

All Saints Orthodox Church

Olyphant, Pennsylvania



Sunday, March 13, 2011

First Sunday of Great Lent

The Triumph of Orthodoxy ~ Restoration of the Holy Icons

~ MEMORY ETERNAL: MARY SEMON ~

Mary fell asleep in the Lord this past Wednesday. Her services were held Friday and Saturday.

May Mary's memory be eternal!

Prayer List: 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:

The newly baptized Corey Joseph Frankel, Jacob Peter Carrelle, and Antonia Witko; Mary Bonda; Olga Harvilchuk; Peg Puthorosky; Mary Stacknick; Marie Holowatch; Colleen Kovalchik; Anne Peregrin; Sarah Romanchak; Bob Soto; Matthew; newborn Mikayla Marie and her mother Tiffany Mazur; the catechumen Jamie Oakley; Ken Sowinski & Marissa Hammer, engaged to be married; Annette Schlasta, Karen Schlasta; Barbara, Barbara and Alexis Teddick; Linda Stuchlak; Nicholas Johnston; Ruth Huber; Joseph & Amy Kane; Buddy & Millie Kuzmiak, Karen Naughton, Olga Paulishak, Mary Walczak, Janice Skolic, Greg Riabob; Dorothy Vernak; Mat. Priscilla & child Lydia Shipley; Mat. Lisa Weremedic; Anysia Adamcio, Lorraine Brown, Marlene Buczynski, Elizabeth Generotti, Sylvia Inks, Fr. Jason Kappanadze, Alan Lemech, Sonia Lopatofsky, Marion McClure, Alisa Parker, Patricia Paulish, Dorothy Salvatore, Judy Sedwick, William Semon, Fr. Alexander Atty; expecting mothers Mat. Anna Vernak, Maria (Hudanish) Hillhouse and the children to be born of them; Elizabeth Barbone, Matthew Brown, Fr. Anthony Demetri, Inge Freeman, Allen Generotti; John, Celia, Kelli, infant John & Donna Mazziotti; Debbie Masko, Maria Oles, Betty Perechinsky, Douglas Poleshuk, Mariha Telford, Fr. Claude Vinyard; the child Mary Wyslutsky; Pearl Beckage, Olga Bednarek, Carol Brooks, Daria & Justin Cunningham, Ann Dahulich, Sofia Delosky, Mat. Dolores Donlick, Delores Evonitsky, Gregory Geeza, Fr. Sergei Glagolev, Irene Glowatz, Nellie Hawaka, Liam Hepplewhite, Ann Howansky, Dennis Hoyniak, John & Ruth Hudanish, Betty Hunyak, Cindy Jones, Eleanor Krushinski, Mary Kuhar, Irene Kushmanich, Anastasia Lisiak, Valerie Lucia, Willy Moskwa, Irene Occhipinti, Vera Paulishak, Helen Priblo, John Puthorosky, Eleanor Siniawa, Sandra Stafursky, Barbara Teddick, Sr.; Dorothy Wansacz, Mary Wasilchak; Allison, Amy, Ann, Anthony, Barbara, Cathy, Christina, Christopher, David, Denise, Donna, Dorothy, Eleanor, Elena, John, Joseph, Joseph, Karen, Kevin, Mara, Maria, Martha, Michael, Natasha, Paul, Rick, Sarah, Thomas, Tom; all involved in the restoration of our church; the soldiers Anthony, Thomas, Joseph, Gregory, Peter, Michael, Herman & Christina; for all widows, orphans, prisoners, and refugees, especially the victims of the earthquake in Japan; all who have lost their jobs or who face the possibility of losing them; all Orthodox seminarians, especially Fr. Patrick Smith, and their families; all Orthodox monks, nuns and all those considering the monastic life; all Orthodox missionaries, especially Christina, and their families.

For blessed repose for the souls of: The newly departed Mary Semon, Justine Horhutz, Vladimir (Walter). Matushka Olga Kovach, Katherine Fratis, Elena Savchuck, Eugene Bryer, Helen Pawlush and Jennifer Simpson; the victims of the earthquake in Japan; the ever-memorable Fr. Peter Bourdukofsky & Kyra Shafran Griffiths, and all our brothers & sisters departed this life in the hope of the Resurrection.

Typically, names remain on this list for 40 days, unless requested otherwise. Those confined to hospitals or homes, or suffering chronic illnesses, remain on the list.

—Fr. David

COFFEE HOUR Today: Cohen & Mazziotti Families plus “Expanded” Coffee Hour for Chrissy Semon’s Homecoming! Next week: Brzuchalski Family.

MARCH SPONSORSHIPS: Bulletin – in loving memory of Joanie Schlasta.

May Joanie’s memory be eternal!

Web Site & Shut-In Mailings – Sponsors needed; see Fr. David if you’re interested.

Thank you to all Donors and Sponsors!

Emergency Sick Calls can be made at any time. Please call Fr. David’s cell phone, 878-5074, when a family member is admitted to the hospital.

