



Holy Trinity Orthodox Church

Sun, July 19th, 2020 - The Healing of the Paralytic

6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5. Uncovering of the Relics of Ven. Seraphim of Sarov (1903). Fathers of the 1st Six Ecumenical Councils.



Hymns for Today

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born for our salvation from the Virgin; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection.

Thou art most glorious, O Christ our God, Who hast established the Holy Fathers as lights on the earth. Through them Thou hast guided us to the True Faith. O greatly compassionate One, glory to Thee!

Thou didst descend into hell, O my Savior, shattering its gates as Almighty, resurrecting the dead as Creator, and destroying the sting of death. Thou hast delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of man, and we cry to Thee: O Lord, save us!

The Apostles' preaching and the Fathers' doctrines have established one Faith for the Church. Adorned with the robe of truth, woven from heavenly theology, It defines and glorifies the great mystery of piety.

Epistle Reading - Romans 12:6-14

Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness. Let love be without hypocrisy. Abhor what is evil. Cling to what is good. Be kindly affectionate to one another with brotherly love, in honor giving preference to one another; not lagging in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord; rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing steadfastly in prayer; distributing to the needs of the saints, given to hospitality. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse.

Gospel Reading - Matthew 9:1-8

So He got into a boat, crossed over, and came to His own city. Then behold, they brought to Him a paralytic lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith, He said to the paralytic, "Son, be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you." And at once some of the scribes said within themselves, "This Man blasphemes!" But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, "Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven you,' or to say, 'Arise and walk'? But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins" — then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house." And he arose and departed to his house. Now when the multitudes saw it, they marveled and glorified God, who had given such power to men.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE MAHAFFEY FAMILY:

Congratulations to the entire Mahaffey family on the baptism of Sterry & Cassandra's latest addition to the family, Abaegail! We also want to welcome His Eminence, Archbishop David. It is always a joy to have you with us, especially on such a joyful occasion.

DEAR GUESTS AND FRIENDS: *A most sincere and heartfelt welcome to you from Holy Trinity Orthodox Church. According to the ancient traditions of the Orthodox Church, the Sacrament of Holy Communion is to be administered only to Orthodox Christians who have prepared to receive the Holy Sacrament through prayer and fasting.*

THIS WEEK'S SERVICE SCHEDULE

(Sat Vespers & Sun Liturgy livestreamed on Facebook)

TODAY: 8:40 AM Hours, Divine Liturgy @ 9:00 AM, Parastas following Liturgy.

Parastas Today for:

Anastasia, Anna, Bernard Golubieski, Anna, Wasył Kuncio, Mark Sluhocki
offer by Bernard Golubiewski and Family

SAT, July 25: 2:00 PM Great Vespers (NOTE TIME CHANGE DUE TO FOODFEST)

SUN, July 26: 8:40 AM Hours, 9 AM Divine Liturgy

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU! Mary Bankos Scholarship Fund: On Sunday, July 12, Vladimir Holoviak & Eva King were each presented a \$500 check from the Mary Bankos Scholarship Fund. For 16 years Mary, Anna, Elaine and Lynn have offered scholarships in remembrance of their mother, Mary Bankos, to High School graduates who have been an integral part of the Holy Trinity community. Thanks very much to the Bankos family for your continued kindness towards our graduates, and congratulations to Vladimir and Eva!

REPOSE OF GREGORY GOBISH: It is with a sad heart we inform you of the passing of our brother in Christ Gregory Gobish. Gregory was a member of this parish with his sister Lorraine Pace. Please keep Lorraine in your prayers and may Gregory's memory be eternal.

THANK YOU! Livestream Equipment: We have reached our \$600 goal to purchase live streaming equipment that will enable us to make service broadcasts a permanent part of our parish ministry to those who are unable to attend. We are so thankful to all who were able to help make this goal possible through your donations. May God bless your sacrifice!

THANK YOU: So much has been done to prepare the pavilion and grounds for our upcoming Foodfest, as well as placing the window well covers and removing some of the overgrown bushes. Thanks to everyone, and for all the work that will be done this week and weekend for our Foodfest. May God bless your sacrifices!

+ 2020 HOLY TRINITY FOODFEST +

July 24 & 25, 4 PM-8 PM

Holy Trinity Orthodox Church is excited to bring our 2020 Ethnic Foodfest right to your car door - for curbside pickup - Friday, July 24th & Saturday, July 25th. We will have all of the favorites you have grown to love and expect from Holy Trinity. All food sales will be done by **PRE-ORDER ONLY July 20-23 by phone (570-825-6540), our website, and our Facebook page.**

FOODFEST DETAILS:

PLACE ORDERS: Mon, July 20-Thurs July 23, 9 AM-4 PM

CURBSIDE PICKUP: Fri, July 24-Sat, July 25, 4 PM-8 PM. (Please stay in your car. We will come to you.)

PAYMENT: Online Ordering - Credit Card ONLY/ Phone Orders - Cash on Pickup ONLY

DO NOT PLACE ORDERS BEFORE JULY 20th OR AFTER JULY 23rd. They will not be received. Thank you for your support!

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Living: Cynthia Dulsky, Theodore & Elenor Sovryda, Valletta Family, Nadine Breisch, Luke Austin, Rosalie Bagenski, Denise Meck, Sonja & Leanne Kay, Stephen & Mary Krill, Anna Hutz Lahr, Madaline, Brian Cawley, Josie Bissett, Lisa Harvey, Daniel & Shannon Bissett, Johnny Soucek, Rebecca King, Ray Zavada, Connie Padrezas, Delores Karas, Antonette Terry, Archpriest Daniel & Matushka Myra Kovalak, Mary DeBenedetto, Violet Filipi, Karl Pfeiffenberger, Lisa Vallone, Christopher Polk, Emma St. Romain & Infant, Catherine, Diane Welgus, Danny Gobish, Lorraine Pace, Anastasia Homick, Camden Misrahi **Departed:** Barbara Clark, Thomas Podalak, Martin Taylor, Dimitrios L., Gregory Gobish, Sky Kincaid, Kelly Purcell

Altar Server Schedule

Sunday, July 19th

Christopher Dutko, Symeon Clark, Ephraim Neal

Sunday, July 26th

Alec Briesch, Caleb Dutko, Andrew Conklin

Sunday, Aug 2

Alex Holoviak, Tommy Donlick, Andrew Neal
