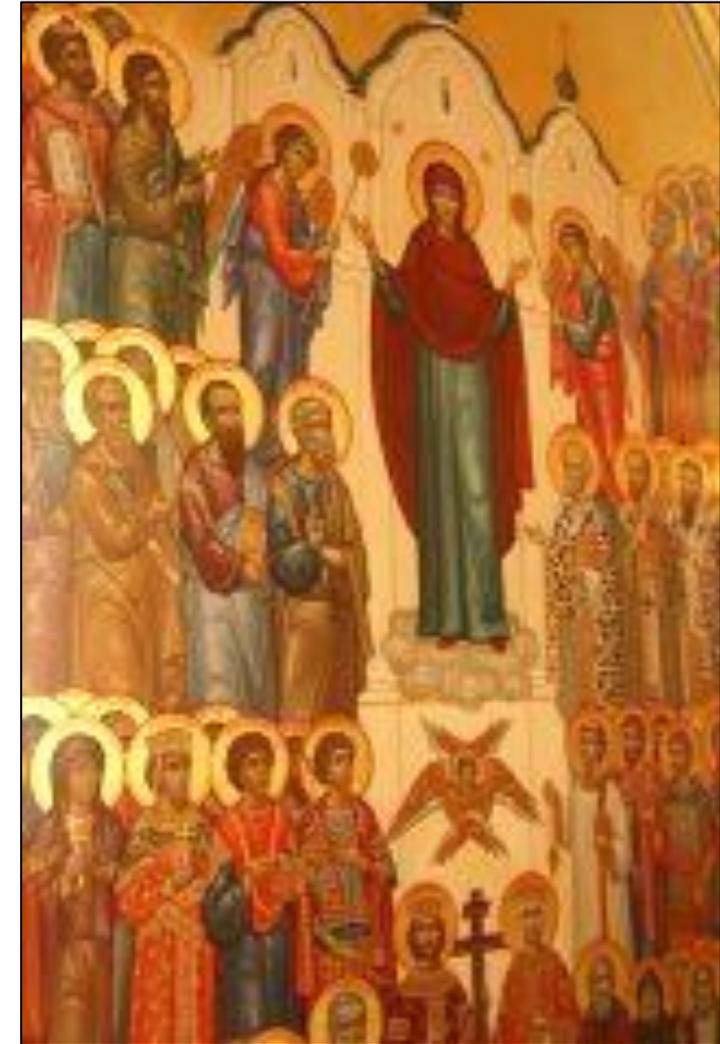
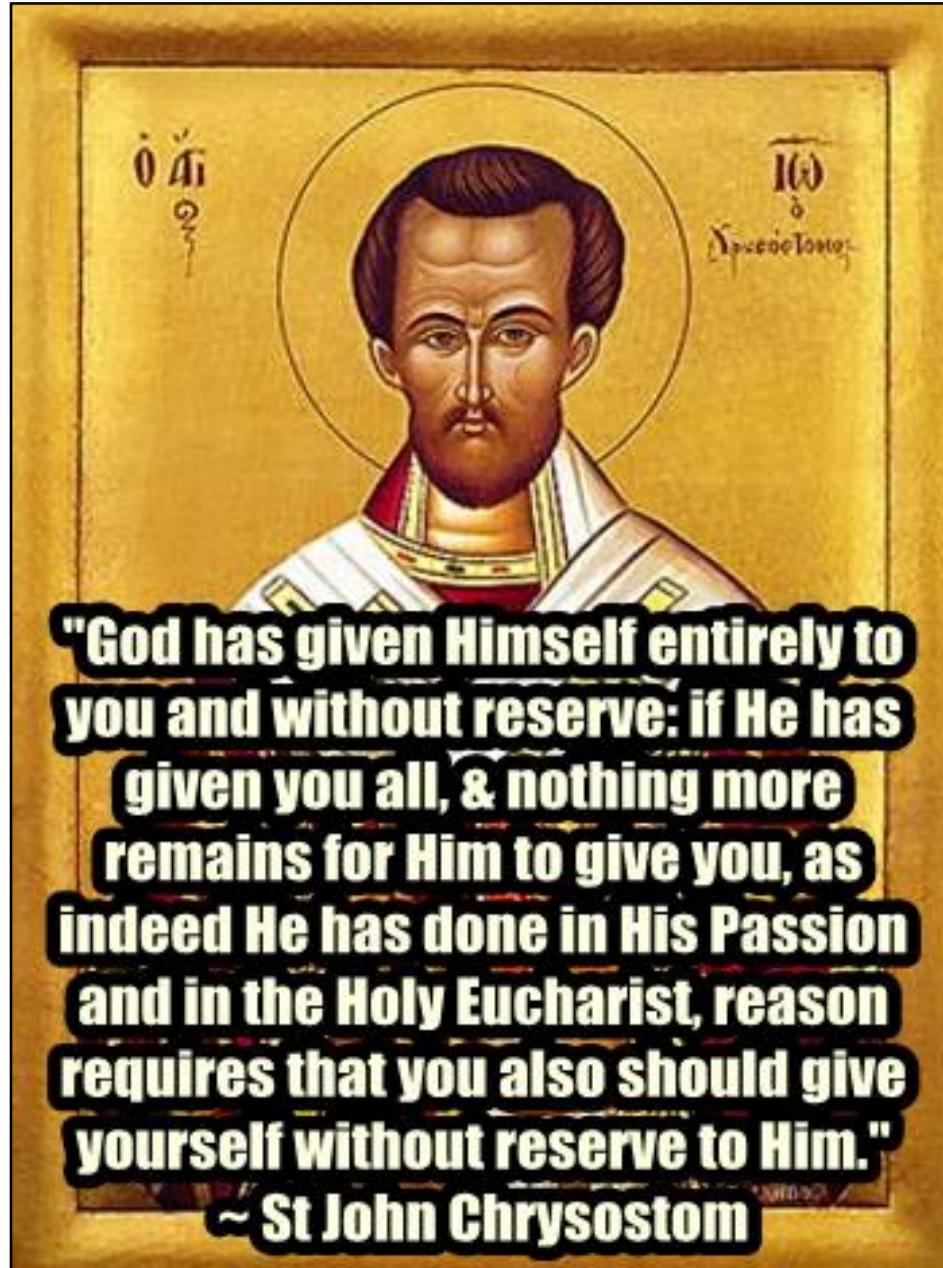


HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH
Yonkers, New York



Sunday, June 11, 2017 ~ 1st Sunday After Pentecost
Sunday of All Saints





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Epistle: Hebrews 11:33-12:2; Gospel: Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30

SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Today – Sunday of All Saints

9:30 AM Divine Liturgy – Fr. John Tkachuk, Celebrant

The Apostles' Fast begins, Monday, June 12, and ends with the Divine Liturgy for the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, which we will celebrate on Wednesday evening, June 28, at 6:00 PM.

Saturday, June 17

6:00 PM Great Vespers – Fr. John Tkachuk, Celebrant
(Confession Available by Request; see Fr. John before or after Vespers)

Sunday, June 18 – All Saints of North America – Father's Day

9:30 AM Divine Liturgy – Fr. John Tkachuk, Celebrant

Thursday, June 22

7:00 PM English / Spanish Bible Study, at the Kristensen Apartments across the street.
All are welcome; call Fr. David early to be let into the building.

Friday, June 23

6:00 PM Vesperal Divine Liturgy – The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
If you plan to receive Holy Communion, fast as best you can starting at noon.

Saturday, June 24

5:30 PM Private Confession Available

6:00 PM Great Vespers

Sunday, June 25

9:30 AM Divine Liturgy

2:00-6:00 PM Diocesan Parish Council Conference, at Saints Peter and Paul Church,
76 Whitehead Avenue, South River, NJ.

