

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:

all of the parishioners of All Saints, their families, neighbors, and friends, Especially, Dorothy, William, William, Veronica, Claudia, Barbara, Dorothy, Barbara, George, Martha, Conor, Laura, Michael, Justin, Liam, Andrew,	Allen, Cory Joseph, Michael, George, Gregory, Patricia, Matushka Martha, Vera, Joseph, Andrew, all those serving in the Armed Forces, (Michael & Loreen), all missionaries (Christina), All clergy, monastic's, and seminarians, and their families the sick and	suffering, among them, Debbie, Clarise, Johanna, Veronica, Mary, those in nursing homes, hospitals and prisons, especially for those for whom we have been asked to pray, and all the departed members and family members and friends of All Saints, among the newly departed,	especially John Buckla. Michael Miller, and all those departed this life in the hope of the Resurrection. <i>If you would like the living or the departed remembered at the Divine Liturgy, please give the names to Father to remember at the Proskomedie.</i>
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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.

The Holy Prophet Habakkuk, the eighth of the Twelve Minor Prophets, was descended from the Tribe of Simeon, and he prophesied around 650 B.C.

The Prophet Habakkuk foresaw the destruction of the Jerusalem Temple, the Babylonian Captivity and the later return of the captives to their native land. During the war with the Babylonians the prophet withdrew to Arabia, where the following miracle occurred. When he was bringing dinner to the reapers, he met an angel of the Lord, and instantly by the strength of his spirit he was transported to Babylon, where at the time the Prophet Daniel was languishing in prison. The food intended for the reapers assuaged the hunger of the exhausted Prophet Daniel (Dan. 14:33-37).

After the end of the war with the Babylonians, the Prophet Habakkuk returned to his homeland and died at a great old age. His relics were found at the time of Emperor Theodosius the Younger (408-450), together with the relics of the Prophet Micah (August 14).

The Fourth Ode of the Psalter ("O Lord, I have heard thy report, and was afraid...") is based on Habakkuk 3:2-19.

ALL SAINTS ORTHODOX CHURCH

Olyphant, Pennsylvania



Sunday, December 2nd, 2012
26th Sunday After Pentecost
Holy Prophet Habakkuk



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Epistles: Ephesians 5:9-19; Gospels: Luke 18:18-27

Services and Activities

Today	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> - followed by Coffee Hour in the Hall. <u>Annual Parish Meeting</u> following coffee hour.
Sat. 12/08	3:30 P.M.	Private Confession Available
Sat. 12/08	4:00 P.M.	<u>Great Vespers</u>
Sun. 12/09	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> - followed by Coffee Hour in the Hall
Sat. 12/15	3:30 P.M.	Private Confession Available
Sat. 12/15	4:00 P.M.	<u>Great Vespers</u>
Sun. 12/16	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> - followed by Coffee Hour in the Hall <u>Children's Church School Nativity Program</u>
Sat. 12/22	3:30 P.M.	Private Confession Available
Sat. 12/22	4:00 P.M.	<u>Great Vespers</u>
Sun. 12/23	9:00 A.M.	<u>Divine Liturgy</u> - followed by Coffee Hour in the Hall

WELCOME NEWCOMERS & VISITORS!
It is our joy to have you with us today! Please join us for
Coffee Hour down in the Hall!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Perogoi making – Saturday morning, **December 8th**, at 9:00 am in the Church hall.
 All who are willing and able please come and help at one of the last ones of the year.
- The annual parish meeting will be held today, Sunday **December 2nd** following Divine Liturgy.
- The Church school will be holding a Bake Sale today, **December 2nd** during coffee hour to raise funds to sponsor a St. Tikhon's seminary family for Christmas.
- There is a thank you letter on the board in the Church hall thanking the parish for our prayers and support during this trying time for their family.
- Children's Church School Christmas Program – **December 16th** immediately following Liturgy and coffee hour. Please mark you calendars.
 Dress rehearsal on **December 15th** following Vespers. More details to come.
- Thanks to all of our families who host our coffee hour.
 We are in need of more families to help in this way in the new year. Food can include: only dessert and/or light fare such as cheese, crackers, fruit, salads, etc. Hot food is not necessary. Please see Julie Cohen or call her at 570-862-6611.
 Coffee hour potluck dates: Please bring something to share.
December 16th – Sunday school families potluck.
December 30th - Nativity treats potluck.
- Bulletin sponsorships are needed beginning January 2013. Also sponsors for shut-in mailings and the website are needed beginning today. Please see Ken Stafursky.

December Bulletin Sponsorship: In memory of John Naughton
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