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Celebrating 47 years of Proclaiming the Truth of Orthodox Christianity

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 14, 2010

25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 8 (8th of Luke). Holy and All-praised Apostle Philip. Ven. Philip, Hermit of Irap near Novgorod. St. Justinian the Emperor, and his wife, St. Theodora. St. Gregory Palamas, Archbishop of Thessalonica.

Epistle: Ephesians 4:1-6

1 Corinthians 4:9-16

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

John 1:43-51

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

Nov 14, Sun: Adult Ed –8:30am; *Divine Liturgy* -9:30am; Church School –11am; Fellowship – 11:15am; Jr. "O" Club Christmas Stocking Project; Annual Parish Meeting – noon

Hour Readers: (3rd) **Nicholas Ressetar** (6th) **Chet Lubecki** • Altar Servers – **All welcome**

Nov 15, Mon: **Beginning of Nativity Fast.** Nut Roll Set-up – 9am

Nov 16, Tue: Nut Roll Baking – 8am; Nut Roll Bagging – 6:30pm

Nov 17, Wed: Nut Roll Baking – 8am; Bible Study (33 N 2nd St) – noon; *Vespers* – 6:30pm; Bible Study – 7pm; Nut Roll Bagging/clean-up – 7pm

Nov 20, Sat: Maintenance Day – 9am; Nut Roll Pick-up –9am to noon; *Vespers & Confession* – 6pm

Nov 21, Sun: **Entry of the Most-Holy Theotokos into the Temple.** Adult Ed – 8:30am; *Divine Liturgy* – 9:30am; Church School – 11am; Fellowship – 11:15am

Hour Readers: (3rd) **Bill Kuchta** (6th) **Nicholas Zuro** • Altar Servers – **All welcome**

Nov 22, Mon: Parish Council Meeting – 7pm

• **ANCIENTFAITHRADIO.COM** – 24 hour Orthodox Internet Radio

• **Orthodox Radio** on 720 AM Radio every Sunday at 8 am

• **OrthodoxyinAmerica.org** (Traveling or Going on Vacation?) **check it out!**

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!!!

Please join us for fellowship in the church hall and sign our guest book in the vestibule. **If you are interested in becoming a part of our community please ask to speak to Fr. Stephen. Please note:** Only those faithful who are Orthodox Christians and have properly prepared themselves by fasting (from midnight), prayer, and recent confession; and who were present for the reading of the Epistle and Gospel, should approach to receive the Eucharist.

PARISH PRAYER LIST:

Please remember the following persons during your daily morning and evening prayers. **Names will be listed for 2 weeks unless requested.** Submit names to the office by Wednesday for inclusion.

Ailing: Ann Marie and Joe Keating (Carl Polansky's friends); **Brian Gingrich Jr.** (infant grandson of J. Wevodau's friend); **Eva Kunz** (Mike Zart's Aunt); **Austin Yerke** (Mark's brother); **Imogene** (Sean Cameron's grandmother); **Zack Voras** (Mantle family friend); **Francis Friel** (newborn son of Lorrie Pawlusch's friend); **Nancy I. Sheaffer** (sister of John R. Barns); **Michael Drozd** (Bob's father); **Frank Priggins** (Christine's father); **Diane Broskey** (Libby Hancher's niece); **Justin McGarrity** (Hancher & Zart family friend); **Mattie Martin**; **Joseph Graham** (Tatiana's father-in-law); **Ruth Mazurek and Lou DiNafo** (Moe's wife and son-in-law); **Sonia Godwin** (Sue Mioff's friend); **Barbara Cornwell** (Kathy Kuchwara's friend); **Keturah Faust** (J. Barns and L. Shuga's friend); **Naomi Hershey and Carrie Faust** (friends of the Cole's); **Matthew Kocsis**; **Marlene Kalenak** (Anna Doray's niece); **Van Milbrand** (friend & co-worker of Larry Smith); **Nicholas Essis**; **Pauline Lapinsky**, **Susan Strenski**, and **John Fatich** (Janet Kuzupas' siblings); **Christine Demchak** (Suzanne's sister); **M. Olga Kovach**

