

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.



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 georgiebarbouni@gmail.com



Holy Trinity has an education program for kids K-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 (8/3): 133

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal: \$5,120
 Collection (8/3): \$4,398
 Average – Last 4 Weeks: \$5,188
 Average – Last 12 Weeks: \$5,080
 Average – Last 52 Weeks: \$5,118

MILESTONES

Birthdays: Carol Supko (8/10), Kieran Chambers (8/11)

Namesdays: Micah Patel (8/14), Maria Finke (8/15), Mary Kay Haupt (8/15), Deanna Patel (8/15), Maria Stevens (8/15), Dasha Khachatryan (8/18)

Many years!

YOUTH GROUP POOL PARTY

Calling all 6th–12th graders! Kick off the new school year with a pool party **today** at the Chambers' home (250 Abington Ln., Port Matilda) from 1-5 pm. Vegan tacos will be provided—bring a fast-friendly dish to share! For more information, contact Abby Swisher at aaswisher905@gmail.com.

August 10, 2025
 9th Sunday after Pentecost
 Martyr and Archdeacon Lawrence
 Afterfeast of Transfiguration

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 Cor. 3:9-17*
- ♦ Gospel Readings: *Matt. 14:22-34* †
- ♦ 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 8)

Thou didst descend from on high, O Merciful One! Thou didst accept the three day burial to free us from our sufferings! O Lord, our Life and Resurrection, glory to Thee!

Transfiguration (Tone 7)

Thou wast transfigured upon the mountain, O Christ our God, showing Thy glory to Thy disciples as far as they were able to bear it. At the intercessions of the Theotokos, make Thine everlasting light shine forth also upon us sinners. O giver of light, glory to Thee.

Martyr and Archdeacon Lawrence (Tone 4)

Victorious martyr of Christ our God, by the sign of the Cross thou didst give sight to the blind; thou didst distribute the riches of the Church to the poor; thou wast tried by fire, and no evil was found in thee. As thou didst endure burning, may thy prayers extinguish the flames of our many sins, blessed Archdeacon Lawrence!

KONTAKIA

Resurrection (Tone 8)

By rising from the tomb, Thou didst raise the dead and resurrect Adam. Eve exults in Thy Resurrection, And the world celebrates Thy rising from the dead, O greatly Merciful One!
Glory...

Martyr and Archdeacon Lawrence (Tone 2)

Thy heart burned with divine fire, as the flames of the passions died within thee. God-bearing Martyr Lawrence, the pillar of those who struggle, thou didst cry out in the midst of thy contest: "Nothing can separate me from the love of Christ!"
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!

TODAYS HYMNS (Cont.)

KONTAKIA cont.

Transfiguration (Tone 7)

On the mountain Thou wast transfigured, and Thy disciples beheld Thy glory, O Christ our God, as far as they were able so to do: that when they saw Thee crucified, they might know that Thy suffering was voluntary, and might proclaim unto the world that Thou art truly the Brightness of the Father.

PROKEIMENON

Resurrection (Tone 8)

Pray and make your vows before the Lord our God!

Transfiguration (Tone 4)

O Lord, how manifold are thy works! In wisdom hast thou made them all!

HYMN TO THE THEOTOKOS

Instead of "It is truly meet..." we sing:

Magnify, O my soul, the Lord Who was transfigured on Mount Tabor! Thy childbearing was without corruption God came forth from thy body clothed in flesh and appeared on earth and dwelt among men. Therefore we all magnify thee, O Theotokos.

COMMUNION HYMN

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

We will walk in the light of Thy countenance, and will exult in Thy Name forever.

Alleluia...

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, AUGUST 12

Parish Council 2026 Budget Session 5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13

Confessions 4:00 PM
Vespers 6:00 PM
Parish Council Meeting 7:00 PM

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

Vigil 6:00 PM

FRIDAY, AUGUST 15

Dormition of the Theotokos

Divine Liturgy 8:00 AM
Blessing of Flowers and Herbs 9:30 AM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16

Great Vespers 6:00 PM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17

Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM

ANNUAL MEMORIAL – FR. JOHN REEVES

On Friday, August 22 at 6 pm, Fr. Alex Cadman will lead our parish in our annual memorial service for our beloved first pastor, Archpriest John Reeves. May his memory be eternal!

FR. IGNATIUS ON VACATION

From August 16-30, Fr. Ignatius and his family will be taking some much-needed time away. During this period, please direct all pastoral requests to Pdn. Mark (814-380-6031, dnmark@holytrinity-oca.org).

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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Additional Resources: holytrinity-oca.org