Wednesday, June 28

6:00 PM Vesperal Divine Liturgy – Feast of the Holy Apostles Saints Peter and Paul

PRAYER LIST

Above all, we are a praying community. Keep this list in your prayer corner, and in your daily prayers remember our Brothers & Sisters in Christ:

Vera Bouteneff; Richard Wisniewski (Suzanne Nolan's father); Peter Kusick; Pyotr, Katiya, Olga; Lois McKinley; Fr. Nicholas Harris; Sophie Kalafus; Bob Drake (Beth Rzyk's dad); Jessica Bruno; Marie DeNaples; Alexis Lukianov; Robert Davis; Linda Mucyn; Kevin Kohler; Rose Boykas; Marian Harris; Vincent Knarr; Marty & Elena Herman; Nicholas Macagnone; Tanya Balasenowich; the child Alena; Andrew Czuchta; Ann Dahulich; Boris Lyzak; Douglas & Susan Hansen; Christopher Olsen; Bill Bodack; Nina Dimas; Elena Herman; Courtney Lyzak; Anatole Honczarenko; Eleanor Wasilko; Ludmila Branzow; Suzanne Gee; Kathleen & Maryanne Nolan; Kevin Kuzmenko; Shawn Malone; Metropolitan Paul and Bishop Gregorios, Vera Bullock; Schuyler Perry; Vitaliy Khutko; Nikolai & Nadezhda Solidnov; the priests Frs. Leonid Kishkovsky, Gregory White, Stephen Hoskins, John Reeves, John Malcom, Vitaly Bahanovich, John Tkachuk; Matushki Rebekah Markewich, Charlene Garklavs & unborn child, Anastasia Harris, Kathryn Malcom and Masha Tkachuk; Klara Borzova; Helen Delandri; Irene Homa; Olga Juck; Mary Kalakuka; Mary Kantor; Ann Karell; Daria Krawchuk; Mary Macagnone; Stephanie Phillips; Tekla Rzyk; Martha Slivka; Nicholas Washenko; all those confined to hospitals, nursing homes, and their own homes due to illness; for all soldiers, especially Mykola; widows, orphans, prisoners, victims of violence, and refugees, especially in the Middle East and in Ukraine; all those suffering chronic illness, financial hardship, loneliness, addiction, abuse, abandonment and despair; all Orthodox seminarians & families; all Orthodox monks and nuns, and all those considering monastic life; all Orthodox missionaries and their families. Birthdays: Joel Statkevics (today); Fr. David (6/16).

For blessed repose for the souls of: Newly departed Ann Belchyk (+5/19); Walter Kiss (Edward's brother, +5/6); Fr. William George (+5/6), Fr. Ronald Hazuda (+5/5); Fr. Anthony Spengler (+5/5); Olga Vurgina (+5/3); all those departed this life in hope of the Resurrection.

Please give prayer requests to Fr. David, to Protodeacon John, or to an Altar Server. 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.

CANDLE SPONSORSHIPS FOR JUNE:

Vigil Candle, Icon of Christ, Departed Members, Wirchansky Family: Janet, Peter, Christina, Anne, Helen & Anastasia). Living: Wirchansky, Seckerson & Carlucci Families.

FAMILIES – Mark Your Calendars for These Two Events:

- **Thursday, August 24: Diocesan Orthodox Youth Day,**
at Six Flags Great Adventure, Jackson, NJ
- **Friday – Sunday, November 10-12: Diocesan Annual Girls’ Retreat,**
at Saint Basil’s Academy, Garrison, NY
- **More information coming soon ...**
but see Fr. David if you’d like more information sooner!

If you have a few days to spare and would enjoy volunteering at St. Andrew’s Orthodox Youth Camp up at peaceful Lake Oneida, NY ... the campers could use your smiles and talents! Matushka Tamara will be working there much of the summer; email her for details at tamarancowan@hotmail.com

PRAY FOR OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS – our parish sons & daughters, OCF chapter members, AND those at nearby colleges who make HTO their spiritual home away from home!