Health and well-being: **Valerie Gyrisco and Glenn Gyrisco** (friends of John R. Barns); **Timothy** (Chris Dupkanick's friend); **David Martin**; **Evelyn Onufer**; **Carl Hisiro**; **Elizabeth "Betty" Pellegrini**; **Donna Bretz**; **Gregory Pollard** (Nick Somple's friend); **Irene Priggins & Addison Wechter**, her parents **Judy & Greg** (Christine Priggins sister & mother); **Joe Demchak**; **John Krawchuk**; **Karen Crawford** (Debbie Hisiro's co-worker); **Dennis Bricker**; **Tom and Bernadine Antolick** (Mary Ellen Osuch's sister and brother-in-law); **Leon Broskey** (Libby Hancher's nephew); **Archpriest Alexander Atty [Traveling]** **Sue & Willard Brown**, **Ron & Libby Hancher**; **Nick Schilling [OCMC Missionary]** **Christina Semon**; **[Catechumen]** **Jonathan Dunnavent [Expectant Mothers]** **Nino Sensor**, **M. Anna Vernak**; **Elise Mosser**, and the children to be born of them.

Anniversaries of Those Departed: **Lee Shenk**, Alice Mallick's brother, Nov 14 -2nd; **Patriarch Pavle of Serbia**, Nov 15 – 1st; **Hubert C. Broskey**, brother-in-law of Elizabeth Hancher, Nov 16 -27th; **G. Warren Barns**, uncle of John Barns, Nov 17 -8th; **Donna Facynic**, wife of Rudolph Facynic, Nov 17 -7th; **John Ressetar**, grandfather of Fr. Dan, Nov 18 -59th; **Sophie Hancher**, sister-in-law of Ron Hancher Sr., Nov 19 -12th; **Tekla Maytuf**, mother of Dorothy Fedetz, Nov 20 -34th

Candle Offerings: *For information on how to purchase commemoration candles, please go to the candle desk or speak with one of the vestrymen.*

- ❖ **Seven Day Votive** is offered in Memory of **Anna Russian**, mother of **Joe Russian**
- ❖ **Two beeswax candles** (*On Center Table*) are offered in Health & Salvation of **Benjamin Zart** on this 8th birthday, Godson & Nephew of **Bethann Lenker**

Many Years: Names will be accepted for each week. Please submit to ctsocahbg@aol.com by the preceding Wednesday for inclusion in the Sunday bulletin

Anniversaries: **Bogdan (Buck) & Kathleen Pankiw** – Nov 18

Axios! Newly Ordained: **Fr. Vladimir Lange** (brother of Tatiana Graham) - Nov 7

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS:

Annual Parish Council Meeting: TODAY Sunday, November 14th is our Annual Parish Meeting. Report packets are available in the vestibule. Please review them prior to the meeting. It is important for us to have a quorum, so please plan to stay.

The Christmas Stocking Project/Jr. "O" Club Members: TODAY Sunday, November 14th the Jr. "O" Club will sponsor a bake sale to raise funds for *Project Mexico*. Please offer your support!

Maintenance Saturday: Saturday, November 20th at 9am is our Monthly Maintenance Day. Bring your rakes & leaf blowers.

THANKSGIVING ITEMS for the NEEDY: Turkeys, food boxes, and supermarket gift cards can be dropped off at the church by **Sunday, November 21st**. Fr. Stephen and Fr. Dan will distribute them to the needy the week of Thanksgiving. As we pray during the Divine Liturgy: *"Bless those who remember the poor, and upon us all send forth Thy mercy!"*

Gertrude Hawk Chocolates: Order forms are on the umbrella stand for your **Christmas treats**. They are due **Sunday, Nov 21st** please see **Dave Martin** for more information.

