

### Prayer List

To call ourselves the Church is to pray for one another.

Above all, we are a praying community.

Keep this list near your prayer corner, and in your daily prayers remember our Brothers & Sisters in Christ:

John Puthorosky, Michael Butinetz, Barbara Puhalla, Fran Meholic and Gabriel Cowan recovering from medical procedures; the children Leah Stafursky and Faris Shawareb, recovering from illness, and the newly Baptized and Chrismated Lydia; Justine Horhutz, Harry & Betty Hunyak, Eleanor Krushinski, Millie Kuzmiak, Nancy Mazur, Claudia Mikulak, Maria Oles, Ronnie Pearce, Valary Riddle, Jeanne Holowach, Debbie Masko; the newborn Jacob Vernak and his family; expecting couples Karen & Joseph Schlasta, Evgenia & Ivan Rumantsiev, Mat. Tamra and Fr. Kyrill Williams, and the children to be born to them; Ann Aebli, Pearl Beckage, Olga Bednarek, Carol Brooks, Matthew Brown, Donna Cominsky, Daria and Justin Cunningham, Mat. Dolores Donlick, Dorothy Dzwonczyk, Delores Evonitsky, Gregory Geeza, Irene Glowatz, Nellie Hawaka, Liam Hepplewhite, Ann Howansky, Dennis Hoyniak, Natalie Hoyniak, Cindy Jones, Michael Juliano, Bill Kashuba, Lubov Kopestonsky, Mary Kuhar, Irene Kushmanich, Anastasia Lisiak, Valerie Lucia, Edward McClaver, Pauline Moncinelli, Irene Occhipinti, Fr. Eugene and Mat. Joanne Pianovich, Mary Puza, Mary Semon, Eleanor Siniawa, Dorothy Wansacz, Mary Wasilchak, Vera Paulishak, Sandra Stafursky; Allison, Amy, Ann, Anthony, Barbara, Cathy, Christina, David, Denise, Donna, Dorothy, Eleanor, Elena, John, Joseph, Joseph, Karen, Mara, Maria, Martha, Michael, Paul, Rick, Sarah, Terry; the child Christopher, Father Jerome; all those involved in the restoration of our church; the soldiers Anthony and Thomas; all widows, orphans, and prisoners; and all Orthodox seminarians, missionaries, especially Christina, and their families; and Collin Hepplewhite, Marlene Buczynski, and Katie Kovalchik, celebrating their birthdays.

**For blessed repose for the souls of:** The newly departed Protopresbyter Fr. Stephen Dutko (Carparho-Russian Diocese, Binghamton, NY); and Amelia Melania Kosty (Mat. Tamara's grandmother); the ever-memorable Edward Krushinski; and for all our brothers and sisters departed this life in the hope of the Resurrection.