Elizabeth Bouteneff
Michael Bouteneff
Joe Ciamarra
Jaroslaw Kopcza
Kaydee Kowalczyk

Andrew Nolan
August Perry
Kamille Perry
Schuyler Perry
Christianna Piwinski
Roman Piwinski

Amanda Rzyzyk
Joshua Rzyzyk
Stephanie Rzyzyk
Justyna Skalski

“Sending our kids to college without a connection to the Church is like sending children to play in traffic.” -- Archbishop Michael
Please tell Fr. David if there are any errors or omissions on this list.

PASTORAL CARE – GENERAL INFORMATION

Emergency Sick Calls can be made at any time. Please call Fr. David at (914) 965-6815, when a family member is admitted to the hospital.

Anointing In Sickness: The Sacrament of Unction is available in Church, the hospital, or your home, for anyone who is sick, however 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 booking dates and reception halls!

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

The Church opposes cremation; we cannot celebrate funerals for cremations.

WANT TO HELP A STRUGGLING PARISH, MISSION, OR SEMINARIAN WITHIN OUR DIOCESAN FAMILY?

Become a DISTINGUISHED DIOCESAN BENEFACTOR!

To see a video “slice of life” of our Diocesan churches, visit www.nynjoca.org/2016_diocesan_assembly.html ... scroll down to: **VIDEO: 2016 – THE YEAR IN REVIEW . Any questions? See Fr. David.**



TODAY’S EPISTLE Hebrews 11:33-12:2 Brethren: the time would fail me to tell of Gideon and Barak and Samson and Jephthah, also of David and Samuel and the prophets, who through faith subdued kingdoms, worked righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens. Women received their dead raised to life again. Others were tortured, not accepting deliverance, that they might obtain a better resurrection. Still others had trial of mockings and scourgings, yes, and of chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, were tempted, were slain with the sword. They wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins, being destitute, afflicted, tormented – of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, having obtained a good testimony through faith, did not receive the promise, God having provided something better for us, that they should not be made perfect apart from us. Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

TODAY’S GOSPEL Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38, 19:27-30 Our Lord said, “Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven. He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. Then Peter answered and said to Him, “See, we have left all and followed You. Therefore what shall we have?” So Jesus said to them, “Assuredly I say to you, that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man sits on the throne of His glory, you who have followed Me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My name’s sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last first.”

PLANNING YOUR SUMMER TRAVELS:

1. After you plan your flight (or train, or drive)...
2. After you book where you are staying...
3. Find the Orthodox Church where you'll go while you're there:

Visit www.orthodoxyinamerica.org



**Download the App to your phone,
or enter the city where you're going on the Website,
and the closest churches will appear!
(*Bonus Points:* Call the priest ahead of time and
tell him where you're from ... and if you hope to receive Holy
Communion ... so he'll know when he sees you at the Chalice.)**

ATTENTION, COLLEGE FRESHMEN-TO-BE AND THEIR PARENTS:

THE FIRST 40 DAYS

Help OCF connect with students!

Submit *your* incoming freshmen's information by July 15th, and help us ensure that *your* students will receive information, materials and personal contact from local contacts to help them navigate their freshman year of college as Orthodox college student!

Let us join together as a Church and in true Orthodox fashion make the first forty days of college a time of spiritual preparation and growth for our college students!

TO FIND OUT MORE, VISIT [WWW.OCF.NET/
FIRSTFORTYDAYS](http://WWW.OCF.NET/FIRSTFORTYDAYS) AND CONTACT US AT
FIRSTFORTYDAYS@OCF.NET



AND FOR THOSE YOUNGER ...

THERE IS STILL TIME TO SIGN UP FOR ST. ANDREW'S CAMP!

July 2-8: Music Week
(led by Fr. David and Mat. Tamara)

July 9-15: Ecology Week

July 16-22: Horse Week

July 23-29: Art Week

July 30-August 5: Teen Week

Tuition is \$300 / week;
scholarships are available.

See Fr. David for details;
more info at www.saintandrewscamp.org