Christmas Nut Roll Sale – Orders are now being taken for nut, poppy and apricot rolls. All orders must be received by **Monday, November 29th**. Please note that the price is now **\$11.00**. To order, please call Jean Dotsey at 566-0395 or Dotty Fedetz at 652-3264.

Christmas Nut Roll Baking Schedule – Volunteers are needed to help with Christmas nut roll baking. The schedule is as follows:

- **Monday, December 6th** – Set up at 9:00 am
- **Tuesday, December 7th** Baking at 8:00 am and Bagging at 6:30 pm.
- **Wednesday, December 8th** – Baking at 8:00 am and Bagging/Clean-up at 6:30 pm.
- **Saturday, December 11th** – Pick-up from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
*Don't forget, Thanksgiving Roll Baking is **this** week!*

Fellowship Hour Schedule: Parishioners are asked to help by bringing at least 60 servings of baked goods and to serve them during their assigned fellowship hour. Please check the dates below and mark your calendar accordingly. ***The complete list through next May 2011 is available at the parish hall.*** If you are unable to be at church on your scheduled date contact **Nadzia Schilling** at 652-2759.

November 21:	Deb McGinnes	Vicki Henry
November 28:	Chris Dupkanick	Joan Dupkanick
December 5:	Greg Ressetar	Nick Ressetar

THANK YOU: I would like to express my sincere "Thanks" to all of you who sent cards, offered prayers and helped me during my surgery & recovery. May God Bless you all! **Janet Kuzupas**

Congratulations to Tom and Kristen Iwancio on the birth of their son, **Thomas Iwancio III**, this past Saturday, November 6th. God grant them many years!

Calendar Update: St. Mary's Altar Guild will meet on **Monday, November 29th** at 7:00 pm.

LAST WEEK'S LITURGY ATTENDANCE: **150**

EVENTS AROUND OUR ORTHODOX COMMUNITY

2010 College Conference: Orthodox Christian Fellowship has announced that registration for the 2010 College Conference is now open at www.ocf.net/programs. This year's conference focuses on the theme of **"Behold, I make all things new,"** (Rev. 21:5) and is being held in four locations, Chicago, IL area, Salem, SC, Bolivar, PA, and Dunlap, CA. A limited number of scholarships are available and offered on a first come-first served basis. For more information and to register online please visit: www.ocf.net/programs

IOCC/OCMC Charity Banquet This year's banquet of these two worthy Pan-Orthodox organizations is being held at **Holy Trinity Cathedral (1000 Yverdon Road, Camp Hill) on Sunday, November 21st at 5pm**. Tickets are \$25 each or a table of 8 is \$200.00. With the event being so close to "home" – hopefully we will have good participation this year! **TICKETS are available in the church office.**

Pan-Orthodox Service of Thanksgiving: In honor of American Thanksgiving, and in gratitude for all that God has bestowed upon our communities, the Orthodox Churches of Greater Harrisburg welcomes you to our annual *Pan-Orthodox Service of Thanksgiving*, **Wednesday, November 24th at 7pm** at Holy Apostles Orthodox Mission in Mechanicsburg. *His Grace Bishop Tikhon of Philadelphia* will be presiding. For more information please see the flyer in the candle stand.

Advent Spiritual Retreat: **Saturday, Dec 4th at 9am** *Fr. Daniel Byantoro from Indonesia* who visited with our parish last October will be the guest speaker at the *Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church* in Lancaster, PA. For more information please see the flyer behind the candle stand.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY NOVEMBER 14, 2010

Ephesians 4:1-6 (Epistle, Sunday)

¹ *Brethren*, I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, ² with all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love, ³ endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. ⁴ There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling; ⁵ one Lord, one faith, one baptism; ⁶ one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

