



St. Michael the Archangel Orthodox Church

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Vespers & Confessions: Sat. at 5pm Divine Liturgy: Sunday, 9:00am OCF - will resume in
Spring 2010

Sunday, February 7, 2010 – Tone 2

Sunday of the Last Judgment

New Hieromartyrs Metro. Vladimr and Archbp. Peter

Epistle: 1 Cor. 8:8 - 9:2 **Gospel:** Matt. 25:31-36

Today's Readers:

3rd Hour: M. Sensor

6th Hour: V. Chalfant

Epistle: M. Sinovich

Next week's Rdrs:

3rd Hour: C. Souder

6th Hour: M. Rogers

Epistle: C. Carey

Prayers for the Sick and the Recovering—To be prayed for during the Service of Preparation (Proskomedie): (Father Andrew's entire list is in the altar. Please see him if you are requesting extra prayers).

Prayers for the Very Sick and Needy—(to be mentioned in the Divine Liturgy): Met. IERMAN, Met. THEODOSIUS,

Fr. Thomas Succarotte, Fr. Joseph Chupeck, Mother Nonna (of Georgia), Olga Riley, Jeanne Kimerer, James Riley, Barbara Hicks, William Dryden, Cindy Emmelia) & Basil Peck, Sophia Puit, Nona Carey, Shawn, Marie Karawulan, Mary Zuretsky, Onufry Zabinko, Stephen Kutch, John Elliott, Diana Zlatev, Tesfaye, Iuliana and Joshua Bunitsky, Michael Sinovich, Julie Harb, Sharon, Helen Nutzko, Constance Gerassimakis, Betty Harb, Jean Harb, Nino Sensor and Thomas, Deborah, Janet, Amy, Daisy Soper, Simon, Luke Wales, and Nectarios Delasser, infant Michael Barbarita, and the victims of the earthquake in Haiti.

Prayers for women and unborn: Elizabeth Tomkins, Rania (Mary) Dababneh, Anna (formerly Pyle), Rebbekah and the children to be born of them.

Prayers for Departed: Archbishop JOB (OCA) of Chicago, Fr. Samuel Adjei-Kumi, and the victims of the earthquake in Haiti.

No Sunday School classes will be held **today**.

Our Meatfare Luncheon has been **postponed** until **NEXT WEEK**, due to the snow storm. So...the Meatfare food and the Cheesefare food will be **combined** for a BIG PRE-LENTEN Luncheon on Sunday, Feb. 14th, 2010. (Please observe the meat fast this week.)

St. Pres Michael Sensor has a **PARISHIONER SURVEY** for **everyone to fill out**. IT is VERY SIMPLE. Please fill it out here **today**, if possible, and give it back to Michael Sensor (or leave it in Mr. Andrew's mail slot on the Candle Desk). **Due back Feb 14th**.

Candy (Easter Chocolate) Sale brochures are **available** today. Orders will be taken from today until the **deadline on Feb. 21st**. Remember, both Pascha & Western Easter this year are April 4th. This program is a good fund-raiser. Please promote among work colleagues and friends. Please give your orders to Paula Flynn or Evelyn Kutch.

Weekly construction meeting on Thurs. Feb. 4th at 4:30pm.

No Basics of Orthodoxy Class on Thursday)

MAKE-UP Date for Adult Choir Practice for Beginning of Lent: **Saturday, Feb. 13th, 3:00pm-4:00pm**.

Panikhida for Souder family, **Saturday, Feb. 13th, 4pm**

No Junior Choir Practice: Saturday, Feb. 13th.

Plan ahead: Sunday of Orthodoxy, Feb. 21st, - with Bishop THOMAS, at St. Nicholas OCA Church, 980 Bridle Path Rd., Bethlehem, PA, at 4:00pm.

Mission Vespers Schedule:

Feb 28, **St. Gregory Palamas Sunday**, Holy Trinity OCA Church, Mervine & Juniper Sts., Pottstown.

March 7, **Holy Cross Sunday**, Holy Trinity OCA Church, 1023 5th St., Catasauqua.

March 14, **St. John Climacus Sunday**, St Michael's (Russian) 4th & Fairmont, Philadelphia

March 21, **St. Mary of Egypt Sunday**, St. Herman's OCA Church, 1855 Middletown Rd, Gradyville

St. Michael's Annual Sisterhood-sponsored Lenten Retreat:
Saturday, March 6th, 1:00pm to 5:00pm. Dr. Paul Witek will speak on the theme of "**Evangelizing with Humility**". \$10/adult. \$5/student 12 and up. \$5/senior. Please sign up in Candle room.

