

St. Michael the Archangel Orthodox Church

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Vespers & Confessions: Sat. at 5pm Divine Liturgy: Sunday, 9:00am OCF - tonight at 7pm

Sunday, October 18th, 2009 - Tone 2

Apostle Luke & Evangelist Luke

Epistle: 2 Cor. 11:31-12:9

Gospel: Luke 8:5-15

Today's Readers: 3rd Hour: M. Sensor 6th Hour: A. Riley Epistle: L. Wales

Next week's Rdrs: 3rd Hour: J. Riley 6th Hour: V. Chalfant Epistle: E. Hojnicky

Prayers for the Sick and the Recovering—To be prayed for during the Service of Preparation (Proskemedia): (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. HERMAN, Met. THEODOSIUS,

Fr. John Zabinko, Fr. Paul Waisanen, Fr. Sergey Glagolev, Fr. Athanasy Mastalski, Fr. Sergius Willis, Fr. Thomas Succarotte, Fr. Joseph Chupeck, Olga Riley, Jeanne Kimerer, James Riley, Barbara Hicks, Nino Sensor, William Dryden, Cindy (Emmelia) & Basil Peck, Sophia Puit, Nona Carey, Shawn, Mary Varner, Marie Karawulan, Nabih Harb, Nadija (Fader), Mary Guretsky, Onufry Zabinko, Stephen Kutch, John Elliott, Diana Zlatev, Tesfaye, Juliana and Joshua Bunitsky, Michael Sinovich, Jacquelyn Marie Peck, Julie Harb, Sharon, Helen Lutzko, Constance Gerassimakis, John Skrobot, Betty Harb, Jean Harb & Nino Sensor. **Prayers for women and unborn:** Mat. Anastasia, Dana, Rebbekah, and the children to be born of them. **Prayers for the Departed:** Fr. Joseph Hirsch, Alexander (Helen Barrentine's dad)

We welcome today Bishop TIKHON, Fr. Deacon Peter Skoog, along with our out-of-town OCF friends. The parish welcomes all of you to our luncheon.

There is **no Sunday School classes today** because of the luncheon.

Pierogie Making this week on **Tuesday, October 20th**. We will making food every Tuesday throughout the month until the "**Pierogie Take-Out Sale**" on **Sat. Nov. 7th**. (We will **NOT** have a SIT-DOWN EAT-IN Food Festival this year. Too much construction.)

Bi-Weekly Bible Study will be held at Mary Lewis' apartment at **10am** this **Wed. October 21st**.

October Parish Council meeting will be held at **7pm** on **Wed. Oct. 21st**.

Weekly Construction meeting with ICS builder will be held at **4:30pm** every **Thurs.** (next mtg: **Oct. 22nd**)

Basics of Orthodoxy class, this **Thursday, Oct. 22nd**, at **7pm**.

Junior Choir practice will be held on **Sat. Oct. 24th** at **4pm**.

Members and friends will receive their **Third Quarterly Financial Secretary's Offering Statements**. Now that the **construction work** has begun, please **start and/or continue to pay your pledges for the Building Fund**. Thank you.

St. Michael's Parish Annual Meeting will be held **next Sunday, Oct. 25th**. (3rd Official Announcement). **Committee Reports are distributed today**. Please bring the reports back for the meeting next week.

If you would like to **run for Parish Council in 2010**, please submit your names to Tom Sulpizi VP. The current **parish council positions** are: president, vice president, treasurer, recording secretary, financial recording secretary, corresponding secretary, trustee, purchasing agent, and 3 auditors.

NEW ADDRESS: Our Marine, John (Joseph) Elliott who is in Afganistan, **Lcpl. Elliott, Joseph W.-2016, D Co. 3rd Plt., 2nd LAR Bn. DET A Unit 73526, FPO AE 09510-3526** John's email: nyx101101@yahoo.com.

We praise God for His mercy & grace! We are finally seeing the physical beginning of the construction of our new fellowship hall. Attention: *Children should be advised **not** to play on the grounds or on any construction equipment.* **Continue to pray fervently** for the construction work and that all matters fall into place.

Holy Apostles Orthodox Mission will be hosting its **Annual Diner & Dance & Silent Auction** on **Sunday, November 1st** with His Beatitude Metropolitan JONAH and His Grace Bishop TIKHON. Tickets are \$50 per adult and \$10 per children. Please contact organizers **Mary or Steve Sak at 717-691-7261** or email marysak@comcast.net. Copies of event flyer and ad book are on the bulletin board downstairs.

St. Athanasius Antiochian Orthodox Church of Wilmington will be hosting a **full-raising dinner on Sat. Nov. 7th**, beginning at 7pm. If you are interested to attend the dinner or to help out, please contact Mrs. Samira Khoury at 302-475-7578.

Eastern Churches Conference: "The Divine Liturgy as Heaven on Earth". Speaker: His Grace JEROME, Russian Orthodox Bishop of Manhattan. Saturday, Oct. 24, 2009, at St. Michael's Orthodox Church, corner of 4th and Fairmount, Philadelphia, PA. 9:30am--3:30pm Reg.: Adults \$20, Seniors \$15, Students are free. Includes lunch. Call 610-989-0519 or vsaverino@aol.com Last minute info -- call church: 215-627-6148

Notice: Senior lady needs to rent a room. Has a cat. Please contact Fr. Andrew.

Notice: Free male orange Tabbies (kittens) are available for adoption. They are approximately 9 months old. They are neutered and vaccinated. Willing to exchange love for a good home. Please contact Fr. Milorad Orlic at 215-258-1155.. Please see picture on board downstairs.

Parish Ministries for the Month of Oct./Nov. 2009:

Date	Fellowship Hour	Service Duty	Cleaning	Greeters	Library
10/18/09	Carey/Poletaev	Baldytchev/Riley	Peck/Dozier	Chalfant, Peck, J. Anderson	S. Skomorucha
10/25/09	Annual Mtg- Kiflemariam	Sulpizi/Souder	Manna/Mihret	Dozier, Elia, G&S Poletaev	Closed
11/01/09	Gundersen/Elia	Morjana/Wales	Whalen	N&A Morjana, Stoyanov	Stoyanov
11/08/09	St. Michael's Luncheon	Gerass/Elia	Baldytchev	T&M Sulpizi, Torvik	Closed

Last Week's Collection: N/A

Sisterhood's **Baklava Order Forms** are enclosed. With the new fellowship hall, new projects are ahead. Advertise at work...