1 Corinthians 4:9-16 (Epistle, Apostle Philip)

⁹ *Brethren*, for I think that God has displayed us, the apostles, last, as men condemned to death; for we have been made a spectacle to the world, both to angels and to men. ¹⁰ We are fools for Christ's sake, but you are wise in Christ! We are weak, but you are strong! You are distinguished, but we are dishonored! ¹¹ To the present hour we both hunger and thirst, and we are poorly clothed, and beaten, and homeless. ¹² And we labor, working with our own hands. Being reviled, we bless; being persecuted, we endure; ¹³ being defamed, we entreat. We have been made as the filth of the world, the offscouring of all things until now. ¹⁴ I do not write these things to shame you, but as my beloved children I warn you. ¹⁵ For though you might have ten thousand instructors in Christ, yet you do not have many fathers; for in Christ Jesus I have begotten you through the gospel. ¹⁶ Therefore I urge you, imitate me.

Luke 10:25-37 (Gospel, Sunday)

²⁵ *At that time*, behold, a certain lawyer stood up and tested Jesus, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ He said to him, "What is written in the law? What is your reading of it?" ²⁷ So he answered and said, "'You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind,' and 'your neighbor as yourself.'" ²⁸ And He said to him, "You have answered rightly; do this and you will live." ²⁹ But he, wanting to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰ Then Jesus answered and said: "A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, who stripped him of his clothing, wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a certain priest came down that road. And when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ³² Likewise a Levite, when he arrived at the place, came and looked, and passed by on the other side. ³³ But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was. And when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴ So he went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; and he set him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ³⁵ On the next day, when he departed, he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said to him, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, when I come again, I will repay you.'" ³⁶ So which of these three do you think was neighbor to him who fell among the thieves? ³⁷ And he said, "He who showed mercy on him." Then Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." *(Continued)*

John 1:43-51 (Gospel, Apostle Philip)

⁴³ *At that time,* Jesus wanted to go to Galilee, and He found Philip and said to him, "Follow Me." ⁴⁴ Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. ⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found Him of whom Moses in the law, and also the prophets, wrote-Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." ⁴⁶ And Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." ⁴⁷ Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no deceit!" ⁴⁸ Nathanael said to Him, "How do You know me?" Jesus answered and said to him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered and said to Him, "Rabbi, You are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰ Jesus answered and said to him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these." ⁵¹ And He said to him, "Most assuredly, I say to you, hereafter you shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

GLORY TO THEE O LORD, GLORY TO THEE!



THE PROLOGUE OF OHRID:

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BY ST. NIKOLAI OF ZICHA AND SOUTH GANAAN

<http://www.westsrbdio.org/prolog/my.html>

The Holy Apostle Philip

Philip was born in Bethsaida beside the Sea of Galilee, as were Peter and Andrew. Instructed in Holy Scripture from his youth, Philip immediately responded to the call of the Lord Jesus and followed Him (John 1:43). After the descent of the Holy Spirit, Philip zealously preached the Gospel throughout many regions in Asia and Greece. In Greece, the Jews wanted to kill him, but the Lord saved him by His mighty miracles. Thus, a Jewish high priest that rushed at Philip to beat him was suddenly blinded and turned completely black. Then there was a great earthquake, and the earth opened up and swallowed Philip's wicked persecutor. Many other miracles were manifested, especially the healing of the sick, by which many pagans believed in Christ. In the Phrygian town of Hierapolis, St. Philip found himself in common evangelical work with his sister Mariamna, St. John the Theologian, and the Apostle Bartholomew. In this town there was a dangerous snake that the pagans diligently fed and worshiped as a god. God's apostle killed the snake through prayer as though with a spear, but he also incurred the wrath of the unenlightened people. The wicked pagans seized Philip and crucified him upside-down on a tree, and then crucified Bartholomew as well. At that, the earth opened up and swallowed the judge and many other pagans with him. In great fear, the people rushed to rescue the crucified apostles, but only Bartholomew was still alive; Philip had already breathed his last. Bartholomew ordained Stachys as bishop for those whom he and Philip had baptized. Stachys had been blind for forty years, and Bartholomew and Philip had healed and baptized him. The relics of St. Philip were later translated to Rome. This wonderful apostle suffered in the year 86 in the time of Emperor Dometian.