Anointing in Sickness: The Sacrament of Anointing is available in Church, in the hospital, or in your home, for anyone who is sick, no matter how severe. It doesn’t mean “Last Rites!”

Marriages and Baptisms require early planning, scheduling, and selection of sponsors (crown bearers or godparents). See Father before setting dates and reserving reception halls!

Funerals are celebrated for practicing Orthodox Christians. Please see Father for details.

The Orthodox Church totally opposes cremation; we cannot celebrate a funeral service for persons being cremated.



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Epistle: Hebrews 11:24-26, 32-12:2; Gospel: John 1:43-51

Services and Activities

Today	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> : Sunday of Orthodoxy, with Children's Icon Procession and a Special Presentation by Chrissy Semon, Missionary to Romania, at Coffee Hour!
We continue to fast from all meat & dairy, until after Liturgy on Pascha.		
Wed., 3/16	5:00 P.M.	Private Confession Available
	6:00 P.M.	<u>Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts</u>
Fri., 3/18	5:00 P.M.	Private Confession Available
	6:00 P.M.	<u>Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts</u> with Pot Luck & Talk Afterward: "The Lesser Known Saints of Alaska" – Fr. Michael Oleksa
Sat., 3/19	5:00 P.M.	Private Confession Available
	6:00 P.M.	<u>Great Vespers</u>
Sun., 3/20	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> : St. Gregory Palamas Church School Teachers' Meeting at Coffee Hour
Tue., 3/22	7:00 P.M.	Parish Council Meeting, in the Hall
Wed., 3/23	5:00 P.M.	Private Confession Available
	6:00 P.M.	<u>Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts</u> with Pot Luck & Talk Afterward: "Work & Rest for the Christian" by Subdeacon Will Cohen
Fri., 3/25	6:00 P.M.	<u>Vespertine Divine Liturgy</u> : Great Feast of the Annunciation to the Most-Holy Theotokos
Sat., 3/26	5:00 P.M.	Private Confession Available
	6:00 P.M.	<u>Great Vespers</u> with Veneration of the Precious Cross
Sun., 3/27	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> : Sunday of the Cross

WELCOME NEWCOMERS & VISITORS:

It is our joy to have you with us today. Please introduce yourself to Fr. David at the end of the Liturgy, and join us for Coffee Hour down in the Hall!

SAVE THE DATE: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2011
All Saints Church Consecration Celebration! Details to Follow...

TODAY'S GOSPEL John 1:43-51 The following day Jesus wanted to go to Galilee, and He found Philip and said to him, "Follow Me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. 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." And Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no deceit!" 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." Nathanael answered and said to Him, "Rabbi, You are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" 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." 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."

HYMN OF THE DAY Troparion – Triumph of Orthodoxy (Tone 2)

We venerate Your most pure image, O Good One,
and ask forgiveness of our transgressions, O Christ God.
Of Your own will You were pleased to ascend the Cross in the flesh
to deliver Your creatures from bondage to the enemy.
Therefore with thanksgiving we cry aloud to You:
You have filled all with joy, O our Savior, by coming to save the world!

Olga Harvilchuk has a new phone number, in her room at Green Ridge: 344-2449.

Senior "O" Club Members: Please see Joni Rezanka to pay your O Club dues. Thank you!

Meals for New Moms – Help Wanted! Please see Mat. Tamara if you are interested in making a meal for one of our newborn-baby families, or helping provide needed baby supplies. [Thank you!](#)

Budget Meeting Rescheduled Again for Sat., April 2. Parish Council and any interested parishioners, please note this change. The start time will be late morning; details coming soon.

COMING UP AT ALL SAINTS...

- Today, **Children's Icon Procession at the end of Liturgy!**
- And... A **Special Presentation** at Coffee Hour by **Chrissy Semon**, our Parish Daughter and OCMC Missionary to Romania ~ **Welcome Home, Chrissy!**
- Fri., March 18, following the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts: Lenten Potluck Dinner with a Talk by **Fr. Michael Oleksa, of Anchorage, AK, on the Lesser Known Saints of Alaska.**
- Sun., March 20: **Church School Teachers' Meeting**, after Church School, during Coffee Hour.
- There will be several excellent talks following Presanctified Liturgies here this Lent – some from guests, and some by parishioners! See the monthly Parish Calendar for details.
- ...AND ELSEWHERE...
- Lenten Sunday Mission Vespers Schedule:** Please take a flyer from the vestibule table.
- Breadmaking Talk Sat., 3/19, SS. Cyril & Methodius Gym:** Please take a pink flyer.
- Psyanky Egg Making Workshop – Also Sat., 3/19, Taylor Community Library.** Learn the art of decorating beautiful Ukrainian style Easter eggs. Classes are \$18 per person and include supplies and materials. To register or for more information, contact the library at 562-1234.

DONATION: \$25 in memory of Justine Horhutz.