and to be filled with His grace!

Sign-up sheets with time slotting are available in the narthex and online (on our website and through the QR code below). For any questions and unlisted scheduling, please contact Anna Stickles at anna@grtbooks.com.

College students are more than welcome to sign up to get your dorm room/apartment blessed! If you don't know what you need or how to set things up, don't worry; Father will come with everything needed and show you!



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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Inquiries into Orthodoxy: info@holyltrinity-oca.org
Additional Resources: holyltrinity-oca.org