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SERVICES: September 29, 2019 – October 6, 2019

Sunday, September 29, 2019..... 9:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am - Liturgy; Sunday School; Coffee Hr; 12:00 - Bible Study
Tuesday, October 1, 2019..... 9:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am – Liturgy Protection of Theotokos
Saturday, October 5, 2019.....5:00 pm – Vespers
Sunday, October 6, 2019.....9:00 am – Hours; 9:30 am - Liturgy; Sunday School; Coffee Hr; 12:00 - Bible Study

September 29, 2019

2 Corinthians 4:6-15 (Epistle)

For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellence of the power may be of God and not of us. We are hard-pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed – always carrying about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our body. For we who live are always delivered to death for Jesus’ sake, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. So then death is working in us, but life in you. And since we have the same spirit of faith, according to what is written, “I believed and therefore I spoke,” we also believe and therefore speak, knowing that He who raised up the Lord Jesus will also raise us up with Jesus, and will present us with you. For all things are for your sakes, that grace, having spread through the many, may cause thanksgiving to abound to the glory of God.

Luke 6:31-36 (Gospel)

And just as you want men to do to you, you also do to them likewise. But if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive back, what credit is that to you? For even sinners lend to sinners to receive as much back. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, hoping for nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High. For He is kind to the unthankful and evil. Therefore be merciful, just as your Father also is merciful.

Prayer List

We offer our prayers for all of our shut-ins who are unable to attend church services, especially: Vera Tatusko and William Tellep Jr. Also offer your prayers for those in need especially Helen Baburchak, Jessica Barton, Mat. Joanna Bohush, Lydia Boras, Laura Chapin, Elaine Costello; Bill Dranchak, Marilee Driggs; Tony Fiaco; Thanos Fotiou, Anthony Gallis, Justin Garcia, Kristine Garner; Kathy Gregory; Marge Herciga; Stella Holowatch; Natalia Karlgut; Sue Kocenko, Olga Kulasza, Robert Kushner, Alicia Laskowski; Linda Main; George Murphy, Alexander Newsom; Tanya Pylypciw, Janeel Rahman, Sheila Ransom, Joni Mitchell, Tyler Sunday; Millie Sviatyla, Tamara Sytnik, Dorothy Tarasevich, Rachelle Vitale, Elayna Volock, Jack Wanchisen, Olga Warski, Bob Wartonik, Valentina Yelangy, Frank Urban & all of our parishioners who are ill. To add or remove names from the prayer list in the bulletin, please let Fr. Alexey or Fr. Timm know. Thank you!



COFFEE HOUR: Come downstairs and socialize with your brothers and sisters in Christ.

Today: Tamara Sytnik, Ludmila Boychenko, Natalia Nikulin, Vera Yaremko, Marina Pomukchynsky
October 6: Babe Farbanish, Nettie Lukovich, Connie Devine
October 13: Paula Norton, Nicole Ewing, Nancy Kulkowski, Patty Warski, Anne Koch

Sunday Adult Bible Study-The Epistles of St. Peter

Class is from 12 to 12:30 PM after Church & Coffee Hour

Do we fully live out our faith? Members of the early Church faced the temptation (just like us) to live in worldly ways. They were under pressure (just like us) from both a powerful secular culture and from false teachers. Saint Peter teaches us how to live out our faith, recognize false teachers and how to endure persecution. Everyone is welcome!

ANNUAL 2019 CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE WORKSHOPS –This coming week Tuesday Oct 1 and Oct 8 will be a 5pm workshops. We are really in need of everyone's help to make this a successful fundraiser. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the workshops! ☺ ☺

Have you ever wondered why bellringing in the Orthodox Church sounds the way it does? Can you identify the 4 fundamental types of ringing heard throughout the liturgical year? Are you looking for a way to make bellringing a more meaningful part of the life of your church?

Join us at St. Tikhon's Monastery October 4-6 for a series of lectures and workshops. Delve into the history, tradition, theory, and performance practice of Orthodox Christian bellringing. Experience the power and majestic beauty of the monastic bellringing at the Vigil and Liturgy, performed by students trained during the event.

Friday, October 4, 2019

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Lecture for Clergy, Seminarians, and Bellringers: "The 5 Essential Elements of a Successful Bellringing Ministry"

Saturday, October 5, 2019

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Lecture for the General Public: "The Liturgical Art of Bellringing in the Orthodox Church"

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Bellringing Demonstration at the Millennium Bell Tower

4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Vigil with peals rung by student bellringers

Sunday, October 6, 2019

9:10 AM - 11:00 AM

Divine Liturgy with peals rung by student bellringers

2019 – 2020 SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGAN ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2019. The children will be studying the Book of Luke in preparation for the "Bible Bowl" in November. We encourage all of the parents to bring their children to church and Sunday School.

STEWARDSHIP REMINDER!!- Now that we are in the 2nd half of our fiscal year, we ask that all of our parishioners review their stewardship contributions to the church and if they have fallen behind, please take this opportunity to catch up. Your church depends on you! Our parish is assessed \$145 per adult member by the Diocese and the National Church (or 10% of our annual non-designated regular revenue) and this constitutes a minimal financial obligation per our by-laws to be considered a member of the parish. None of this \$145 assessment remains in the parish to support the work and ministries and outreach of our parish family. If you need a total of your contributions to date, please contact us at sspeterandpauloffice@gmail.com, or see Fr. Alexey. Thank you for your generosity!

Upcoming Events

October 1 – Feast of The Protection of The Theotokos

October 31 – November 1 – Diocesan Assembly @ Holy Trinity Church, East Meadow, NY



to all our visitors and guests who participate in our celebration of the Divine Liturgy! While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Orthodox Christians, our non-Orthodox guests are welcome to join us in venerating the Cross & receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy. We invite all of our guests to join us for our Fellowship Hour & to visit our Bookstore.

For bulletin inputs, contact Fr. Alexey, Fr. Timm or e-mail us at sspeterandpauloffice@gmail.com

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