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Educational Prayer Corner:

Wisdom from the Optina Elders.

"The action of grace never leads anyone to despair, but grants the gift of tenderness, joy, long-suffering and spiritual peace." St. Leo.

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July Celebrations and Observances:

1st - Reader David & Mary Brzuchalski-Wedding anniversary;
Gerald Luchansky and Stephanie Stafursky-Birthdays • 2nd - Amelia Kuzmiak-Birthday
4th - Mary Walczak-Birthday • 7th - Edie Evans-Birthday
8th - Andrew J. Capalong-Birthday • 14th - Ann Schlasta-Birthday
18th - Helen Semon-Birthday • 24th - Fr. Paul & Patty-wedding anniversary
25th - Anna Witek-Namesday; John & Marguerita Puthorosky -Wedding anniversary
28th - Matthew Cohen-Birthday • 30th - Anna Witek-Birthday

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Coffee Hour Schedule:

July 19:	Rolls only
July 26:	Potluck
Aug 2:	Brzuchalski and Evans
Aug 9:	Rolls only

~Bulletins for July IMO Timothy Naughton. . ~

All Saints Orthodox Church

July 19, 2015

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SUNDAY – July 19, 2015
EPISTLE: Romans 15:1-7
GOSPEL: Matthew 9:27-35
Saints of the Day: Relics of Ven. Seraphim of Sarov

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS... *We are pleased to have visitors worship with us, and we pray that you will be blessed through your experience in our services. In the Orthodox Church, the reception of Holy Communion is a mark of membership in the Church. Only those who have been united to the Orthodox Church through Baptism and Chrismation, having prepared themselves through Confession, prayer and fasting, are permitted to partake of Holy Communion. However, all are welcome to share in the blessed bread at the end of the service.*

The following Troparia and Kontakia are sung after the Little Entrance:

(Resurrectional Troparion—Tone 6): The angelic powers were at Thy Tomb, the guards became as dead men. Mary stood by Thy grave seeking Thy most pure Body. Thou didst capture hell, not being tempted by it. Thou didst come to the Virgin granting life. O Lord Who didst arise from the dead: Glory to Thee!

(Uncovering of the Relics of St. Seraphim of Sarov [1903] Troparion—Tone 4): You loved Christ from your youth, O blessed one, and longing to work for Him alone you struggled in the wilderness in constant prayer and labor. With penitent heart and great love for Christ you were favored by the Mother of God. Therefore we cry to you: "Save us by your prayers, venerable Seraphim, our father."

(Resurrectional Kontakion—Tone 6): When Christ God the Giver of Life, raised all of the dead from the valleys of misery with His mighty hand, He bestowed resurrection on the human race; He is the Savior of all, the Resurrection, the Life, and the God of all!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; ***(Uncovering of the Relics of St. Seraphim or Sarov Kontakion—Tone 2):*** Forsaking the beauty as well as the corruption of this world, you settled in the monastery of Sarov, O Saint. There you lived an angelic life, becoming for many the way to salvation. Therefore, Christ has glorified you, Father Seraphim, enriching you with abundant healing and miracles. So we cry to you: "Save us by your prayers, venerable Seraphim, our father."

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen. ***(Steadfast Protectress—Tone 6):*** Steadfast Protectress of Christians, Constant Advocate before the Creator; despise not the entreating cries of us sinners, but in your goodness come speedily to help us who call on you in faith. Hasten to hear our petition and to intercede for us, O Theotokos, for you always protect those who honor you!

Schedule for the week:

TODAY **Divine Liturgy
**Blessing of cars
**Coffee Hour and Fellowship downstairs after Liturgy. Everyone welcome!

Saturday, July 25 Confession 3:30 p.m.; Vespers, 4 p.m.

Announcements

Fr. Paul & Ken Stafursky at AAC in Atlanta through the 24th.

Please join with the choir in singing the Creed and the *Our Father* prayer during Liturgy. Please also follow along with the Troparia, Kontakia and Gospel Readings.

Inquirers class by request. See Fr. Paul.

Canned Food Collection: Please bring in canned goods and non-perishables. We currently have some community families who are in need. Food collection is located near entrance to social hall.

Sunday School summer plans – We need a Coordinator for a one-day (Saturday) summer retreat, hopefully to be held in August. Please see Fr. Paul if able to coordinate or help with crafts, lessons and games.

Perogies: available for purchase Friday 9-11:30 a.m., Sunday 11-12.

St. Tikhon's 18th Annual Golf Tournament. Saturday, Aug. 22, at 12 p.m. Jack Frost National Golf Course, Blakeslee. Contact Bernard Golubiewski. 570-825-4780; bernygober@Comcast.net

Potluck next Sunday the 26th. Please bring a dish to share.