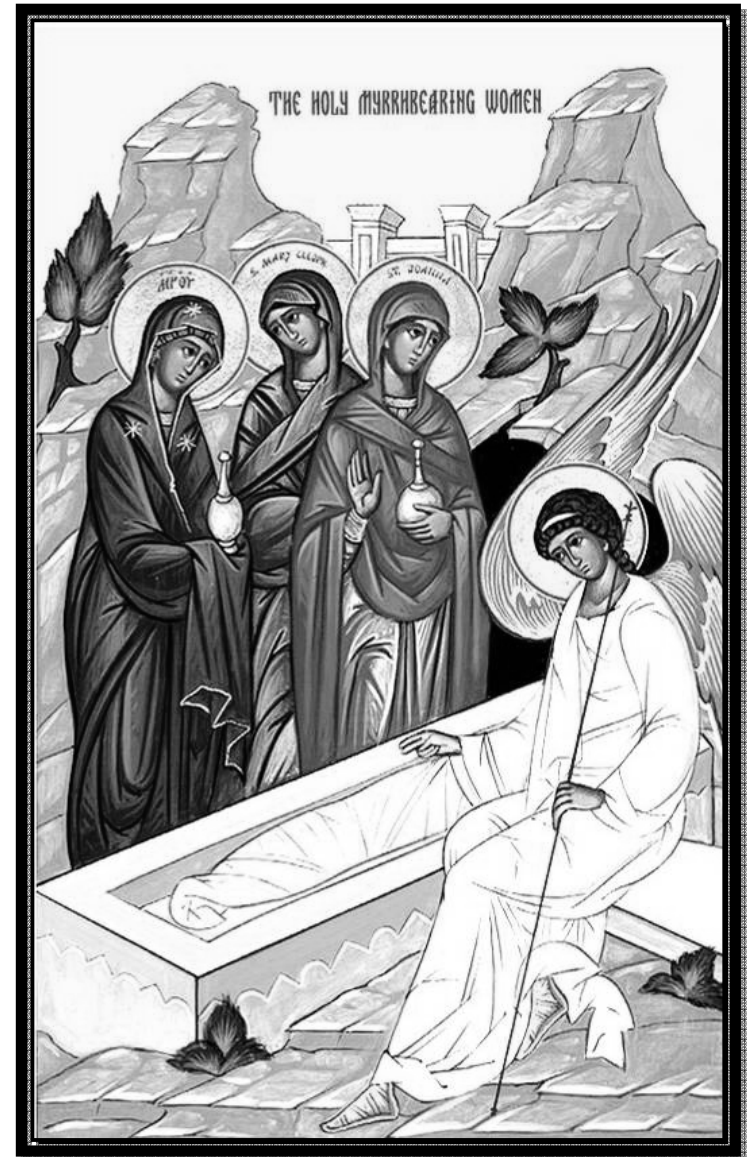
**Due to the large number of prayer requests, I will keep names on this list for 40 days, unless a specific request is made for a shorter or longer time period. Those confined to their homes due to illness, or to extended care facilities, will remain on the list. —Fr. David**

**DONATIONS:** Weekly Offering 4/5 & 4/12 \$1923.53; 4/19 (Pascha) \$1124.85, 4/26 \$579.00. 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection 4/5 \$85 (Pierogi); 4/12 \$125 (Parking Lot); 4/19 (Restoration) \$246; 4/26 (Picnic) \$70. Restoration: \$200.00 with prayers for Pearl Beckage, \$1605 Proceeds from Easter/Pascha Bake Sale.

The May Bulletins are sponsored  
in Loving Memory of Edward Krushinski, by his loving wife, Eleanor..  
*May Edward's memory be eternal!*

# All Saints Orthodox Church

## Olyphant, Pennsylvania



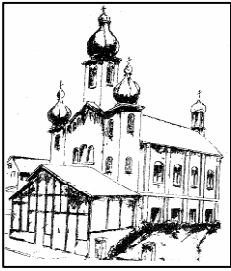
**Sunday, May 3, 2009**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Pascha**

**The Holy Myrrhbearing Women,**

**St. Joseph of Arimathea, and St. Nicodemus**

**~CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!~**



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**Sunday, May 3, 2009: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Pascha – The Holy Myrrbearing Women,  
St. Joseph of Arimathea & St. Nicodemus**  
Epistle: Acts 6:1-7; Gospel: Mark 15:43-16:8

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### SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Today: *Divine Liturgy*—9:00 AM

**Wednesday, May 6:** Picnic Planning Meeting—7:00 PM, in the Hall

**Thursday, May 7:** Adult Study Class—7:00 PM, in the Church

**Saturday, May 9:** *Great Vespers*—6:00 PM

(Private Confession available 5:30 PM)

**Sunday, May 10:** *Divine Liturgy*—9:00 AM; ***Happy Mother's Day!***

With *Litya* for our departed Mothers,  
Grandmothers, and Godmothers

**Tuesday, May 12:** Parish Council Meeting—7:00 PM, in the Hall

**Thursday, May 14:** Adult Study Class—7:00 PM, in the Church

**Saturday, May 16:** *Great Vespers*—6:00 PM

(Private Confession available 5:30 PM)

**Sunday, May 17:** *Divine Liturgy*—9:00 AM

**Wednesday, May 20:** Picnic Planning Meeting—7:00 PM, in the Hall

**Saturday, May 23:** *Great Vespers*—6:00 PM

(Private Confession available 5:30 PM)

**Sunday, May 24:** *Divine Liturgy*—9:00 AM

*Wedding of Elizabeth Kasz Bonczar & Andrew Witko*—2:30 PM

### HYMN FOR THE DAY

**Troparion – Tone 2 (Myrrbearing Women)**

The angel came to the myrrbearing women at the tomb and said:

Myrrh is meet for the dead;

But Christ has shown Himself a stranger to corruption!

