

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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SUNDAY

JANUARY 12, 2020

30th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 5. Afterfeast of the Theophany. Sunday after Theophany. Martyr Tatiana of Rome and those who suffered with her (226-235). Ven. Martinian, Abbot of Belozersk (1483). Martyr Mertius of Mauretania (284-305). Martyr Peter Apselamus of Palestine (309-310). Ven. Eupraxia of Tabenna, in Egypt (393).



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Whether you are looking for a new church or just visiting, we are glad you are here. We hope you found our services edifying and uplifting. Please also join us for coffee hour at the rectory, so we can get to know you. While the Holy Communion reserved for properly prepared Orthodox Christians, you are welcome to venerate the cross at the end of the Divine Liturgy and receive the blessed bread.

Today, January 12th - Eve of Theophany

9:30 AM *Divine Liturgy, Followed by Panakhida, Coffee Hour*

1:00 PM *Great Blessing of Water on Hudson (MacEachron Waterfront Park)*

Tuesday, January 15th

7:30 PM *Choir Rehearsal*

Saturday, January 18th

5:30 PM *Confessions*

6:00 PM *Vespers*

Saturday, January 19th

9:30 PM *Divine Liturgy*

Today's Hymns

Tone 5 Resurrectional Troparion

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.

Tone 1 Troparion of Theophany

When Thou, O Lord, wast baptized in the Jordan, the worship of the Trinity was made manifest. For the voice of the Father bore witness to Thee, and called Thee His beloved Son; and the Spirit in the form of a dove confirmed the truthfulness of His word. O Christ our God, Who hast revealed Thyself and hast enlightened the world, glory to Thee.

Tone 5 Resurrectional Kontakion

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!

Tone 4 Kontakion (St. Tatiana of Rome)

In your sufferings you shone brightly in the royal purple of your blood, and like a beautiful dove you flew to heaven, passion-bearer Tatiana. Therefore, always pray for those who honor you!

Tone 4 Kontakion (Theophany)

Today Thou hast shone forth to the world, O Lord, and the light of Thy countenance has been marked on us. Knowing Thee, we sing Thy praises. Thou hast come and revealed Thyself, O unapproachable Light.

Tone 1 Prokeimenon (Sunday After Theophany)

Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on You!
(Ps 32/33:22)

v: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the just! (Ps 32/33:1)



Today's Readings

TODAY'S EPISTLE - Ephesians 4:7-13 – ⁷ But to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift. ⁸ Therefore He says: "When He ascended on high, He led captivity captive, and gave gifts to men." ⁹(Now this, "He ascended" – what does it mean but that He also first descended into the lower parts of the earth? ¹⁰ He who descended is also the One who ascended far above all the heavens, that He might fill all things.) ¹¹ And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and

some pastors and teachers, ¹² for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, ¹³ till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ;

TODAY'S GOSPEL Matthew 4:12-17 – ¹² Now when Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, He departed to Galilee. ¹³ And leaving Nazareth, He came and dwelt in Capernaum, which is by the sea, in the regions of Zebulun and Naphtali, ¹⁴ that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: ¹⁵ “The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, by the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles: ¹⁶ The people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and upon those who sat in the region and shadow of death Light has dawned.” ¹⁷ From that time Jesus began to preach and to say, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.”

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!

Tatiana Balasenowich, Elizabeth Bouteneff, Joe Ciamarra, Brandon Ferguson, Samantha Fricke, Kaydee Kowalczyk, Sofia Miller, Stella Miller, Andrew Nolan, Frances Nolan, Peter Nolan, Joshua Rzyk, Stephanie Rzyk, Lukas Skalski, Matthew Skalski, Justyna Skalski, Thomas Skalski, Adriana Szpynda, Emily Szpynda, Katherine Wislocki, Olivia Wislocki.

“Sending our kids to college without a connection to the Church is like sending children to play in traffic.” -- Abp. Michael

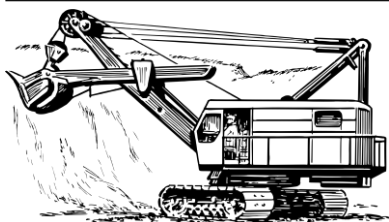
PRAYER LIST

For health: Archpriest John Kowalczyk , Fr. Vitaly Bahanovich, Fr. John Hutnyan, Victoria Szpynda, Christina Marie Czyzk, Vera Bullock, Ludmilla Branzow, George & Madeline Miroshnikov and the child to be born of them, Nikolai & Nadezhda Solidnov, Bill Bodack, Maria Chouplat, Helen Delandri, Olga Donski, John and Eugenia Gribb, Helen Homa, Irene Homa, Anatole Honczarenko, Helen Maybo, Nancy Prusak, Stephanie Phillips, Tekla Rzyk, Edward Wirchansky, Presbyteria Nancy Hutnyan, all the members and benefactors of our church. **For blessed repose for the souls of:** Newly Departed +Brother John of the New Skete, Newly Departed Child +Ephrem Talley, Newly departed + Amelia Rugala, Newly departed +Taisia Sviderskaya (+12/16) Newly departed +George Jaczina (+12/8); Newly departed Vera

Bouteneff (+11/7); Lillian Rebovich (+11/2); Khouriya Anastasia Farha (+10/31), and all those departed this life in hope of the Resurrection.

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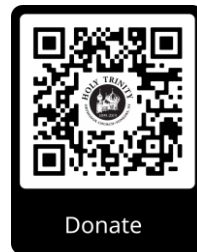
Vigil Candles, Icons of Christ and the Theotokos, Departed Members, Wirchansky Family: Janet, Peter, Christina, Anne, Helen & Anastasia. Living: Wirchansky, Seckerson & Carlucci Families. **Vigil Candle, St. Nicholas, South Kliros**, Newly Departed Regina Cataldo and Christina Sceppaquercia.



THE LONG-AWAITED RENOVATION PROJECT HAS BEGUN!

The excavation has begun on the side of Ashburton Avenue to prepare for the construction of the second entrance/exit to the basement of our

church. If you have not done so yet, or perhaps can do it again, please consider offering your support through a donation. To make an online donation please scan the QR code with your smart phone or visit <http://bit.ly/GiveToHTOC>



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Holy Trinity Orthodox Church has a considerable presence online in this digital age. We encourage you to stay connected with us through a variety of channels – our newsletter, our website, our Facebook page, our YouTube Channel. We often update these channels with news, happenings and highlights of the life of our parish. We are also looking for volunteers to serve on soon to be formed IT committee - please see Fr. Vlad or Elena Paolercio.

Do you know of anyone who has an economical studio/ 1 bedroom apartment for someone who is a friend to our Parish family? Please call Olga Ptach(914-365-3805/ 914-262-1061) if you can help. Thanks so much.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT: On Sunday, January 26, 2020, Following the Divine Liturgy our parish will hold the annual parish meeting. All voting members are asked to attend. **PLEASE MARK THIS ON YOUR CALENDARS TODAY!**