

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



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 georgiebarbouni@gmail.com



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 (8/10): 108

YOUR GENEROSITY

Weekly Budget Goal: \$5,120
 Collection (8/10): \$7,527
 Average – Last 4 Weeks: \$4,818
 Average – Last 12 Weeks: \$5,274
 Average – Last 52 Weeks: \$5,181

MILESTONES

Birthdays: Dasha Khachatryan (8/17), Pheonix Vaughn (8/19), Tristan Chambers (8/20), Corene Swisher (8/21)

Namesdays: Samuel Leathers (8/20), Samuel Jenkins (8/20), Jacob Leathers (8/21)

Many years!

YOUTH GROUP ICE CREAM AND ICE BREAKERS

After a splashy pool party, 6th-12th grade students are meeting again on Saturday, August 23rd immediately following vespers to walk to Berkey Creamery and enjoy ice cream and ice breakers. Parents, students will be ready for pick up back at the church around 8:45. We hope to see you there!

August 17, 2025

10th Sunday after Pentecost

Martyr Myron

Afterfeast of Dormition

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. 4:9-16*
- ♦ Gospel Readings: *Matt. 17:14-23* †
- ♦ 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!"

Dormition (Tone 1)

In giving birth thou didst preserve thy virginity. In falling asleep thou didst not forsake the world, O Theotokos. Thou wast translated to life, O Mother of Life, and by thy prayers thou dost deliver our souls from death.

Martyr Myron (Tone 4)

Thy holy martyr Myron, O Lord, through his sufferings has received an incorruptible crown from Thee, our God. For having Thy strength, he laid low his adversaries, and shattered the powerless boldness of demons. Through his intercession, save our souls!

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...

Martyr Myron (Tone 4)

From childhood thou didst long for Christ, all glorious one, keeping His divine commandments and running to Him with all thy being, all-honored Myron. Now thou dost zealously pray with the Angels, asking remission of sins for those who celebrate thy memory.

Now and ever...

TODAYS HYMNS (Cont.)

KONTAKIA cont.

Dormition (Tone 2)

Neither the tomb, nor death, could hold the Theotokos, who is constant in prayer and our firm hope in her intercessions. For being the Mother of Life, she was translated to life by the One Who dwelt in her ever-virginal womb.

PROKEIMENON

Resurrection (Tone 1)

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

Dormition (Tone 3)

My soul magnifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior.

HYMN TO THE THEOTOKOS

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

The Angels, as they looked upon the Dormition of the Virgin, were struck with wonder, seeing how the Virgin went up from earth to heaven. The limits of nature are overcome in thee, O Pure Virgin: for birthgiving remains virginal, and life is united to death; a virgin after childbearing and alive after death, thou dost ever save thine inheritance, O Theotokos.

COMMUNION HYMN

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

I will receive the cup of salvation and call on the Name of the Lord.

Alleluia...

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THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20

Vespers

6:00 PM

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@holyltrinity-oca.org).

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

Our parish is blessed with growing enrollment in Sunday School—especially in the primary grades. We are looking to add an additional class to better support our students. But we cannot do it without your help. At least four (4) additional teachers are needed. This is a vital ministry, and we need committed volunteers who can step in and serve. If you have a heart for children and a desire to share the faith, now is the time to act. Please see Pdn. Mark as soon as possible to learn more or to volunteer.

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!

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