So proclaim: the Lord is risen,

Granting the world great mercy!

### WELCOME NEWCOMERS & VISITORS:

We are very glad to have you with us today. Please introduce yourself to Fr. David after the Liturgy, and stay for Coffee Hour!

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ANNUAL PICNIC PLANNING MEETINGS MAY 6 & 20:** Please come and find out what work is needed and how you can help, on Wednesdays, May 6 and 20, at 7 PM in the Hall. **Mark your calendars now to help with the Picnic, Fri.-Sat., July 10-11, and with advance preparations and set-up July 6-9!**

**VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL PARENT/TEACHER MEETING 5/30:**

As you know, we will hold our first annual Vacation Church School July 20-24.

Parents are urged to attend the informational meeting and potluck dinner, on **Saturday, May 30, after Vespers**, to find out all about this great new way to spiritually strengthen our precious children!

**MARRIAGE RETREAT, FRI.-SAT., JUNE 20-21:** Dinner and a movie lasts only one evening... for the same price – \$40.00 per couple – strengthen your marriage for life! Fr. Michael Dahulich, Dean of St. Tikhon's Seminary, will be the retreat leader. A flyer with details will be passed out at Coffee Hour today.

**EVANGELICAL-TURNED-ORTHODOX PRIEST VISITING:** Father Peter Gillquist, a former Evangelical Christian leader turned Orthodox Christian priest, led 2,000 former Protestants along with him on a journey to the Holy Orthodox Church. He will give a talk on "Finding the New Testament Church" **tonight**, at 6:00 PM, at St. Michael's Church in Jermyn. A light meal will follow. Please come and hear about his inspiring journey to the True Faith!

**FEAST OF ST. ALEXIS OF WILKES-BARRE THIS WED/THURS:** Holy Resurrection Cathedral, 591 N. Main St., Wilkes-Barre, will celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Repose of St. Alexis Toth of Wilkes-Barre, with Great Vespers Wednesday, 6:00 PM, and Divine Liturgy & Akathist Thursday, 9:00 AM. Please join our Deanery parishes in celebrating this great, local Saint of the Church!

**MOTHER'S DAY DINNER IN DUNDAFF:** Fr. Dennis Swencki invites all to St. John's annual Mother's Day Dinner, Sunday, May 10. Menu features barbecued chicken and holupki. Takeouts 11:00 – 11:45 AM. Seated serving 12:00 noon till they sell out! Tickets are \$10 adults, \$4 children. See Joe or Helen Semon for tickets, or call 222-3293.

**GRAND OPENING, ST. TIKHON'S BOOKSTORE CAFE, FRI. 5/15:** Fr. Sergius, the new Director of the Bookstore, invites everyone to browse the store, relax in the new café, and enjoy Starbucks Coffee & Tazo Teas, Friday, May 15, at 7:00 PM. Father Nicholas Palis will give a talk on "Contemporary Saints and Elders." The Bookstore has a new look and a new "feel"... come and see!

**CHICKEN BBQ, ST. MICHAEL'S OLD FORGE, 5/16:** BBQ chicken, slaw & baked potato, rice pudding & more. Reservations are requested; call Mary Sernak, 876-5855. Sponsored by St. Tikhon's Century Association. St. Michael's Church is at 512 Summer Street, Old Forge. Donation for the barbecue is \$10.00.

**ST. TIKHON'S GRADUATION BANQUET, SUN. 5/24:** The Banquet for the Seminary graduates will be held at Genetti Manor in Dickson City, Sun., May 24. Reception 5:00 PM; dinner 6:00 PM. See the Bulletin Board downstairs.

**ST. TIKHON'S SUMMER CAMP** runs from Sunday-Saturday, July 5-11. See Fr. David for details and applications.

**COFFEE HOUR:** Today, Colleen Kovalchik and Claudia Mikulak. Next week, Ken & John Stafursky and Dorothy Maday.