50 IOCC Health Kits: Bishop TIKHON **set a parish GOAL of making 50 IOCC Health Kits.** Cindy Peck has volunteered to coordinate this. Tentatively mark your calendars for the weekend of **Feb 12-14th** for an activity day to assemble the health kits. Please put the following items in the "**Health Kit**" box next to the Bookstore:

- One-gallon plastic zippered bags
- Hand towels
- washcloths
- combs
- metal nail files or nail clippers
- bars of soap (bath size and wrapped in original packaging)
- toothbrushes
- Band-Aids (all sizes)

Updating of Parish's Birthday list: Julianna Bunitsky has undertaken the updating our parish list of date of births. She might be contacting you by phone. Thank you.

St. Tikhon's Seminary Food Drive. Place your purchases in the **Green Plastic Bin** in front of the Library Bookcase. See Ellen Rundersen for more information.

View Directory: Cheesefare Luncheon **Feb 14th** will be the *final week* to review of the draft copy of the "2010 Members and Friends Directory". It is in the Candle room, on the display case for review.

Marriage Enrichment Weekend:at Antiochian Village, Feb. 12-14. Theme: "Sacred Image, Sacred Marriage", by Presvtera Kerry Pappas. \$299 per couple. Register at www.antiochianvillage.org

Area Lenten Retreats to Attend:

Middle School & High School Lenten Retreat: St. Herman's OCA Church in **Gradyville**, PA. Feb. 20 (9am - 3pm) [snow date: Feb 27] Breakfast/discussions led by Fr. Perich and Deacon Edwards/ Journey through Orthodoxy" activity/lunch/community service project/ and bowling at Sproul Lanes. RSVP by Monday, Feb. 15 at erin_lynch@verizon.net or call 302-354-5134.

Bishop Elect (of New York/New Jersey) **Fr. Michael Dahulich**, Ph.D., will give a Lenten Retreat at **St. Philip's Antiochian Church**, (1970 Clearview Road, **Souderton**, PA 18964), Saturday, Feb. 27th. Theme: "**The Orthodox Way**", addressing issues such as spiritual disciplines (monastic vs. lay); following the Fathers vs. ree-thinking rationalism; evangelism in Orthodoxy. No Cost. Offering will be collected. Call ahead for a head-count for food: 215-721-1947

His Eminence, **Metropolitan Kallistos** of Kokleia (**Timothy Ware**) will be **giving a lecture** on the topic of "Preparation for Our Paschal Pilgrimage" at **St. Mark Orthodox Church**, in **Bethesda, MD**, on **Sat. Feb. 13th**, beginning at **12:30pm**. The following day, on Sunday, February 14th, Divine Liturgy will be co-celebrated with his Beatitude Metropolitan **JONAH**. For more details, please call (301) 229-6300.

16th Annual Lenten Retreat by **Greek Orthodox Cathedral** of the Annunciation in **Baltimore, MD**, will be held on **Sat. March 20th**, with **retreat master, Fr. Theodore Dorrance** and a special **concert by Eikona**, the nationally famous Orthodox chanting trio. For more information, go to www.goannun.org and click on "2010 Retreat" or email cannetsakalos@hotmail.com or call at (410) 252-6021.

Our **Marine, John Elliott's** email: nyx101101@yahoo.com

The **2010 Envelope Offering Boxes** are available in the Narthex. The **2010 Assessment** is **\$153 total**, comprised of \$105 for CAA, and \$48 for DA. Quarterly envelopes are not yet available.

Parish Ministries for the Month of Jan./Feb. 2010:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Fellowship Hour</u>	<u>Service Duty</u>	<u>Cleaning</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Lib.</u>
1/2/07/10	Manna Berhane /Mihret	Gerassimak/ Sensor	Whalen	N. Morjana & S. Stoyanov	Dozier
1/2/14/10	Cheesefare/ Forgiveness Sun	Morjana/ Harb	Baldytchev /Fox	T. Sulpizi, E. Torvik M. Elia	Daubert
1/2/21/10	Conover/Dauber	Elia/Wales	Sulpizi/ Kutch	V. Chalfant & B. Peck	Poletaev
1/2/28/10	Souder/Riley	Riley/ Baldytchev	Riley	Bunitsky's & ME Anderson	Gundersen

Last week's **Collection:** General Fund \$1818, CAA \$605, DA \$202, Building Mortgage \$1210, Good Sam \$0, Candles \$67.20, Prosphora (SAMP) \$13, Special Design. \$200, Loose Cash \$8.35, Children's Offering \$2, Coffee Hour \$12.